



## A fun job

**Read this story and complete the text choosing the best answer.**

A few years ago, I **(1)** \_\_\_\_\_ as Santa Claus at a mall in New York City. The mall was in downtown, so there were many visitors and workers. There was one large store where visitors **(2)** \_\_\_\_\_ to buy their Christmas presents. I started work there in November and stayed just after Christmas.

Visitors **(3)** \_\_\_\_\_ more on weekends, so I had a lot of work and pictures to take me with kids. Three times per day we had performances, I danced and sang with the elves. Sometimes I went skiing with the kids, while their parents **(4)** \_\_\_\_\_ buying presents to them. Also, the elves helped parents to wrap the presents and **(5)** \_\_\_\_\_ to make toys with the tools. After that, elves gave me some presents so I gave them to some children and the experience was completed, they would meet Santa and get a toy. Then they came into the elves' workshop to meet us and to take a picture. The room was full of toys and **(6)** \_\_\_\_\_ with a Christmas tree. Working as Santa Claus was fun, and a magical way to spend Christmas!

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| 1. <b>A)</b> got dressed | <b>B)</b> worked   | <b>C)</b> played     |
| 2. <b>A)</b> started     | <b>B)</b> paid     | <b>C)</b> went       |
| 3. <b>A)</b> went        | <b>B)</b> arrived  | <b>C)</b> used to go |
| 4. <b>A)</b> are         | <b>B)</b> was      | <b>C)</b> were       |
| 5. <b>A)</b> pretended   | <b>B)</b> imagined | <b>C)</b> started    |
| 6. <b>A)</b> printed     | <b>B)</b> colored  | <b>C)</b> decorated  |