

Sailing Away

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grow got far long today only keep

The boat had to sail a **long** time.

The boat had to sail **far** away.

They did not know,
that **today** the wind would **grow** strong,
and **today** the rain would **grow** heavy!

The boat could not **keep** sailing for a **long** time.

The boat could not **keep** sailing **far** away.

The boat **only got** to sail a short time.

The boat **only got** to sail near home.



NAME: _____

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 - B. week
 - C. day
 - D. hour
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 - A. that good weather was coming
 - B. that bad weather was coming
 - C. that there would be no wind
 - D. that there would be no rain
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 - A. riding
 - B. dancing
 - C. singing
 - D. sailing
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 - A. Yes
 - B. No
5. YES OR NO: Does the boat sail for a long time?
 - A. Yes
 - B. No

ANSWER KEY

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