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ANSWER KEYS

Day 1

1. El pretérito
2. To talk about past events and actions.
3. True
4. -é
5. -í

Day 2

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yo	é	í
tú	aste	iste
él/ella/usted	ó	ió
nosotros	amos	imos
ellos/ellas/ustedes	aron	ieron

Day 3

1. hablé
2. comiste
3. vivió
4. miramos
5. estudiaron

Day 4

1. Caminé en el parque ayer.
2. Ella comió el desayuno esta mañana.
3. Miramos la televisión anoche.
4. Jugaron al fútbol después de la escuela.
5. Escribiste una carta.