Units 10-12 Writing skills Trains and boats and planes

1 Circle the best words.

- 1 In 1800 there weren't cars **and** / **or** planes.
- 2 Our town has got buses **and** / **or** trams.
- 3 The park hasn't got a playground **or** / **and** a fountain.
- 4 When Dad was young he didn't have a car and / or a motorbike.
- 5 Grandpa was tall **and** / **or** handsome.
- 6 I like flowers **or** / **and** trees.

2 Read and mark the paragraphs 1, 2 and 3. Match the topics.

1) In 1900 there were trains and boats. Some people had cars, but there were no planes. Many people had the dream to make a plane, but they didn't have the right ideas. In 1903 two brothers called Orville and Wilbur Wright had a clever idea. Their plane was lighter and easier to move. Their plane was the first plane to fly! The first planes were very small. They had one or two seats. They were slow and dangerous. Now we have very big planes, and they can go a long way. Flying is much safer now!

The Wright brothers
There weren't planes
The first planes



3 Match the sentences. Write them again with *and* or *but*.

- 1 In 1900 there were cars.
- 2 People had dreams.
- 3 The first plane was lighter.
- 4 Old planes were small.
- 5 New planes are big.

- a It was easier to move.
- **b** They can go a long way.
- **c** They were dangerous.
- d There weren't planes.
- e They didn't have good ideas.

1	In 1900 there were cars, but there weren't planes.
2	
3	
4	
5	