

UNIT 4
LESSON 1

THE STORY OF ICARUS AND DAEDALUS

PUT THE PARAGRAPHS IN ORDER AND THE VERBS IN THE
CORRECT FORM IN THE
SIMPLE PAST.

Daedalus _____ (*think*) that the only way to escape _____ (*be*) to fly out of prison. He _____ (*make*) two sets of wax wings, one for himself and one for Icarus, and so, they _____ (*fly*) away.

Daedalus _____ (*tell*) Icarus "Don't fly too close to the sun. The sun melts the wax." Icarus _____ (*not remember*) his father's advice and _____ (*fly*) higher and higher until his wax wings _____ (*start*) to melt. He _____ (*move*) his arms faster and faster.

In ancient times, Minos, the king of Crete, _____ (*invite*) the famous Athenian architect Daedalus to build a labyrinth for him. When the labyrinth _____ (*be*) ready, king Minos _____ (*jail*) Daedalus and his son Icarus in the labyrinth because he _____ (*want*) to have this great architect in his island forever.

Of course this is a myth but it is the first flight accident.

The fast movement of arms _____ (*not help*) much and Icarus _____ (*fall*) into the deep sea. His father _____ (*fly*) over the place where Icarus _____ (*fall*). Daedalus _____ (*look*) hard but he _____ (*can*) not find his son. He _____ (*name*) the sea 'Icarian Sea' after his son's name.