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SIMPLE PAST VERB BE**

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1 Past of be (page 101)

▶ Present		Past
am/is	→	was
are	→	were

Complete the conversations with was, wasn't, were, or weren't.

- A: Were you here yesterday?
B: No, I wasn't. I was home in bed.
A: Oh, were you sick?
B: No, I was just really tired.
- A: Where were you born?
B: I was born here in New York.
A: Really? What about your parents? were they born here, too?
B: No, they were not. They were born in Brazil - in Salvador.
- A: Where was Yusef last week? was he on vacation?
B: Yes, he was. He and his best friend were in Spain. They were in Barcelona.
A: was it a good trip?
B: Yes, it was. Yusef said it was a terrific trip!

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2 Wh-questions with did, was, and were (page 103)

- ▶ Don't use *did* with the past of *be*: Where **were** you last Tuesday? (NOT: Where did you were last Tuesday?) Use *did* in simple past questions with other verbs: Where **did** you go last Tuesday?
- ▶ *Because* answers the question *Why*?

Complete the questions. Use the words in the box.

✓ how	what	where	why
how old	when	who	

- A: How was your childhood?
B: I had a fantastic childhood!
- A: where did you grow up?
B: I grew up in Dallas, Texas.
- A: How old were you when you started school?
B: I think I was five.
- A: when did you leave home?
B: In 2008.
- A: who was your best friend in high school?

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2 Complete these conversations with was, wasn't, were, or weren't.

1. Sandra: Were you born in the U.S., Ivan?

Ivan: Yes, I was. My brother and I were born here in Miami.

Sandra: I was born here, too. What about your parents? were they born here?

Ivan: Well, my father was. He was born in Cuba, but my mother was born in the U.S. - in Detroit.

Sandra: Detroit? Really? My parents were born in Detroit, too!

2. Kristin: I called you on Saturday, but you weren't home.

Jennifer: No, I was. I was at the beach all weekend.

Kristin: That's nice. How was the weather there?

Jennifer: It was beautiful.

Kristin: was your parents there?

Jennifer: No, they was. I was with my sister. It were great!

3. Mindy: were you in college last year, Alan?

Alan: No, I wasn't. I graduated from college two years ago.

Mindy: So where were you last year?

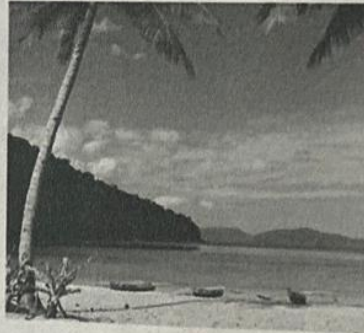
Alan: I was in Japan.

Mindy: Oh! were you in Tokyo?

Alan: No, I wasn't. I was in Osaka. I had a job there.

Mindy: What was the job?

Alan: I was an English teacher.



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5 Unscramble the questions about your elementary school days. Then answer with your own information.



1. was your of school how first day

A: How was your first day of school?

B: _____

2. your was teacher who favorite

A: who was your favorite teacher?

B: _____

3. favorite was your what class

A: what was your favorite class?

B: _____

4. your who best were friends

A: who were your best friends?

B: _____

5. spend did your where you free time

A: where did you spend your free time?

B: _____

6. leave did when you elementary school

A: when did you leave elementary school?

B: _____

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3 GRAMMAR FOCUS

Past of be

I was born here.	I wasn't born in Italy.
You were pretty young.	You weren't very old.
She was seven.	She wasn't in college.
We were at the hair salon.	We weren't at the café.
They were born in Milan.	They weren't born in Rome.

weren't = were not wasn't = was not

Were you in class yesterday?
Yes, I **was**. / No, I **wasn't**.

Was your first teacher American?
Yes, she **was**. / No, she **wasn't**.

Were your parents born in the U.S.?
Yes, they **were**. / No, they **weren't**.

GRAMMAR PLUS see page 146

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A Bianca is talking about her family. Choose the correct verb forms. Then compare with a partner.

My family and I were (was / were) all born in Brazil - we weren't (wasn't / weren't) born in the U.S. I was (was / were) born in the city of Recife, and my brother was (was / were) born there, too. My parents weren't (wasn't / weren't) born in Recife. They were (was / were) born in Rio de Janeiro. In Rio, my father was (was / were) a teacher and my mother was (was / were) an engineer. They have their own business in Recife now.

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B PAIR WORK Look at the picture below. Ask and answer these questions.

1. Was Tessa on time for class yesterday?
2. Was it English class?
3. Was it a sunny day?
4. Was it 10:00?
5. Was Mr. Walker very angry?
6. Were Alyssa and Jacob late to class?
7. Were they at the board?
8. Were the windows open?



A: Was Tessa on time for class yesterday?
B: No, she wasn't. She was late. Was it English class?