

STRUCTURE 1**VERB TO BE/PAST TENSE**

Personal + Be Pronouns (was) (were)	Before nouns	Before adjectives	Before the verb BORN
I was	I was a child.	I was smart.	I was born in David.
You were	You were a teenager.	You were intelligent.	You were born in...
He was	Picasso was a painter.	He was creative.	He was born in...
She was	Marie Curie was a scientist.	She was hardworking.	She was born in...
It was	It was a telescope.	It was big.	It was born in...
We were	We were classmates.	We were reliable.	We were born in...
You were	You were doctors.	You were patient.	You were born in...
They were	They were pilots.	They were honest.	They were born in...

ACTIVITY 3**WAS/WERE**

Complete the sentences with was or were.

- Franklin Delano Roosevelt _____ (be) the 32nd President of the United States from 1933 until his death in 1945.
- Albert Einstein _____ (be) a German-born theoretical physicist who developed the general theory of relativity. https://simple.wikipedia.org/wiki/Albert_Einstein
- The Beatles _____ (be) an English rock band. They _____ (be), and still are, one of the most successful and influential bands in the history of modern music.
- Mother Teresa _____ (be) a Roman Catholic . For over forty years, she took care of needs of those without money, those who were sick, those without parents, and those dying in Calcutta (Kolkata).
- Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi _____ (be) one of the most important people involved in the movement for the independence of India.