

Past simple: Questions and answers

Was and were: questions and short answers

Questions	Short answers
Was I ...?	Yes, I was. / No, I wasn't.
Were you ...?	Yes, you were. / No, you weren't.
Was he ...?	Yes, he was. / No, he wasn't.
Was she ...?	Yes, she was. / No, she wasn't.
Was it ...?	Yes, it was. / No, it wasn't.
Were we ...?	Yes, we were. / No, we weren't.
Were you ...?	Yes, you were. / No, you weren't.
Were they ...?	Yes, they were. / No, they weren't.

- 3** Put the words in order to make questions.
Complete the answers.



► you / at your friend's house / last night / were
Were you at your friend's house last night?
Yes, I was.

1 your parents at home / yesterday / were

No, they _____.

2 Tom / this morning / on the bus / was

No, he _____.

3 it / sunny / was / last Saturday

Yes, it _____.

4 in the team / were / last week / you

No, I _____.

5 the shops / open / were / last Sunday

Yes, they _____.

6 they / at the party / were / last night

Yes, they _____.

7 Complete the questions with *was* and *were*.

► Was it your birthday last week?

Yes, it was. It was my birthday last Wednesday.

1 _____ at school yesterday?

No, Ted and Harry weren't at school yesterday.

2 _____ at home last night?

Yes, I was.

3 _____ on the school bus this morning?

No, Julie wasn't on the school bus this morning.

4 _____ at the party last Saturday?

Yes, he was. Jack was there.

5 _____ at Jack's party?

No, we weren't.

6 _____ late for school yesterday?

Yes, I was.

Regular and irregular verbs: questions and short answers

All verbs, regular and irregular (except **be**), form questions and short answers in the same way:
did + noun/pronoun + base form.

Questions	Short answers
Did I work...? Did I have...?	Yes, I did . / No, I didn't .
Did you work...? Did you have...?	Yes, you did . / No, you didn't .
Did he work...? Did he have...?	Yes, he did . / No, he didn't .
Did she work...? Did she have...?	Yes, she did . / No, she didn't .
Did it work...? Did it have...?	Yes, it did . / No, it didn't .
Did we work...? Did we have...?	Yes, we did . / No, we didn't .
Did you work? Did you have ...?	Yes, you did . / No, you didn't .
Did they work? Did they have...?	Yes, they did . / No, they didn't .

*13 Match the questions 1–6 with the correct answers a–g.

► Did you enjoy the party? c

1 Did your parents come to the school concert? _____

2 Did Bob go to Spain last summer? _____

3 Did it rain yesterday? _____

4 Did Julie have her music lesson yesterday? _____

5 Did you and your brother take the dog to the park? _____

6 Did I get the wrong answer? _____

a Yes, they did. They enjoyed it very much.

b No, she didn't. She had it last Saturday.

~~c Yes, I did. It was great.~~

d No, it didn't. It was sunny.

e No, you didn't. You were right.

f No, he didn't. He went to Italy.

g Yes, we did. It was fun.

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Complete the questions with *you* and the verb in brackets and write answers. Ask and answer in pairs.

- Did you watch (watch)
TV last night?



- 1 _____ (do) Answer:
three hours' homework last night?
- 2 _____ (play) Answer:
computer games last night?
- 3 _____ (go) Answer:
out last night?
- 4 _____ (make) Answer:
your bed this morning?
- 5 _____ (listen) Answer:
to music this morning?
- 6 _____ (walk) Answer:
to school today?

16 15.6 Look at the picture story and complete the missing words. Write the past simple form of the verbs in brackets. Listen and check.



Last Wednesday evening, Ted had (have) lots of homework. He ¹ _____ (not want) to do it. He ² _____ (want) to go to a big football match.



Ted ³ _____ (not do) his homework. What ⁴ _____ (do)? He ⁵ _____ (go) to the football match!



The next day, Ted's teacher ⁶ _____ (ask), '⁷ _____ (enjoy) the football match last night, Ted?'



Ted ⁸ _____ (not understand). How did the teacher know? Then the teacher ⁹ _____ (say), 'I ¹⁰ _____ (watch) TV last night. I ¹¹ _____ (see) you. You ¹² _____ (be) on TV!'