

# GRAMMAR PRACTICE

## Past simple

| LANGUAGE FOCUS |                                                            |                                                                     |                       |
|----------------|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>TO BE</b>   |                                                            | <b>VERBS</b>                                                        |                       |
| +              | <b>S + Was/were</b><br>They were friends.                  | S + V-ed                                                            | She worked yesterday. |
| -              | <b>S + was not/were not + ...</b><br>They weren't friends. | <b>S + did not + verb (base form)</b><br>She didn't work yesterday. |                       |
| ?              | <b>Was/Were + S + ...?</b><br>They weren't friends.        | <b>Did + S + verb (in base form)?</b><br>Did she work yesterday?    |                       |

### Put the verb in Past simple form.

1. It was warm, so I \_\_\_\_\_ off my coat. (take)
2. The film wasn't very good. I \_\_\_\_\_ it very much. (not enjoy)
3. I knew Sarah was very busy, so I \_\_\_\_\_ her. (not disturb)
4. I was very tired, so I \_\_\_\_\_ to bed early. (go)
5. The bed was very uncomfortable. I \_\_\_\_\_ very well. (sleep)
6. Sue wasn't hungry, so she \_\_\_\_\_ anything. (not eat)
7. We went to Kate's house but she \_\_\_\_\_ at home. (not be)
8. It was a funny situation but nobody \_\_\_\_\_ (laugh).
9. The window was open and a bird \_\_\_\_\_ into the room. (fly)
10. The hotel wasn't very expensive. It \_\_\_\_\_ very much. (not cost)
11. I was in a hurry, so I \_\_\_\_\_ time to phone you. (not have)
12. It was hard work carrying the bags. They \_\_\_\_\_ very heavy. (be)