

WAS / WERE: QUESTIONS

1. Read the dialogue. Pay attention to the words in purple and green.

Leo: **Was** the final of Song Stars good last night?

Celia: Yes, **it was!** Where **were you?**

Leo: At my grandma's. Who **was** the winner?

Celia: The two brothers – Alex and Oscar.

Leo: Great! **Were they** excited?

Celia: Yes, **they were!**

2. Now, complete the chart.

Questions		
Was	I	good?
Were	you	famous?
¹ <u>Was</u>	he / she / it	the best?
² _____	we / you / they	excited?

Short answers	
Yes, I was.	No, I wasn't.
Yes, you were.	No, you weren't.
Yes, he / she / it ³ _____.	No, he / she / it wasn't.
Yes, we / you / they ⁴ _____.	No, we / you / they weren't.

3. Complete the questions with *was / were*. Then, write **TRUE** short answers for you.

- 1 Were _____ you in bed at 10 p.m. last night?
Yes, I was. / No, I wasn't.
- 2 _____ it hot yesterday?

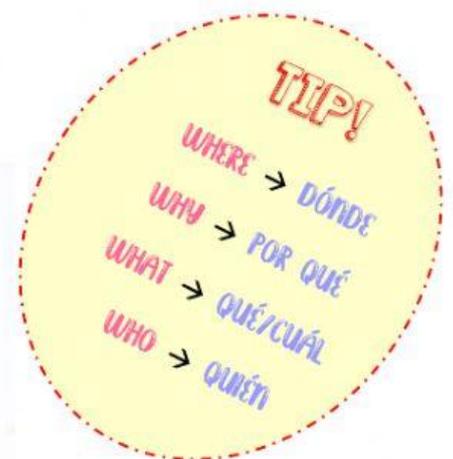
- 3 _____ your parents born in the same city?

- 4 _____ your best friend late for class today?

- 5 _____ you and your friends online last night? _____

4. Read the dialogue in exercise 1. Complete the chart.

Wh- questions		
Where	¹ <u>were</u> _____	you?
Why	was	he late?
What	were	their names?
Who	² _____	the winner?



5. Write questions and answers about John Lennon.



Name	John Lennon (1940–1980)
Born	Liverpool, England
Job	musician, artist, writer
Best songs	<i>Imagine, Woman</i>
Band	The Beatles, with Paul McCartney, George Harrison, Ringo Starr

1 When / John Lennon born?

When was John Lennon born? _____

He was born in 1940. _____

2 Where / Lennon from?

He _____

3 What / his job? _____

He _____

4 What / the names of his best songs?

They _____

5 Who / the members of The Beatles?

They _____

6. Complete the questions with the *WH-* question words and *was / were*.

What What ~~When~~ Where Who

1 When was _____ your last math class?

2 _____ your favorite singer a
year ago?

3 _____ your favorite song last week?

4 _____ your favorite exercise in
this unit?

5 _____ your grandparents born?