

Lesson One Words

1 Listen, point and repeat. 100

ferry



bus



helicopter



motorbike



plane



taxi



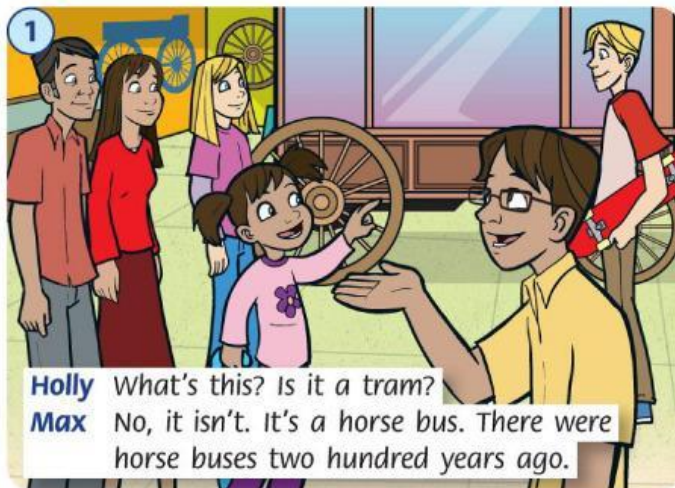
train



tram

2 Listen and read. 101

Watch the MultiROM! ▶

**Holly** What's this? Is it a tram?**Max** No, it isn't. It's a horse bus. There were horse buses two hundred years ago.**Amy** Look at these! There were some funny trains a hundred years ago!**Leo** Wow! There were skateboards fifty years ago! And they were very big!**Amy** Look at this motorbike, Leo!**Leo** Oh, wow! It's so cool!**Amy** Can you take a photo of me?**Leo** Sure.**Max** Leo! That man is looking at your skateboard.**Man** Wow! Look! This skateboard is fifty years old!**Leo** No, sorry. That's my skateboard. It's only two years old.

- 1 Listen to the story again and repeat. Act.
- 2 Look and say.

Let's learn!

There **was** a park in our town fifty years ago.
There **wasn't** a shopping mall in our town fifty years ago.

There **were** some funny trains one hundred years ago.
There **weren't** any planes two hundred years ago.

We use these time words when we talk about the past:
yesterday, last week / year / Monday, (fifty years) ago, then

We use **lots of** or **some** with 'There were'.
We use **any** with 'There weren't'.

In Australia, there were lots of kangaroos.



Wow! Australia is beautiful.

Yes, but we like living here with you!

3 Read and circle.

- 1 There **was** / **were** a park in our town one hundred years ago.
- 2 There **was** / **were** trains one hundred years ago.
- 3 There **was** / **were** motorbikes ninety years ago.
- 4 There **was** / **were** planes fifty years ago.
- 5 There **was** / **were** a hotel in the town ten years ago.
- 6 There **was** / **were** lots of buses twenty years ago.

4 Write.

was were wasn't weren't



- 1 There **wasn't** a singer at the party last Saturday.
- 2 There _____ eight children at the party.
- 3 There _____ any flowers in the room.
- 4 There _____ a CD player in the room.
- 5 There _____ lots of sandwiches at the party.
- 6 There _____ a TV in the room.