

Exercise 1: Past Simple in the affirmative and negative form

1. We \_\_\_\_\_ chess with Tomas yesterday. (to play)
2. Natalie \_\_\_\_\_ at the hotel. (to stay)
3. She \_\_\_\_\_ my address. (not to know)
4. They \_\_\_\_\_ something interesting. (to see)
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ those words. (not to understand)
6. You \_\_\_\_\_ the order. (to hear)
7. Our parents \_\_\_\_\_ doctors. (not to trust)
8. Helen \_\_\_\_\_ an idea. (to have)
9. He \_\_\_\_\_ any difference. (not to feel)
10. I \_\_\_\_\_ it! (to know)

Exercise 2. Write in was / were

- \_\_\_\_\_ Jenny at the party?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Lumpy quiet yesterday?
- \_\_\_\_\_ you in Kongo?
- \_\_\_\_\_ your parents in the local gym yesterday?
- \_\_\_\_\_ your friend at school yesterday?
- \_\_\_\_\_ you happy yesterday?

Exercise 3. Use words in parentheses to form sentences in Past Simple. Pay attention to what form the sentence should be in (affirmative, interrogative, or negative).

- 1) They \_\_\_\_\_ football at the institute. (to play)
- 2) She \_\_\_\_\_ emails. (not / to write)
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ English? (to speak)
- 4) My mother \_\_\_\_\_ fish. (not / to like)
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ Ann \_\_\_\_\_ any friends? (to have)
- 6) His brother \_\_\_\_\_ in an office. (to work)

Exercise 4. Put the verbs in the following sentences in the affirmative, interrogative, and negative forms of Past Simple.

1. I (to do) morning exercises.
2. He (to work) at a factory.
3. She (to sleep) after dinner.
4. We (to work) part-time.
5. They (to drink) tea every day.
6. Mike (to be) a student.
7. Helen (to have) a car.
8. You (to be) a good friend.
9. You (to be) good friends.
10. It (to be) difficult to remember everything.