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THE HAUNTED HOUSE.

- Listen to the song. When you know it you can dance.

There WAS a ghost on the sofa,
There WAS a witch in the kitchen,
There WAS a mummy in the bathtub,
There WAS a vampire under the bed!

***In the haunted house, what DID you see?
There were monsters — one, two, three!
In the haunted house, what DID you do?
I Said “Boo! Boo! Boo!”
In the haunted house, what DID you do?
I Said “Boo! Boo! Boo!”
In the haunted house, what DID you see?
Monsters, monsters — one, two, three!***

There WAS a cat on the computer,
There WAS a skeleton on a chair,
There WAS a werewolf by the boxes,
Frankenstein WAS fixing the car . Oh yeah!

***In the haunted house, what DID you see?
There were monsters — one, two, three!
In the haunted house, what DID you do?
I Said “Boo! Boo! Boo!”
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Monsters, monsters — one, two, three!***

There WERE bats in the tree,
Flying high over me!
Clap your hands, stomp your feet —
Haunted house groove, fill the beat!

- LISTEN , REPEAT, SAY THE NUMBER AND POINT.

Yesterday in the Haunted House

Yesterday, I visited a very strange haunted house.

In the living room, a child dressed as a ghost was sitting on the sofa, reading a book, while a witch was resting in the armchair.

In the kitchen, a girl in a witch costume was cooking, and a black cat was on the fridge. There were spoons in the sink and two cups on the shelf.

In the bathroom, a child dressed as a mummy was sitting in front of the bathtub. Crayons were in a half-open drawer and a notebook was on a shelf.

In the bedroom, a skeleton was sitting on a chair reading a book, and a vampire was hiding under it. Books, crayons and papers were on the bed and on the floor.

In the office, a black cat was sitting on the laptop and a toy spider was under the table. Two children dressed like office workers were standing nearby.

In the dining room, a skeleton was sitting on a chair at the table. Markers were in a bowl and some papers were on a plate.

In the basement, a child dressed as a werewolf was standing next to the boxes. Two pens were in an open toolbox and scissors were on the bookshelf.

In the garage, a person dressed as Frankenstein was repairing a blue car with a wrench. Bats were flying and a jack-o'-lantern was on a shelf.

In the yard, bats were flying around the tree, moving quickly in the night sky. It was the spookiest, funniest house I had ever seen!

READING COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

- **A. Literal questions**

- Where was the ghost sitting?
- What was the mummy doing in the bathroom?
- What was on the plate in the dining room?
- Who was repairing the car in the garage?
- Where were the bats flying at the end?

- **B. True or False**

- The vampire was sitting on the bed.
- The black cat was on the computer in the office.
- There were cups on a shelf in the kitchen.
- The werewolf was under the stairs.
- Frankenstein was repairing a blue car.

- **C. Inference questions (Think a little)**

- Why do you think the house felt spooky?
- Which room would you visit first? Why?
- Why do you think the children were wearing costumes?

LISTENING COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

TRUE OR FALSE – Spooky Mansion

Read the statements and write True or False.

1. A werewolf was standing next to the table in the living room.
2. The black cat was sleeping under the sink in the kitchen.
3. Towels were on the floor in the bathroom.
4. A witch was lying on the bed in the bedroom.
5. Papers were all over the floor in the office.
6. Glue sticks were on a plate in the dining room.
7. A ghost was floating near the stairs in the basement.
8. Frankenstein was washing a car in the garage.
9. In the yard, a skeleton was running under the tree.
10. The story happened today.

LISTENING COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

FILL IN THE GAPS

- Complete the sentences with
was standing, was sitting, were, was, was, was
holding, were, were flying, was hiding.

1. In the living room, a skeleton _____ on a chair.
2. A werewolf _____ next to the table.
3. In the kitchen, there _____ crayons on the counter.
4. A black cat _____ on top of the fridge.
5. In the bathroom, a ghost _____ behind the curtain.
6. Towels _____ on the floor.
7. In the bedroom, a vampire _____ on the bed.
8. A pumpkin lantern _____ on the nightstand.
9. In the garage, Frankenstein _____ a big wrench.
10. At the end, bats _____ across the sky.

GRAMMAR REMINDER

PAST OF "TO BE" (was / were)

Used to talk about the past.

✓ Forms

was → I, he, she, it
were → you, we, they

AFFIRMATIVE

He was in the kitchen.
They were in the yard.

There was a ghost in the living room.

There were bats in the tree.

NEGATIVE

He wasn't in the kitchen.
They weren't in the yard.

INTERROGATIVE (QUESTIONS)

Use Was/Were + subject...?

Was he in the kitchen?
Was there a ghost?
Were they in the basement?
Were there bats in the tree?

Short answers:

Yes, he was. / No, he wasn't.
Yes, they were. / No, they weren't.

PRESENT CONTINUOUS

Used for actions happening now.

✓ Forms

am / is / are + verb-ing

AFFIRMATIVE

She is sitting on the sofa.
They are flying in the yard.

NEGATIVE

She isn't sitting on the sofa.
They aren't flying now.

INTERROGATIVE (QUESTIONS)

Use Am/Is/Are + subject...?

Is she sitting on the sofa?
Are they flying in the yard?
Is the witch cooking?

Short answers:

Yes, she is. / No, she isn't.
Yes, they are. / No, they aren't.

PAST CONTINUOUS

Used for actions happening at a moment in the past.

✓ Forms

was / were + verb-ing

AFFIRMATIVE

The mummy was sitting in the bathtub.
The bats were flying in the yard.

NEGATIVE

The mummy wasn't sitting in the bathtub.
The bats weren't flying then.

INTERROGATIVE (QUESTIONS)

Use Was/Were + subject...?

Was the mummy sitting in the bathtub?
Were the bats flying in the yard?
Was Frankenstein fixing the car?

Short answers:

Yes, he was. / No, he wasn't.
Yes, they were. / No, they weren't.

Scrambled Letters

otgsh →

tiwch →

ymmum →

mepirav →

tac →

eontslek →

ewreowlf →

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atbs →

Transformation

Rewrite the sentences from the past into the present.

Example: *The skeleton was sitting on the chair.* → **The skeleton is sitting on the chair.**

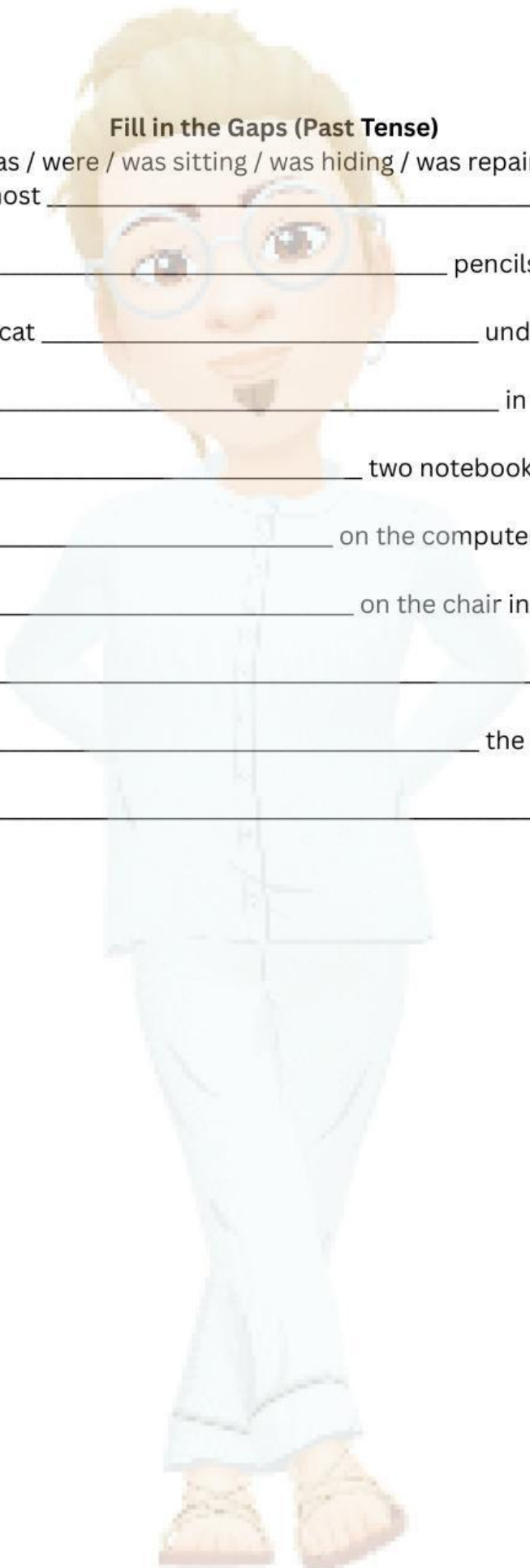
1. The ghost was sitting on the sofa. →

1. A black cat was hiding under the table. →

1. Frankenstein was fixing the car. →

1. The bats were flying in the tree. →

1. The vampire was hiding under the bed. →

A cartoon illustration of a young girl with blonde hair tied in a ponytail, wearing round glasses, a light blue button-down shirt, and light blue pants. She is standing with her hands on her hips.

Fill in the Gaps (Past Tense)

Use was / were / was sitting / was hiding / was repairing etc.

In the living room, a ghost _____ on the sofa.

There _____ pencils on the table.

In the kitchen, a black cat _____ under the table.

A mummy _____ in the bathtub.

There _____ two notebooks on the desk.

A cat _____ on the computer in the office.

A skeleton _____ on the chair in the dining room.

Pens _____ in the toolbox.

Frankenstein _____ the car in the garage.

Bats _____ flying in the yard.

Scrambled Sentences

the / on / was / computer / cat

bed / under / vampire / was / the

basement / in / the / werewolf / the / was

fixing / was / Frankenstein / car / the

shelf / the / on / pumpkin / the / was

in / were / the / bats / the / tree

skeleton / a / chair / on / was / the

table / under / was / the / sharpener / the