

A

last night

now


Now Robert **is** at work.

At midnight last night
he **wasn't** at work.

He **was** in bed.

He **was** asleep.

am/is (present) → **was** (past):

☐ I **am** tired. (now)

☐ Where **is** Kate? (now)

☐ The weather **is** good today.

I **was** tired **last night**.

Where **was** Kate **yesterday**?

The weather **was** good **last week**.

are (present) → **were** (past):

☐ You **are** late. (now)

☐ They **aren't** here. (now)

You **were** late **yesterday**.

They **weren't** here **last Sunday**.

B

positive

negative

question

I he she it	was	I he she it	was not (wasn't)	was	I? he? she? it?
we you they	were	we you they	were not (weren't)	were	we? you? they?

☐ Last year Rachel **was** 22, so she **is** 23 now.

☐ When I **was** a child, I **was** scared of dogs.

☐ We **were** hungry after the journey, but we **weren't** tired.

☐ The hotel **was** comfortable, but it **wasn't** expensive.

☐ **Was** the weather nice when you **were** on holiday?

☐ Your shoes are nice. **Were** they expensive?

☐ Why **were** you late this morning?

C

Short answers

Yes,	I/he/she/it was .	No,	I/he/she/it wasn't .
	we/you/they were .		we/you/they weren't .

☐ 'Were you late?' 'No, I **wasn't**.'

☐ 'Was Tom at work yesterday?' 'Yes, he **was**.'

☐ 'Were Sue and Steve at the party?' 'No, they **weren't**.'