III. WISH + PAST SIMPLE

1. Rewrite with "wish"

1/ The weather isn't nice today.

→ I wish the weather was/were nice today.

2/ I have to do a lot of homework today.

→ I wish I didn't have to do a lot of homework today.

3/ My father isn't here to help me now.

→ I wish my father was/were here to help me now.

4/ We live in a small house.

→ I wish I lived in a big house./ I didn't live in a small house.

5/ It's a pity that I don't have a longer vacation.

→ I wish I had a longer vacation.

6/ Linda can't go to the cinema with her friends.

→ Linda wishes she could go to the cinema with her friends.

7/ I'm sorry that there aren't any apples in the fridge.

→ I wish there were some apples in the fridge.

8. He's sorry that he can't swim as fast as his father.

→ He wishes he could swim as fast as his father.

9. We can't go out tonight.

→ I wish we could go out tonight.

10. What a pity! He can't come here with us now.

→ I wish he could come here with us now.

11. Lan is sorry that she can't go to the movie tonight.

→ Lan wishes she could go to the movie tonight.

12. I'm sorry that I don't know how to use an Ipad.

→ I wish I knew how to use an Ipad.

13. I am not tall enough to play basketball.

→ I wish I was/were tall enough to play basketball.

14. He doesn't help his mother with housework.

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