Pachi's worksheet: **could** and **couldn't**



We use **could** and **couldn't** to talk about abilities in the past.

1) Write could and couldn't 4 times.

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2) Complete with could or couldn't.

If it's POSSITIVE ✅, we use COULD.
If it's NEGATIVE ❌, we use COULDN'T.



1. When I was a baby, I _____ (❌) ride a bike. 🚲
2. Last night I _____ (❌) sleep. 😴
3. My sister _____ (✅) swim very fast. 🏊
4. My dad _____ (✅) play the trumpet. 🎺
5. Yesterday I _____ (❌) go to the park after school. 🌳
6. At my grandma's house we _____ (✅) play board games. 🎲

3) Now complete the sentences about YOU when you were 5 years old using could or couldn't.

When I was 5 years old....

1) I _____ ride a bike.
2) I _____ swim.
3) I _____ speak English.
4) I _____ run.
5) I _____ watch movies.
6) I _____ play games.



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