Lesson 7 - Intermediate

1. TALK ABOUT PAST HABITS. USED TO + INFINITIVE

used to

5 **Study the examples and choose the correct options in rules 1–4.**

TV didn't use to have colour pictures.
Life used to be more difficult.
Did people use to have more skills?

RULES

1 We use *used to* + infinitive when we talk about a habit or state in the past which is **different** / **the same** now.
2 After *used to* we use the **base** / **continuous** form of the verb.
3 The negative form is *didn't* ***use to*** / ***used to***.
4 The question form is *Did* + subject + ***use to*** / ***used to*** + verb.

6 **Complete the sentences and questions about life in the 1960s with the correct form of *used to* and the verbs in the box.**

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In the 1960s, ...

1 we _____ with real maps instead of GPS.
2 people _____ to music on vinyl records.
3 people _____ games consoles.
4 satellite TV _____.
5 teenagers _____ different clothes.
6 _____ people _____ letters instead of emails?
7 what _____ teenagers _____ after school?

2. Complete the following sentences using "USED TO" in the positive, negative or interrogative form.

1. I / live in a flat when I was a child. _____
2. We / go to the beach every summer? _____
3. She / love eating chocolate, but now she hates it. _____
4. He / not / smoke. _____
5. I / play tennis when I was at school. _____
6. She / be able to speak French, but she has forgotten it all. _____
7. What music/ like when you were a child? _____
8. I/ listen to music when I was a child. _____