



### Was or Were

- Se utiliza para hablar de lo que fue o donde estuvo alguien .
- Es el pasado del verbo **TO BE**

**WAS - WERE TO BE - Past Tense**

**AFFIRMATIVE**

I	was	happy.
He	was	hungry.
She	was	a nurse.
It	was	big.
We	were	early.
You	were	at school.
They	were	quiet.

**NEGATIVE**

I	wasn't	sad.
He	wasn't	thirsty.
She	wasn't	a teacher.
It	wasn't	small.
We	weren't	late.
You	weren't	at home.
They	weren't	noisy.

**Wasn't = was not**

**WEREN'T = were not**

**QUESTIONS**

**+** **Affirmative**      They **were** happy.      She **was** rich.

**?** **Question**      Were they happy ?      Was she rich ?

**Short Answer**      Yes, they were / No, they weren't      Yes, she was / No, she wasn't

**WH-Word**

Where	Verb	Subject	Complement
Why	was	I / he / she / it	sick ... ?
When	were	we / you / they	tired ... ?
			ready ... ?

- Why **was** he angry?      - When **was** she nervous?

- Where **were** you yesterday?      - Who **were** those people?

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Was: Fuí o sentía

She was a doctor

She was happy

Were: Fueron/ Sentían

They were doctors

They were happy

### There was / There were

- Se utiliza para describir qué hubo .
- There was = Hubo ( 1 )
- There were= Hubieron ( +1 )

Affirmative	Negative	Questions	Short Answer
There was (1)	There wasn't (1)	Was there ....? ( 1 )	Yes , there was
Ex: There was a soccer match last week	There was not	Ex: Was there a soccer match?	No, There wasn't
There were (+1)	There weren't (+1)	Were there? ( +1 )	Yes, there were
Ex: There were 5 soccer players tired	Ex: There weren't 5 soccer players tired	Ex: Were there 5 soccer players tired?	No, there weren't

### ii.-Translate these sentences in English

- 1) Ayer fui a la escuela : \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) Había un juego de tenis en el parque: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) Habían diez jugadores de basketball: \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Yo no estaba en la playa ayer: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) No habían pelotas de footballs en la cancha: \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) No jugué a la pelota con Damian anoche: \_\_\_\_\_



**ii.-Read and find the correct sentence.**

**Then present the dialogue in front of the class.**

- 1  **Betty:** Hi , Sarah did you practice any sport last week?  
 **Sarah:** \_\_\_\_\_
- 2  **Betty:** Where did you played tennis?  
 **Sarah:** \_\_\_\_\_
- 3  **Betty:** Was it fun? How were you?  
 **Sarah:** \_\_\_\_\_
- 4  **Betty:** Were there more people who played?  
 **Sarah:** \_\_\_\_\_
- 5  **Betty:** Did you eat something?  
 **Sarah:** \_\_\_\_\_
- 6  **Betty:** Oh , I see well have a wonderful day.  
 **Sarah:** \_\_\_\_\_

A: I played tennis in my house

B: Yes, It was very fun and I was very happy.

C: Yes there were 5 people who played.

D: Thank you , you too

E: Yes, I played tennis with my best friend.

F: No, we were not hungry, we just played. We didn't eat anything.