NELSON MANDELA

Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela was born in South Africa on 18 July, 1918. He studied at University of Witwatersrand where he obtained his degree of lawyer in 1942. After 1948, he formed part of the resistance movement against the National Party's apartheid.

Later, in 1964, Nelson Mandela was sentenced to life imprisonment for his political work in the African National Congress (ANC), considered an illegal organisation at that time, He was sent to Robben Island Prison.

During those years in prison, he became the symbol of resistance as the anti-apartheid movement. So, his reputation grew and became the most important black leader of South Africa.



Many governments around the world put pressure on the South African government to set Mandela free and end apartheid. Finally, the government released him from prison on 11 February, 1990.
Then, he began to work to create a democracy for the country. He wanted all the races to live together in peace and as equals He called apartheid a human disaster.

In 1991, he was elected President and ruled the country until 1999 when he decided to retire from political life. He is one of the most admired public characters in the world who wanted a democratic and free society in which all persons live together in harmony. and with equal opportunities. He died in 2013

A) ANSWER

1- When was he born?
In 1918.
In South Africa
2- Was he a lawyer?
Yes, he was
No, he wasn't
3- Why was he sent to prison?
Because he was a black person.
Because he was in the ANC
4-How long was he in prison?
From 1964 to 1990
From 1964 to 1991
5- Was he in favour of the apartheid?
Yes, he was
No, he wasn't

B) ANSWER TRUE OR FALSE

1- Mandela was in favour of the *apartheid*
2- He retired from political life in 1999
3- He was in prison from 1964 to 1991.
4- He was a lawyer.
5- He was sent to prison because he was in the ANC

C) CHOOSE THE CORRECT NEGATIVE FORM

1- Mandela **was not /did not** American
2- Mandela **didn't studied/didn't study** to be a doctor
3- He **not liked/didn't like** the apartheid
4- He **didn't go/ wasn't go** to Oxford University
5- He **not die/didn't die** in 2020

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D) TURN INTO THE INTERROGATIVE:

1-Mandela **was** American
Was Mandela American?
Did Mandela American?
2- Mandela **studied** to be a doctor
Did he study to be a doctor?
He studied to be a doctor?
3- He **liked** the apartheid
He liked the apartheid?
Did he like the apartheid?
4- He **studied** in Oxford
Did he study in Oxford?
Was he study in Oxford
5- He **died** in 2020
Did he die in 2020?
He died in 2020

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