

# COULD AND COULDN'T

## 1. Put the words in the correct order.

- 1- Spanish could speak I
- 2- you CD a could burn ?
- 3- could I yes
- 4- she dance couldn't
- 5- swim they could 100 meters ?
- 6- they no couldn't

## 2. Read about Katya. Put a check (✓) for the things she can do and a cross (X) for the things she can't do.

Hi! I'm Katya. What could I do when I was younger? I couldn't read music very well and I couldn't play the piano but I could play the guitar. I couldn't sing, but I could dance. I could swim or speak French.

	KATYA	YOU
Play the guitar		
Dance		
Play the piano		
Read music		
Sing		
Speak French		
Swim		

Now put a check (✓) for the things you can do and a cross (X) for the things you can't do.

## 3. Write sentences about what you could and couldn't do when you were younger.

I couldn't play the piano, but I could play the guitar

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-RICARDO HI, ADAM! WHAT'S THAT?

ADAM IT'S MY OLD GUITAR.

**RICARDO (1)** YOU PLAY THE GUITAR WHEN YOU WERE YOUNGER?

ADAM YES, I (2)

**RICARDO** WOW!

ADAM (3) YOU PLAY A MUSICAL INSTRUMENT?

RICARDO NO, I (4) , BUT I (5) SING.

ADAM OH! I (6) . I'M TERRIBLE.

**RICARDO (7)** YOU PLAY THE PIANO WHEN YOU WERE 8 YEARS OLD?

ADAM NO, I (8) , I (9) ONLY PLAY THE GUITAR

## PAST SIMPLE QUESTIONS

**1. Complete the questions.**

- a) Did the dog (run) after the cat?
- b) You take photos when you were on holiday?
- c) Did Steven (listen) to music yesterday evening?
- d) the ladies have a cup of tea in the café?
- e) Nancy text in the French lesson?
- f) Did Melissa and Ruth (wear) pullovers last Friday?

**2. Put the questions in the correct order.**

- a) your brother/say/did/hello to people in the street?



- .-. Yes, he did.
- .-. No, I did
- .-. Yes, I did
- (5) Were you a pilot?
  - .-. Yes, I was
  - .-. Yes, I did
  - .-. Yes, I were
- (6) Could you fly last year?
  - .-. No, I couldn't.
  - .-. No, you couldn't.
  - .-. No, I could
- (7) Could Peter go to University yesterday?
  - .-. Yes, he could.
  - .-. Yes, he did.
  - .-. Yes, he can
- (8) Could you go to Anne's house last weekend?
  - .-. Yes, I can.
  - .-. No, I couldn't.
  - .-. No, I could
- (9) Could you arrive on time?
  - .-. Yes, I couldn't
  - .-. Yes, I could
  - .-. No, I couldn't
- (10) Could she watch TV?
  - .-. Yes, she could.
  - .-. No, she can't
  - .-. No, he couldn't.