



# First Partial Exam

**I. Complete the sentences with the correct past form of be.**

1. Where \_\_\_\_\_ you born?
2. Chris \_\_\_\_\_ (not) a very good student.
3. How many people \_\_\_\_\_ at the party last week?
4. When she \_\_\_\_\_ a teenager, her favourite actor \_\_\_\_\_ Keanue Reeves.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ your cousins born in the UK?

**II. Complete the sentences with the past form of the verbs in brackets.**

1. My father \_\_\_\_\_ (work) as a butcher.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/walk) to school on Monday.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (do) your homework yesterday?
4. He \_\_\_\_\_ (love) dancing and singing when he was a child.
5. They all \_\_\_\_\_ (study) really hard for their final exams.

**III. Answer the questions with short answers. Use contractions where possible.**

**Do you remember the 60s?**

Well, we were a typical family. We weren't poor ... We had the same kind of furniture as now. In the living room there were armchairs, a sofa and a black and white television. We bought our first colour TV in 1968.

**Doris K**

We didn't buy food at the supermarket - every morning a man brought fresh milk, bread and eggs to our house.



### **Terry G**

After school, my friends and I went to the big supermarket next to the post office. For ten pence we got five big bars of chocolate and ate it all!

### **John M**

There was so much new technology – there were new machines in the kitchen and the garden, and new styles of cars. Of course, we didn't have mobile phones, laptops or tablets! Life was nice and slow.

### **Eloise B**

When I think of the 1960s, I think of family. We always did things together. We were a big family with three of us boys and five girls. At the weekend, we played football or other games and we often went for walks. Sometimes we went to the theatre in town and saw a play. The important thing was that we were together.

### **Winston T**

1. Were Doris and her family poor?

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2. When did her family buy their first colour TV?

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3. Did Terry's family go shopping for food at the supermarket?

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4. Where did they buy milk, bread and eggs?

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5. How much chocolate did John and his Friends get for ten pence?

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### **IV. Complete the sentences with in, on, last or ago.**

1. What did you do \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday?

2. Did he say he was born \_\_\_\_\_ 1950?



3. What did you study \_\_\_\_ week?
4. He phoned me half an hour \_\_\_\_\_.
5. What time did you get home \_\_\_\_\_ night?

**V. Match the verbs with the phrases.**

become  
start  
work  
write  
see  
stay

to my uncle  
as a nurse  
a company  
a chef  
a film  
in bed