

Mr. Bundy is 82 years old now and he is talking about his childhood, please complete his sentences by using had to, didn't have to, could or couldn't

When I was younger I \_\_\_\_\_ get up early, I \_\_\_\_\_ make my bed and I \_\_\_\_\_ clean my room on my own. My mum would never let me play with friends without cleaning my room and doing my homework so I \_\_\_\_\_ do my homework and clean my room first. I \_\_\_\_\_ only play with my friends after finishing my homework.

As for after school time, my parents \_\_\_\_\_ pay for any kind of activities because we were already active all day long. We were playing outside so they \_\_\_\_\_ send us to some basketball or football clubs to keep us active.

Nowadays a lot of people send their kids to private schools and they have to pay a lot of money. In my childhood we \_\_\_\_\_ pay any money for the school. We \_\_\_\_\_ go to school without paying anything.

I see now a lot of children stay out late but we \_\_\_\_\_ stay out late when I was young. We \_\_\_\_\_ be at home for dinner time, before our fathers. Young people also spend a lot of money now. Oh, we weren't allowed to do that. We \_\_\_\_\_ spend that much money. We \_\_\_\_\_ only spend a little pocket money for some snacks or candies, that's all.

We \_\_\_\_\_ help our parents all the time. Housework was for everyone. However, all teenagers complain about doing some chores at home now, which is surprising. Oh, we \_\_\_\_\_ complain about anything. Our parents would tell us what to do and we \_\_\_\_\_ do as they say.

We didn't have any freedom you think now, eh? Not like that actually. We \_\_\_\_\_ talk to people, we \_\_\_\_\_ make friends easily, we \_\_\_\_\_ even communicate with adults without being bossy. That was disrespectful at that time. Now my grandchildren talk to me like they know everything.

I think now young people don't have a lot of freedom. They have to stay inside and watch some films or play some computer games to

be part of something. We \_\_\_\_\_ act like someone to make friends in the old times. We \_\_\_\_\_ do whatever we want, We \_\_\_\_\_ read what ever we want. Now children don't like reading, they just watch things. We \_\_\_\_\_ have fun in our own way.

We didn't put on a lot of weight when we were children because we \_\_\_\_\_ move all the time. We \_\_\_\_\_ walk to school and we \_\_\_\_\_ play games all day long. On the other hand, we \_\_\_\_\_ learn a lot of things. Now young people have to learn at least two languages to get a job. In my time, we \_\_\_\_\_ get a job without knowing anything. Our boss or employer would teach us everything we need to know. Hard times they were or maybe, harder times they are now, I don't know.