

WAS / WERE

1

Read and write.

- This person acts in films. _____
- This person works in politics and government. _____
- This person is a professional cook. _____
- This person plays an instrument and writes music. _____
- This person builds houses. _____

2

Complete with was or were.



Chong and Ling (1) were from China. Before the gold rush, they (2) _____ poor and unhappy. Chong (3) _____ a farmer and Ling (4) _____ a baker. Chong and Ling (5) _____ in California in 1849. It (6) _____ very exciting. After the gold rush, they (7) _____ rich and happy. They (8) _____ very lucky.

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Complete the questions and answers.

Before the gold rush:

1 Was Sarah a cook?

Yes, she was.

2 _____ Jim a carpenter?

No, _____.

3 _____ Sarah and Tom poor?

Yes, _____.

4 _____ Jim and Kate unhappy?

No, _____.

After the gold rush:

5 _____ Tom and Sarah rich and happy?

Yes, _____.

6 _____ Jim and Kate lucky?

No, _____.