

## 1 GRAMMAR simple past: be



- a Last night there was a robbery in a bank. Jason Brown is a suspect. Look at the photo. Which person is Jason, which person is a detective?

- b **10.11** Listen to the interview. Fill in the blanks.

D Where were you at <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock last night?  
 J I was at <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.  
 D You weren't at <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. Your <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ says you were out. She was at home alone.  
 J Oh yes, I remember now. I was at a <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.  
 D Were you <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_?  
 J No, I wasn't. I was with a <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Walter Miller. You can ask him.

- c Complete the chart.

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present	past
I'm at home.	I <sup>1</sup> _____ at home.
You aren't at home.	You <sup>2</sup> _____ at home.
Are you alone?	<sup>3</sup> _____ you alone?
No, I'm not.	No, I <sup>4</sup> _____.

- d **Gp.110 Grammar Bank 10B**

- e **10.13** Listen and say the sentences in the past.

1 **She's a teacher.** (She was a teacher.

## 2 LISTENING

- a **10.14** Listen to the detective interviewing Jason's friend, Kevin. Complete the information.

Name: Walter Miller  
 Job: <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ Market Street  
 Walter knows Jason because they were <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ together.  
 At 5:00 yesterday afternoon, he was in his <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.  
 At 7:00, he was in the <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ restaurant on South <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.  
 He was with Jason. His <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ and <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ were there, too.

- b Listen again. Why does the detective think that Walter's story isn't true?

## 3 VOCABULARY in, on, at

- a Look at Walter and Jason's answers. What are the missing words?

- 1 Where were you yesterday afternoon at five o'clock?  
 I was \_\_\_\_\_ my taxi.  
 2 Where were you at seven o'clock last night?  
 I was \_\_\_\_\_ home.

- b Complete the chart with *in*, *on*, or *at*.

### Where were you yesterday at 7.00 p.m.?

I was	1 _____	2 _____	3 _____
	home work school college	bed the kitchen my car New York the park a meeting a restaurant a museum a shopping mall a hotel	a bus a train a plane a boat the street

- c **10.15** Listen and check. Repeat the sentences.

- d Test a partner. **A** (book open) say a place. **B** (book closed) say the phrase. Then change.

the kitchen ( in the kitchen