

1 Complete the text with *was*, *were*, *wasn't* or *weren't*.

It was a terrible party. There weren't many people. There _____¹ a lot of food, but there ²_____ any drinks. There _____³ a big table for the food, but there _____⁴ any chairs! There _____⁵ some CDs, but there _____⁶ player!

2 Write affirmative and negative sentences.

They (students / not teachers) They were students. They weren't teachers.

1 This book (interesting / it not boring)

2 They (Japanese / not American)

3 We (in the café / not at school)

4 Tweetie (a bird / he not a fish)

5 they / travel to Russia / about a month

6 we / start this lesson / thirty minutes

3 Write the past simple form of the verbs.

come came

1 eat

2 drink

3 study

4 walk

5 write

6 swim

7 run

8 watch

9 brush

4 Rewrite the sentences using the past simple.

They live in this house.

They lived in this house.

- We listen to music.
- My uncle likes Japanese food.
- Many people speak English.
- You go to school by bus.
- My grandfather drives to work.
- They chat online.
- I ride my bike.
- My dad makes pizza.

5 Complete the text with the past simple affirmative of the verbs in brackets.

One summer my dad bought (buy) two tickets to watch tennis at Wimbledon.

Dad and I _____¹ (go) to London by train and we _____² (see) Roger Federer and Rafael Nadal in the men's final.

The match was very long and they³ _____ (play) for four hours and forty-eight minutes! My dad thinks Federer is the best tennis player in the world, but Nadal _____⁴ (win).

After the match, we went to a restaurant for dinner. We _____⁵ (have) burgers and chips. We _____⁶ (stay) in a hotel and _____⁷ (go) home in the morning.

6 Add one word to write sentences using the past simple affirmative.

we / move house / three years We moved house three years ago.

1 I / visit the UK / summer

2 Antonio Vivaldi / live / about 300 years ago

3 she / ask me a question / an hour

4 you / play in the school team / 2009