

# Wasn't or Weren't? - Juneteenth

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Complete the sentences with wasn't or weren't.

1. Juneteenth \_\_\_\_\_ a holiday in all states many years ago.
2. The celebrations \_\_\_\_\_ small in some cities last year.
3. Many enslaved people \_\_\_\_\_ free before 1865.
4. The news about freedom \_\_\_\_\_ easy to spread in those days.
5. The parades \_\_\_\_\_ canceled in our town last year.
6. The Emancipation Proclamation \_\_\_\_\_ enough to free everyone immediately.
7. The children \_\_\_\_\_ at the Juneteenth festival because of the rain.
8. The speeches \_\_\_\_\_ short; they lasted all afternoon.
9. The families \_\_\_\_\_ together during the celebration because they traveled from far away.
10. Freedom for all people \_\_\_\_\_ immediate after the Civil War.
11. The community picnic \_\_\_\_\_ in the park this year.
12. Many traditions \_\_\_\_\_ well known outside Texas long ago.
13. The musicians \_\_\_\_\_ ready when the event started.
14. The history lessons about Juneteenth \_\_\_\_\_ common in schools years ago.
15. The fireworks \_\_\_\_\_ part of every celebration.
16. The food at the festival \_\_\_\_\_ expensive.
17. The dancers \_\_\_\_\_ on stage when we arrived.
18. June 19th \_\_\_\_\_ recognized as a federal holiday before 2021.
19. The visitors \_\_\_\_\_ disappointed because the event was fun.
20. The Juneteenth flags \_\_\_\_\_ red, white, and blue only.

