

THE PAST SIMPLE TENSE

CHECK YOUR UNDERSTANDING

I. Complete the sentences with the positive form of the verb TO BE.

1. I*was*..... at Mary's party yesterday.
2. You in London two years ago.
3. He in third grade last year.
4. She at home when I phoned.
5. It on the beach.
6. We sad when we heard the news.
7. You friends when you kids.
8. They travelling all day.

II. Make the sentences from ex. I negative, then turn into questions

1.*I wasn't at Mary's party yesterday.*
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III. Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Last weekend I (visit) my grandparents in the countryside. I (travel) by car. The weather (to be) very hot.

When I (get) my grandparents' house I (to be) surprised to see that there (to be) no one in the house. So, I (sit) on the porch and (wait) After a while I (see) my grandma coming carrying two baskets full of fruit and vegetables. She (to be) excited to see me. I (help) her with the

baskets and we (enter) the house. We (cook) the dinner and
(chat) all night