

# John Lennon

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Find out the answers

Question in the present tense	answers
When <u>was</u> he born?	
Where <u>was</u> he born?	
What <u>was</u> his nationality?	
What <u>was</u> the name of his band?	
What <u>was</u> the title of his most famous song?	
Who were the 3 other band members?	
What <u>were</u> his favourite musical instruments?	

## Right or wrong ?

John Lennon was an American rock star.

*No he wasn't.*

He was killed by a mad man.

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John was the writer of Billie Jean.

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The Beatles were very famous.

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They were Mancunian (originated from Manchester).

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They were 5 in the band.

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Paul Mc Cartney was another (autre) Beatle.

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## BE (etre) in the past tense

Be au présent:

I am

you are

he/she/it is

we are

you are

they are

Be au passé:

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**NEGATIVE FORM:**

John was English, he **wasn't** French.

**INTERROGATIVE FORM:**

**Was** he a hippie?

Who **were** his friends?

## JOHN LENNON : A hippie icon

Who were the hippies? <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TC3LryTjYqw>

John was an icon for a whole generation of young people during the 60s (sixties) and 70s (seventies). Those people were called « the hippies »...

Eat organic food – live without money – have long hair and beards – walk barefoot- live in communities – pray and meditate – play psychedelic music like bright colours – want to change the world – protest against intolerance - retreat in India – go to concerts – wear handmade clothes – use drugs



Write sentences in the PAST TENSE, pay attention to regular and irregular verbs.

Ex : *Hippies ate organic food and lived without money.*

## YES OR NO? Write short answers and correct if necessary.

Did they have expensive cars? No they **didn't**. They had old and cheap cars.

Did they encourage racism? \_\_\_\_\_

Did they like music? \_\_\_\_\_

Did they wear fashionable clothes? \_\_\_\_\_

Did they live like normal people? \_\_\_\_\_

### VERBS IN THE PAST

Regular verbs	Irregular verbs
I <b>play</b> tennis je joue au tennis I <b>played</b> tennis Je jouais au tennis	I <b>eat</b> meat je mange de la viande I <b>ate</b> meat je mangeais de la viande
Did you <b>play</b> with Federer? No I <b>didn't play</b> with Federer. No I <b>didn't</b> .	Did you <b>eat</b> my chicken wings? No I <b>didn't eat</b> your chicken wings. No I <b>didn't</b> .

### Remember your regular and irregular verbs

Infinitive form	Preterit (passé)	Past participle	translation
Play	Played	Played	jouer
Eat	Ate	Eaten	manger
drink			
go			
like			
live			
be			
have			
read			
run			
sing			
wear			
write			
hope			