Year 5 English Language Unit 6 –Sport

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(C) activity 2 page 65 : Complete the text with affirmative and negative forms of ***there was*** and ***there were***.

affirmative : there **was** , there **were**
(*one*) (*many*)

negative : there was**n't** , there were**n't**
(***any**) (*one*) (*many*)

The first marathon

2 500 years ago, (1) _____ **a** war between Greece and Persia and (2) _____ a lot of battle**s**. (3)_____ **a** big battle in a place called Marathon, which the Greeks won*. This was important news, but (4) _____ **any** internet and (5) _____ **any** telephone**s**. So a man called Pheidippides ran* to Athens with news of the battle. He ran about forty-one kilometres. (6)_____ **any** good road**s**, so it was a difficult journey. When he arrives, he died.

**won* = *past tense of win* , **ran* = *past tense of run*

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