

GRAMMAR PRACTICE

I. Complete the sentences. Use the *past simple* form of the verb in brackets.

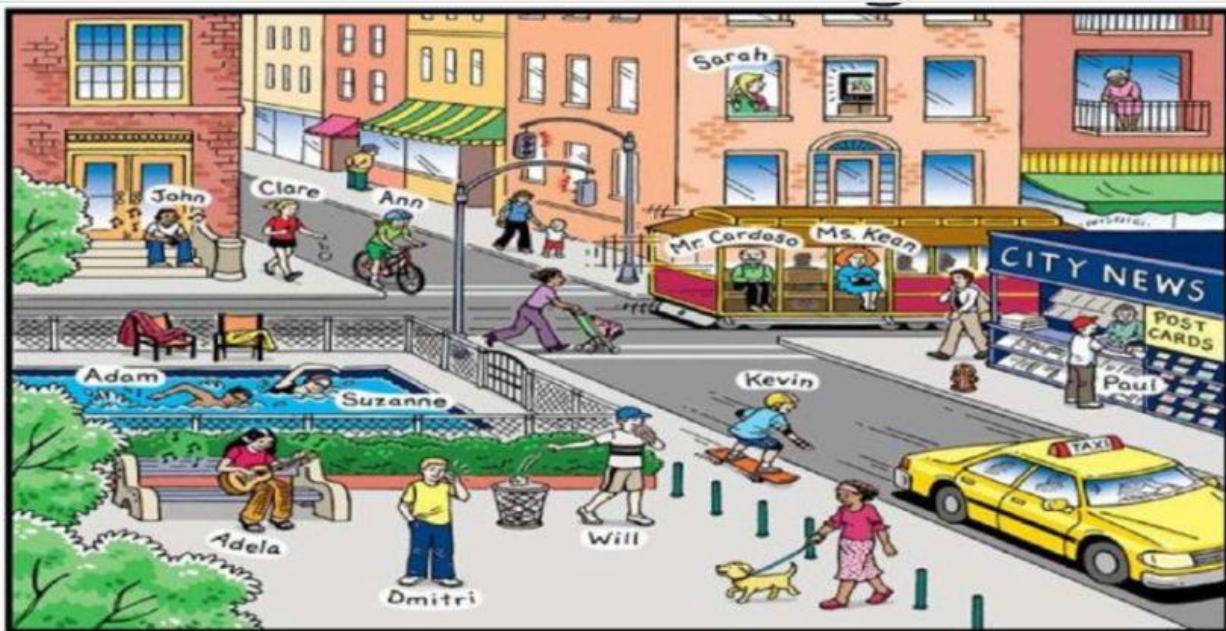
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1. The children _____ to school yesterday.
2. I _____ a book last week.
3. The cat _____ in the box last night.
4. She _____ her keys in the bag yesterday.
5. Tom _____ for the car 2 years ago.
6. Mary _____ a new hat yesterday.
7. Where _____ you yesterday afternoon.

II. Fill in the blanks with *There was*, *There were*, *was there*, *were there*, *there wasn't*, *there weren't*.

1. _____ many buses at the station yesterday.
2. _____ any water in the bottle? No, _____
3. How many students _____ in the class?
4. _____ a dog outside last night.
5. _____ many flowers in your garden? Yes, _____
6. _____ a good film on TV last night.

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Put the verbs in the past simple tense because this is what they did yesterday.

It _____ (is) a nice day in town yesterday. Adela _____ (sit) on a bench and _____ (play) her guitar. Adam and Suzanne _____ (swim) twenty lengths in the outdoor pool. Paul _____ (buy) a postcard to send to his friend in England. John _____ (listen) to music. Kevin _____ (go) skateboarding. Mr Cardoso and Ms Kean _____ (take) the tram. Ann _____ (ride) her bike. A lady dressed in pink _____ (walk) her dog. Sarah _____ (watch) TV. Will _____ (eat) a cake and _____ (put) the wrapper in the bin. Dmitri _____ (phone) his friend and he _____ (ask) him to come and pick him up. The old lady _____ (stand) on her balcony and she _____ (watch) everyone.

