

Complete the sentences with **WAS** or **WERE**. There is an example

1. I **was** at Ted's house last night.
2. They **were** very friendly.
3. My sister and I **were** very busy last week.
4. My parents **were** in Paris for their anniversary last weekend.
5. She **was** happy, but her brothers **were** sad.
6. A: **Was** you in the garden?
B: Yes, I **was**.
7. You **were** the most hardworking student in our class at primary school.
8. They **were** at the supermarket.

These sentences are in the present simple. Choose their equivalents in the **past simple**. There is an example

0. I'm not hungry, but I am tired.

I weren't hungry, but I was tired.

I wasn't hungry, but I was tired. 

I was hungry, but I wasn't tired.

1. She is at school.

She was at school.

She were at school.

She wasn't at school.

2. A. Are you a student?

I was a student?

Was you a student?

Were you a student?

B. No, I'm not. I'm a teacher.

No, I weren't. I were a teacher.

No, I didn't. I was a teacher.

No, I wasn't. I was a teacher.

3. A. Is your sister in her bedroom?

B. Yes, she is.

Were your sister in her bedroom?

Yes, she were.

Your sister was in her bedroom?

Yes, she did.

Was your sister in her bedroom?

Yes, she was.

4. We aren't very rich, but we are happy.

We were very rich, but we weren't happy.

We weren't very rich, but we were happy.

We wasn't very rich, but we was happy.

5. They are at the station

They was at the station.

They were at the station.

They weren't at the station.

Put the sentences in order.

1. ride a bike/ Jane/when she was three/ could

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2. My friends/ the music at the concert/ hear/ couldn't

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3. swim/ couldn't/I/when I was a child

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4. When you were younger?/you/ play the violin/could

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5. The teacher's name/remember/couldn't/we

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6. climb/ they/ up the ladder/could

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Read and choose the correct option. There is an example

1. They could/**couldn't** find the car keys. They had to take a taxi.
2. Orla could/ couldn't speak two languages: English and Spanish.
3. I could/couldn't play the trumpet when I was a child so I decided to enrol in the symphony orchestra.
4. I could/couldn't swim when I was five. I was afraid of water.
5. We could/ couldn't understand English films. They were very difficult!
6. Maya could/ couldn't visit her grandparents last weekend. It was a big surprise for them!