

VIRTUAL ACTVITIES FROM 7/9 TO 11/9

1.- These are famous people from the **past**. Watch the **PowerPoint** presentation on clothes and...

a.- Fill in the sentences with the correct **clothes**.

* Marie Curie was wearing a black _____.

* John F. Kennedy was wearing a black _____, a white _____ and a blue _____.

* Laurel and Hardy were wearing black and brown _____, white _____ and black _____.

* The Beatles were wearing black _____ and white _____.

* Beethoven was wearing a brown _____.

* Mao Ze Dong was wearing a black and red _____ and a black and red _____.

* Tolstoy was wearing a black _____.

* Galileo was wearing a white _____ and a black _____.

EXTRAORDINARY LIVES



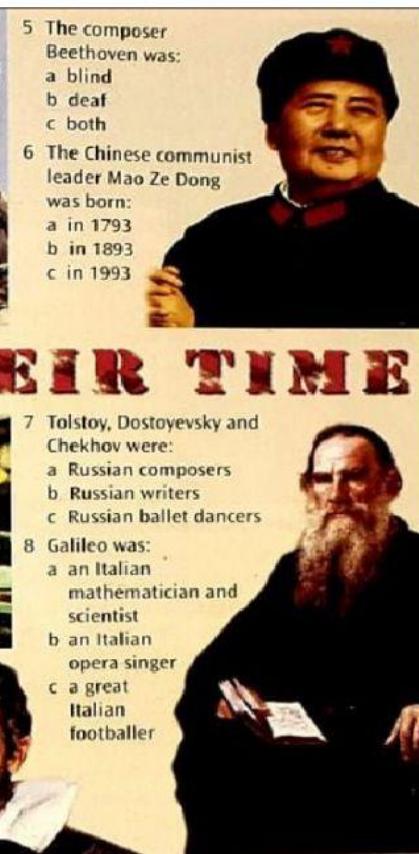
LEGENDS IN THEIR TIME

1 John F Kennedy was President of the United States in:
a the 1950s b the 1960s c the 1970s

2 The scientist Marie Curie was born in:
a Paris b Warsaw c Geneva

3 Laurel and Hardy were:
a singers b businessmen c comedians

4 The Beatles were originally from:
a London b Manchester c Liverpool



5 The composer Beethoven was:
a blind
b deaf
c both

6 The Chinese communist leader Mao Ze Dong was born:
a in 1793
b in 1893
c in 1993

7 Tolstoy, Dostoyevsky and Chekhov were:
a Russian composers
b Russian writers
c Russian ballet dancers

8 Galileo was:
a an Italian mathematician and scientist
b an Italian opera singer
c a great Italian footballer

b.- Search for information about these famous people on the internet and mark the correct **option** in the text.

2.- Watch the PowerPoint presentation on the **Past of the verb to be** again and ...

a.- Fill in the chart.

Grammar

1 Notice the past forms of *be*.
Kennedy was president of the USA for three years.
The Beatles were school friends.
Beethoven wasn't born deaf.
Laurel and Hardy weren't singers.

2 Complete the gaps.

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I was
 he/she/it was
 you/we/they _____

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I _____
 he/she/it _____
 you/we/they _____

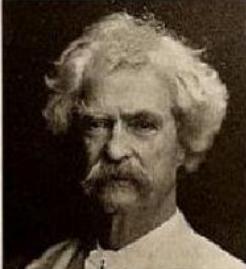
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_____ I?
 _____ he/she/it?
 _____ you/we/they?

b.- Fill in the sentences with **was/wasn't/were/weren't**.

- * The Beatles _____ first popular in the 1960s. ✓
- * Galileo _____ an Italian singer. X
- * Tolstoy, Dostoyevsky and Chekhov _____ American. X
- * Beethoven _____ a composer. ✓
- * Lauren and Hardy _____ actors. ✓
- * Deng Xiaoping and Ma Ze Dong _____ Japanese leaders. X
- * Napoleon _____ Emperor of France. ✓
- * Da Vinci _____ a musician. X

c.- Complete and answer the **questions**.



Mark Twain
American writer
– born 1835
– died 1910

1. Was Mark Twain a painter?
No, he wasn't.
2. Was he American?
Yes, he was.



Charlie Chaplin
Film actor
– born London 1889
– died Switzerland 1977

3. _____ Charlie Chaplin born in America?

4. _____ he an actor?



The Marx Brothers
American comedians
– all born in Germany

5. _____ the Marx Brothers born in the USA?

6. _____ they comedians?



Anna Pavlova
Russian dancer
– died 1931

7. _____ Anna Pavlova Russian?

8. _____ she a singer?

3.- Now, pay attention to the way **years** are read.

a.- Listen and circle.

a 2006 / 2001 d 1989 / 1999 g 1804 / 1904
b 1984 / 1985 e 1978 / 1878 h 1917 / 1970
c 1919 / 1990 f 1914 / 1940 i 2020 / 2030

b.- Listen and practise.

Pronunciation

1 Listen again. Notice the stress.

- two thousand and six
- nineteen eighty-five
- nineteen ninety

2 Listen again and practise saying the dates.