

5 Grammar Worksheet

PAST SIMPLE OF BE

PAST SIMPLE AFFIRMATIVE

1 Complete the sentences with the correct past simple form of the verb *to be*.

- 1 My dad and brother *were* at the sports centre last night.
- 2 I at school yesterday because I didn't feel well.
- 3 the train late? Yes, it
- 4 Tom and Conner happy that their football team lost.
- 5 Ellie very happy that her paintings on the wall in the art gallery.
- 6 Felipe and Owen at the library because they at the park.

2 It's the 26th November. Read the football club's list of games and complete the sentences below with time expressions in the box.

five days ago last week today
three days ago yesterday

Bridge United Games	
Bridge United v. West Street	Saturday 15 th
Bridge United v. City United	Wednesday 19 th
Bridge United v. Oldcastle	Friday 21 st
Bridge United v. Diamond Palace	Sunday 23 rd
Bridge United v. White Town	Wednesday 26 th
Bridge United v. Brooke Wood	Saturday 6 th

- 1 Bridge United played City United *last week*.
- 2 There was a match against Oldcastle _____.
- 3 The team were at the Diamond Palace Stadium _____.
- 4 There wasn't a match _____.
- 5 The match against White Town is _____.

3 Write past simple sentences and questions using the prompts.

- 1 there / not / many people / at the shopping centre / this morning
There weren't many people at the shopping centre this morning.
- 2 the film / good / last night / ?

- 3 where / you / last week / ?

- 4 the band / not / in Manchester / last month

- 5 who / at the library / yesterday / ?

- 6 the restaurant / not / busy / last Saturday

Write the past simple form of the verbs.

1	arrive	<i>arrived</i>
2	carry	
3	close	
4	drop	
5	like	
6	need	
7	open	
8	play	
9	study	
10	travel	
11	want	
12	watch	

5 Choose verbs from exercise 4 to complete the past simple affirmative sentences.

- 1 We *travelled* to Glasgow by bus yesterday for the concert.
- 2 The men the boxes into our new house.
- 3 My sister Maths at university.
- 4 My friends and I an action film at the cinema last Saturday.
- 5 My mum the door because it was cold.
- 6 I accidentally all the glasses.