

SIMPLE PAST TENSE

1. Complete the sentences with the past of verb TO BE

The holiday _____ fun.

That woman _____ (not) Spanish.

He _____ early for the interview.

_____ she at home when you arrived last night?

The people we met last night _____ French.

What _____ that noise?

Julie _____ (not) late for the class.

The food _____ very good.

_____ they in class yesterday?

They _____ (not) my uncle and aunt.

The test _____ easy.

I _____ (not) rude to the waitress.

Where _____ you last Friday?

We _____ (not) tired when we arrived.

They _____ on the bus when I called.

You _____ here when she came.

2. Write the verb in the past form

I _____ (work) in a bank for ten years.

Where _____ (you/live) when you were young?

She _____ (not/study) French at university.

He _____ (travel) through the middle east last year.

_____ (they/visit) the Louvre in Paris?

She _____ (not/watch) TV yesterday.

We _____ (buy) a new car last weekend.

Where _____ (you/teach) before you came here?

He _____ (not/think) that he was right.

I _____ (cook) steak last night.

_____ (Lucy/read) 'War and Peace' at school?

She _____ (not/write) to her grandmother.

We _____ (have) a computer when I was a child.

Where _____ (you/go) on holiday?

I _____ (love) ice cream when I was a child.

3. Fill in the blanks with the correct verb, use the past tense form

(study) (brush) (fix) (play) (wash)
(help) (water) (cry) (stop) (go)

- 1. I _____ my teeth.**
- 2. Larry _____ tennis with his friends.**
- 3. They _____ for their exam.**
- 4. Susan _____ to the supermarket.**
- 5. Thomas _____ me with my homework.**
- 6. Daniel _____ his hands.**
- 7. The baby _____ a lot.**
- 8. The policeman _____ the bus.**
- 9. The mechanic _____ the car.**
- 10. My mother _____ the flowers.**