



USED TO

The Minions' life before Gru



REMEMBER!

We use **used to** to talk about past habits or situations that are **not true now**.

(+) S + **used to** + V

(-) S + **didn't use to** + V

(?) Did + S + **use to** + V?

After **didn't** and **Did** we write **USE**, not **USED**.

1. Choose the correct answer.

- The Minions _____ live in a cave.
a) used to b) use to c) using to
- Gru didn't _____ the Minions many years ago.
a) used to know b) use to know c) knew
- Did the Minions _____ help villains?
a) used to b) use to c) using
- Kevin _____ be the leader.
a) used to b) use c) used
- The Minions didn't _____ have a home.
a) used to b) use to c) using
- _____ the Minions use to travel around the world?
a) Did b) Do c) Were
- They _____ work for Gru.
a) didn't use to b) didn't used to c) don't used to
- The Minions _____ look for the strongest boss.
a) used to b) use to c) are used to

2. True or False? Correct the false ones.

- The Minions used to live with Gru. TRUE FALSE
- The Minions used to travel around the world. TRUE FALSE
- Gru used to have the Minions when he was a baby. TRUE FALSE
- The Minions used to look for a perfect boss. TRUE FALSE
- They didn't use to like bananas. TRUE FALSE
- They used to help different villains. TRUE FALSE



3. Complete the sentences.

- The Minions _____ live in Antarctica.
- _____ they _____ have a leader?
- Gru _____ know the Minions.
- They _____ work for many different bosses.
- _____ they _____ like bananas?
- They _____ have a real home.
- They _____ wear blue overalls.
- They _____ travel all over the world.



4. Fix the mistakes.

- The Minions didn't used to live with Gru. _____
- Did they used to travel? _____
- Gru use to be a child. _____
- They didn't use helped villains. _____
- Did Kevin used to be the leader? _____
- They used to lived in caves. _____



5. Match and then tell the story.

- The Minions used to live... • a) different villains.
- They used to help... • b) around the world.
- They didn't use to have... • c) for Gru.
- They used to travel... • d) in caves.
- Now they work... • e) a home.



Tell the story using **used to**.

6. Look at the pictures and write sentences.

1.	2.	3.
4.	5.	6.

7. Which picture shows the past? Describe it using used to.

A	OR		_____
B	OR		_____
A	OR		_____

8. Unscramble the sentences.

- used / live / Minions / caves / in / to / The _____
- use / they / Did / villains / help / to _____
- Gru / know / didn't / use / them / to _____
- travel / world / They / used / the / around / to _____
- have / they / a / didn't / home / use / to _____



9. Guess the boss!

You ask yes/no questions to guess who the Minions used to work for.

Dracula	Napoleon	Cleopatra
Pirate	Viking	King Arthur

10. Minion Interview

Answer the questions.

- Where did you use to live?
- Who did you use to work for?
- What did you use to eat?
- Who didn't you use to like?
- Did you use to have a family?
- What did you use to do every day?
- Why did you leave your old boss?
- Did you use to be happy?

