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.

1. The Minions _____ live in a cave.
   a) used to b) use to c) using to
2. Gru didn't _____ the Minions many years ago.
   a) used to know b) use to know c) knew
3. Did the Minions _____ help villains?
   a) used to b) use to c) using
4. Kevin _____ be the leader.
   a) used to b) use c) used
5. The Minions didn't _____ have a home.
   a) used to b) use to c) using
6. _____ the Minions use to travel around the world?
   a) Did b) Do c) Were
7. They _____ work for Gru.
   a) didn't use to b) didn't used to c) don't used to
8. 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.

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

3. Complete the sentences.

1. The Minions _____ live in Antarctica.
2. _____ they _____ have a leader?
3. Gru _____ know the Minions.
4. They _____ work for many different bosses.
5. _____ they _____ like bananas?
6. They _____ have a real home.
7. They _____ wear blue overalls.
8. They _____ travel all over the world.

4. Fix the mistakes.

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

5. Match and then tell the story.

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

Tell the story using **used to.**

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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.

1. used / live / Minions / caves / in / to / The
   _____
2. use / they / Did / villains / help / to
   _____
3. Gru / know / didn't / use / them / to
   _____
4. travel / world / They / used / the / around / to
   _____
5. 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.



10. Minion Interview

Answer the questions.

1. Where did you use to live?
2. Who did you use to work for?
3. What did you use to eat?
4. Who didn't you use to like?
5. Did you use to have a family?
6. What did you use to do every day?
7. Why did you leave your old boss?
8. Did you use to be happy?

LIVEWORKSHEETS