LOOK 3 – UNIT 9: I LOVE MY TOWN

Worksheet 1 – Then and Now

Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

Review Box

Past
- 60 years ago
- then
- in those days

Present
- these days
- now

Structures
- There was a/an + singular noun.
- There wasn't a/an + singular noun.
- There were + plural noun.
- There weren't any + plural noun.
- These days, there is / there are ...

Task 1. Read and complete the sentences.
Use the words in the box.

building / movie theater / bus stop / parking lot / café / sports center / hospital / supermarket / market

1. People go to the _____ when they are sick.
2. My dad parks his car in the _____ near our apartment.
3. There is a tall blue _____ next to my school.
4. My family buys fruit and vegetables at the _____ every Sunday morning.
5. We watch new films at the _____ on the weekend.
6. My brother plays basketball at the _____ after school.
7. I wait for the school bus at the _____ near my house.
8. My mom buys milk, bread, and eggs at the _____.
9. My parents drink coffee at a small _____ in town.

Task 2. Read about Green Town. Complete the sentences.

Green Town: 60 years ago and these days

60 years ago:
Green Town was very small. There was one market, one bus stop, and a small hospital. There wasn't a supermarket. There wasn't a movie theater. There weren't any sports centers. There weren't any parking lots.

These days:
Green Town is a busy town. There are two supermarkets, a movie theater, three cafés, and a big sports center. There are many bus stops and parking lots. There is a new hospital, too.

Use: was / wasn't / were / weren't / is / are

1. Sixty years ago, Green Town _____ very small.
2. These days, Green Town _____ a busy town.
3. Sixty years ago, there _____ one market.
4. Sixty years ago, there _____ a movie theater.
5. Sixty years ago, there _____ any sports centers.
6. These days, there _____ two supermarkets.
7. These days, there _____ a big sports center.
8. These days, there _____ many bus stops and parking lots.

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Worksheet 2 – Then and Now

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Remember!

- 60 years ago / then / in those days = past
- these days / now = present
- There was / There were = past
- There is / There are = present

Task 3. Rewrite the sentences.
Use the words in brackets.

There is a supermarket now. (60 years ago / not)
→ Sixty years ago, there wasn't a supermarket.

1. There are many parking lots now. (60 years ago / not)
   → _____
2. There is a big sports center now. (in those days / not)
   → _____
3. There was one market in the past. (these days / many supermarkets)
   → _____
4. There weren't any cafés 60 years ago. (now / three cafés)
   → _____
5. There was a small hospital then. (these days / new hospital)
   → _____

Task 4. Write about Green Town then and now.
Use the information below. Write 5 sentences.

Green Town

	60 years ago	These days
Town:	small town	busy town
Market:	one market	many supermarkets
Movie theater:	no movie theater	a movie theater
Cafés:	no cafés	three cafés
Sports center:	no sports centers	a big sports center
Hospital:	a small hospital	a new hospital
Parking lots:	no parking lots	many parking lots

Start like this: Sixty years ago, Green Town was a small town.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Bonus Speaking

Talk about Green Town for 45–60 seconds.

- Hello teacher, my name is _____.
- Today, I'm talking about Green Town then and now.
- Sixty years ago, Green Town was _____.
- In those days, there was _____.
- There wasn't / There weren't _____.
- These days, Green Town is _____.
- Now, there is / there are _____.
- I like Green Town because _____.
- Thank you for listening.

Helpful words

small town, busy town, market, supermarket, movie theater, cafés, sports center, hospital, parking lots

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