



UNIT 3 - REVIEW EXERCISES

Topics Covered:

- Past Simple of "To Be"
- Past Simple (Regular Verbs)
- Past Simple (Irregular Verbs)
- Used To / Didn't Use To
- Time Expressions with the Past Tense
- Past Continuous (with "While" and "When")

◆ 1. Past Simple of "To Be"

Complete the sentences with **was**, **wasn't**, **were**, or **weren't**.

1. I _____ at school yesterday.
2. They _____ at home last night.
3. She _____ happy about the news.
4. We _____ tired after the long trip.
5. He _____ in class. He was sick.
6. You _____ very friendly at the party.

◆ 2. Past Simple – Regular Verbs

Write the past simple form of the verb in parentheses.



1. I _____ (wash) the dishes.
 2. They _____ (talk) on the phone.
 3. He _____ (walk) to work.
 4. We _____ (visit) our grandparents.
 5. She _____ (listen) to music.
 6. You _____ (start) a new job last week.
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◆ 3. Past Simple – Irregular Verbs

Write the past simple form of the irregular verbs in parentheses.

1. I _____ (go) to the store.
 2. He _____ (eat) all the cake.
 3. We _____ (have) a good time.
 4. They _____ (see) a movie.
 5. She _____ (take) the test.
 6. You _____ (make) a mistake.
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◆ 4. Used To / Didn't Use To

Complete the sentences using **used to** or **didn't use to**.

1. I _____ live in the city. Now I live in the country.



2. He _____ play the guitar, but he stopped.
3. We _____ eat vegetables, but now we do.
4. My dad _____ smoke, but he quit.
5. They _____ have a dog, but it ran away.
6. I _____ be shy, but now I'm confident.

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◆ 5. Time Expressions with the Past Tense

Fill in the blanks with a suitable time expression:

(yesterday, last year, in 2005, two days ago, when I was a child, last weekend)

1. I went to the beach _____.
2. We moved to this house _____.
3. She called me _____.
4. He studied Spanish _____.
5. I played outside a lot _____.
6. They visited Paris _____.

◆ 6. Past Continuous (With “While” and “When”)

Choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

1. I was cooking _____ the phone rang.
a) while
b) when
 2. He was reading a book _____ I arrived.
a) while
b) when
 3. _____ she was sleeping, someone knocked on the door.
a) While
b) When
 4. They were watching TV _____ their parents came home.
a) while
b) when
- I hurt my leg _____ I was playing football.
a) while
b) when



5. _____ we were eating dinner, the power went out.
- a) While
 - b) When
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Answer Key

1. Past Simple of "To Be"

- 1. was
- 2. were
- 3. was
- 4. were
- 5. wasn't
- 6. were

2. Past Simple – Regular Verbs

- 1. washed
- 2. talked
- 3. walked
- 4. visited
- 5. listened
- 6. started

3. Past Simple – Irregular Verbs

- 1. went
- 2. ate
- 3. had
- 4. saw
- 5. took
- 6. made

4. Used To / Didn't Use To

- 1. used to
- 2. used to
- 3. didn't use to



4. used to
5. used to
6. used to

5. Time Expressions with the Past Tense

(Answers may vary)

1. last weekend
2. in 2005
3. two days ago
4. last year
5. when I was a child
6. yesterday

6. Past Continuous (With “While” and “When”)

1. b) when
2. b) when
3. a) While
4. b) when
5. b) when
6. a) While

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