



Worksheet number (3) / Grammar

Name :		Subject:	Past simple/Past continuous/Used
Class:	Eighth Grade (A+B)	Date:	/ Oct / 2025

Learning objective : Students should be able to answer the questions correctly.

Question one.



Put the verbs in the Past Simple or the Past Continuous!

1. I (study) **while** I (listen) to music.
2. **When** I (come) home, I (feel) very tired.
3. **While** I (eat), my sister (get) ready to go out.
4. **As** he(mend) his bike, he (break) the horn.
5. Jane (wash) the dishes **while** Peter (mow) the lawn.
6. **When** the door (open), the headmaster came in.
7. **When** the accident (happen), I (drive) to work.
8. **As** I (walk) through the park, I (see) Lisa with her dog.
9. We (watch) a film on TV **while** Jade (play) games on the computer.
10. **When** it(start) to snow, they (fix) the fence in the garden.
11. I (write) an e-mail to Tom **when** the postman(deliver) his letter!
12. **When** I (leave) home yesterday, some dogs (sit) near the front gate.
13. John (not swim) at four o'clock. He (play) football.
14. Bob (lie) in the garden **when** it (start) to rain.
15. **As** I (put) the baby to bed, the phone (ring).

16. What you (do) **when** Dan (fall)?

Question two.

Complete the sentences with the correct form of USED TO and the verbs in brackets.

1. They next door to us a few years ago. (live)
2. you in a hotel when you were in London? (stay)
3. We a dog but we've got two now! (not have)
4. Pam picnic every Sunday when she was younger? (go)
5. Peter up early when he worked. (get)
6. they a smaller house last year? (own)
7. We fish when we were younger. (not eat)
8. I my bike every day when I was a child. (ride)
9. She a car five years ago. (not drive)
10. Simon a lot when he was a pilot. (travel)

Question three.

Put the verbs in brackets into the past Simple or the past Continuous.

1. The wind (**blow**) while John (**walk**) along the sea shore. The children (**play**) on the beach. A bus (**come**) around the corner and (**stop**) at the bus stop. John (**get on**) the bus and (**go**) to the city centre. He (**jump off**) the bus and (**cross**) the road. He (**walk**) towards the hotel when he (**hear**) someone calling his name. He (**turn**) around and (**see**) his friend Trevor. They (**go**) into the café for something to eat and a chat.
2. Last weekend Mary (**take**) her bike and (**ride**) to the lake. She (**meet**) her friends there and they (**go**) swimming. They (**sit**) in the sun but it soon (**begin**) to rain. They (**run**) for shelter under the trees. After a while it (**stop**) and they (**go**) home. They (**decide**) to go to the cinema and (**call**) a taxi to collect them. They (**enjoy**) the movie and (**be**) all very excited.

Question four.

Circle the correct option.

- 1- When I was a child I _____ like peanuts.
a- didn't use to b- wouldn't c- both are correct
- 2- In the morning, he _____ sit on the front porch and read.
a- used to b- would c- both are possible
- 3- Which sentence is **NOT** correct?
a- I would go shopping with her every Friday.
b- I would have very blond hair.
c- She would call me after class to chat.
- 4- I _____ wear glasses when I was at university.
a- didn't use to b- wouldn't c- both are correct
- 5- When the weather was bad, I _____ stay home and read comic books.
a- used to b- would c- both are possible
- 6- How many friends _____ have?
a- did you use to b- would you c- both are possible
- 7- Which sentence is **NOT** correct?
a- I didn't use to like cheese when I was younger.
b- I didn't use to walk home after school.
c- As a child, I would hate having to get up early.
- 8- When I was a child, we _____ live in the countryside.
a- used to b- would c- both are possible
- 9- On Sundays, my mum _____ wake us up and cook pancakes.
a- used to b- would c- both are possible
- 10- My brother and I _____ fight all the time.
a- used to b- would c- both are possible



