

Worksheet number (2) / Unit Two

Name:		Subject:	Past Tenses
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The Mysterious World...

Objective: Students should be able to be familiar with new usages.

Tenses...Unit Two...

1. Simple Past...

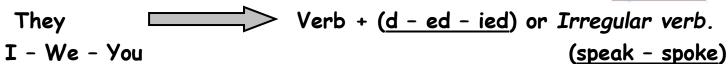
We use it to talk about:

- a. things that <u>started and finished in the past.</u>
 He visit<u>ed</u> his aunt yesterday.
- b. things that happened <u>one</u> after the <u>other</u> in the past. He got dressed, went downstairs and had breakfast.
- c. things that happened often or were <u>habits</u> in the past. They <u>played</u> hockey when they <u>were at school</u>.
- d. past states..

I was exhausted after the show.

The Form...

He - She - It



Negative: Sub + didn't + verb (inf.)+com.

Inter: Did + Sub + Verb (inf.)+ com?

Time Expressions with the Simple Past...

last - week, month, year, summer, night a week ago - a month ago.

Yesterday - the day before yesterday- in 1998 - on Sunday.

When I was five years old - In December- on 30th June.



+ Affirmative



- I lived in London. + Affirmative:
- She lived in Paris. + Affirmative:
- He watched a movie. + Affirmative:
- They wanted a holiday. + Affirmative:

There is only one form of each verb in the past simple tense.*

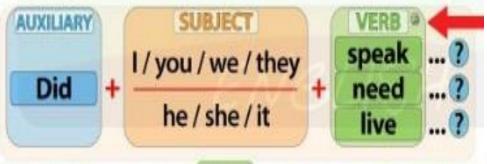
* The exception is TO BE which has two forms: was and were.

Negative

VERB 4 SUBJECT **AUXILIARY** speak I/you/we/they didn't need + he/she/it live

- + Affirmative:
- I lived in Spain.
- I didn't live in Spain. - Negative:
- + Affirmative:
- Negative:
- He watched a movie.
- He didn't watch a movie.

? Question



- + Affirmative:
- You lived in Italy. Did you live in Italy? ? Question:
- + Affirmative:
- ? Question:
- She watched a movie. Did she watch a movie?

2. Past Continuous...

We use it to talk about:

- a. actions that were in progress at a <u>particular time in the past</u>. I was writing a letter <u>at five o'clock</u> in the morning.
- b. two or more actions that were in progress <u>at the same time in</u> the past.

Mum was making lunch and Dad was gardening.

He was washing the car and listening to the radio.

c. for setting the scene of a story.

The sun was shining and the birds were singing in the trees.

The wind was blowing and it was raining.

The Form...

He - She - It - I was + verb- ing + com.

They- We - You were + verb - ing + com.

Negative: Sub + wasn't + verb (ing) + com.

Sub + weren't + verb (ing) + com.

Inter: Was + Sub + Verb (ing) + com?

Were + Sub + Verb (ing) + com?

Time Expressions with the Past Continuous...

1. When:

When I got home, my friends were waiting for me.

She <u>was eating</u> her dinner <u>when</u> I arrived.

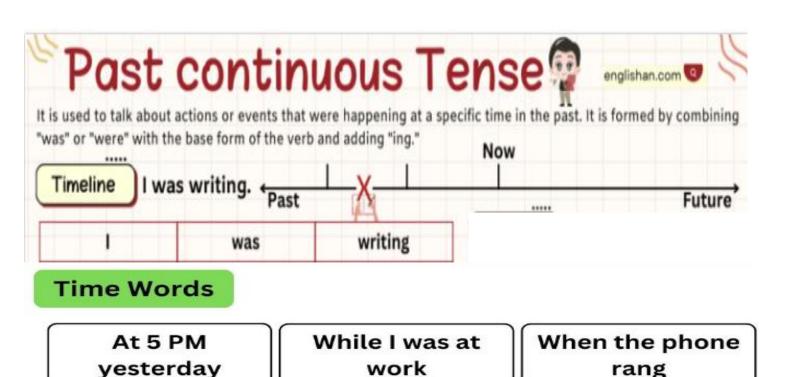
2. While:

While I was working, mum was making lunch.

It was raining while I was sleeping

While he was driving along the road, a dog ran in front of his car.

3. as - at ten o'clock last night.



Structure

Sub + was/were (sing/plur) + V₁+ ing

Examples

She was cooking dinner.

They were watching a movie.

I was studying for the test.

He was playing the guitar.

The kids were playing in the garden.



Structure

Sub + wasn't/weren't (sing/plur) + V1+ ing

Examples

- She was not cooking dinner.
- They were not watching a movie.
- I was not studying for the test.
- He was not playing the guitar.
 It was not raining heavily.



Structure

was/were (sing/plur) + sub+ V1+ -ing +?

Examples

- Was she cooking dinner?
- Were they watching a movie?
- Was I studying for the test?
- Was he playing the guitar?
- Were the kids playing in the garden?

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