

1 Circle the correct options.

- I wasn't / weren't at school yesterday. It was a holiday.
- We was / were happy at the party last night. It was fun.
- You wasn't / weren't at home this morning.
- How many people was / were at the cinema?
- Was / Were your brother at the rugby match yesterday? It was a brilliant game.

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

- I was at the park yesterday afternoon. (+)
- It a great classical music concert. (-)
- My friends happy at the barbecue. (+)
- Daniela at the pop gig yesterday. (-)
- You late for the tennis match. (+)

3 Match the beginnings and the endings of the sentences and questions.

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| 1 Were | | C |
| 2 Why | | |
| 3 We were | | |
| 4 It was | | |
| 5 Was | | |
- A** happy with our test marks.
B the school lunch horrible?
C you nervous before the competition?
D wasn't Jackie at school yesterday?
E sunny in the park.

4 Put the words in order to make sentences and questions.

- weekend / last / were / Where / you
Where were you last weekend?
- school / He / a / student / brilliant / was / at
.....
- wasn't / was / young / I / when / happy / I
.....
- was / yesterday / time / What / concert / the
.....?
- were / party / the / There / lot / the / people / a / at / of
.....

5 Complete the conversations with was, were, wasn't or weren't.

- A: Where were you last Saturday?
B: I was at the cinema with my friends.
- A: Were you nervous before the football game?
B: No, we
- A: John at the party?
B: I don't know.

- A: We at a good restaurant last week.
B: The new one in the centre? I know. It's great!
- A: Was the concert OK?
B: Yes, great! The singer awesome!

6 Circle the correct options.

- Was he sad when he was young? Yes, he was / wasn't.
- Was John at school yesterday? No, he was / wasn't.
- Paula is / was here last weekend.
- Where were / was you last night?
- Who is / was with you in the park yesterday?
- They weren't / wasn't happy with the test.

7 Complete Clara's email with the words in the box.

are having 'm was wasn't were weren't

Reply Forward

Subject: _____

From: _____

To: _____

Date: _____

Hi Lydia!

How ¹ are you? Last weekend was great!

I ² happy because it was my birthday.

I ³ usually at home in the evening but last weekend I ⁴ at home. I was at a party! I was surprised with my present. It was a beautiful guitar. All my friends ⁵ at the party and there was very good hip-hop music so we ⁶ bored. I always love ⁷ birthday parties.

Love, Clara



PRONUNCIATION was/were



8 Listen and repeat the conversations. The underlined words have the weak form /ə/.

- A: How was your weekend? Was it OK?
B: Yes, it was lovely.
- A: How was at the badminton match on Saturday?
B: I wasn't there. I was on holiday.
- A: They were 30 minutes late for school.
B: Was the teacher angry?
- A: Were you at the concert yesterday?
B: Yes, I was there with Megan.
- A: The party wasn't just OK, it was wonderful!
B: I know! It was great!
- A: I was at the game on Sunday.
B: We weren't there. We were at the cinema.

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- 2 were
- 3 weren't
- 4 were
- 5 Was

2

- 2 wasn't
- 3 were
- 4 wasn't
- 5 were

3

- 2 D
- 3 A
- 4 E
- 5 B

4

- 2 He was a brilliant student at school.
- 3 I wasn't happy when I was young.
- 4 What time was the concert yesterday?
- 5 There were a lot of people at the party.

5

- 2 weren't
- 3 Was
- 4 were
- 5 was

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-  2 wasn't
- 3 was
- 4 were
- 5 was
- 6 weren't

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- 2 was
- 3 'm
- 4 wasn't
- 5 were
- 6 weren't
- 7 having