

## 01 Study.

## Simple Past Tense

We use “Simple Past Tense” to talk about **events** or **states** in the past.

## Affirmative (+)

- I **moved** to Madrid five years ago.
- I **went** to Spain with my friends last summer. It was magnificent.

## Negative (-)

- We **didn't go** out yesterday, it was rainy.
- Martin **didn't go** to school yesterday. He **didn't feel** well.

## Interrogative (?)

- **Did** you sleep late last night?
- **What time did** you sleep last night?
- **Where did** you stay last summer?

## 02 Complete the sentences about your summer. Use the correct form of the verbs below.

listen

get up

~~go~~

watch

learn

have

visit

~~play~~

- I ..... **went** ..... to the beach.
- I ..... **didn't play** ..... volleyball with my friends.
- I ..... how to swim.
- I ..... some museums.
- I ..... to music every evening.
- I ..... movies.
- I ..... late every day.
- I ..... a big breakfast with my family.

## 03 Study.

## USED TO

We use “used to” to talk about **a past situation** or **habit** that continued for a long time and to emphasize that the situation is **different today**.

## Affirmative (+)

- I **used to** watch cartoons on TV for hours when I was a child, but now I hate watching TV.
- We **used to** go camping when we were young. However, we now prefer all-inclusive hotels.

## Negative (-)

- Frank **didn't use to** text messages, but now he spends hours chatting online.
- There **didn't use to** be any skyscrapers in Istanbul many years ago. Now, there are a lot of tall buildings.

## Interrogative (?)

- **Did** you **use to** eat candies when you were a child?
- Where **did** you **used to** live when you were in primary school?
- How **did** you **use to** spend time when you were young?

#### 04/ Categorize the phrases as “past” or “new” habits. Then write sentences as in the example.

• use maps	• hang the clothes out	• use navigation
• travel on horseback	• send letters	• watch black and white TVs
• watch curved TV	• travel by plane	• live in flats
	• live in caves	• use dryer machine
		• text messages

  

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PAST HABITS</b></p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red;">live in caves</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NEW HABITS</b></p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red;">live in flats</p>
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1. People used to live in caves but now they live in flats.
2. ....
3. ....
4. ....
5. ....
6. ....

#### 05/ Match the sentences.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>1</b> Martin didn't use to like watching documentaries,</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>a.</b> now we get on very well.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>2</b> Kate used to smoke very much,</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>b.</b> because I didn't have a car.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>3</b> Jason and I used to argue a lot,</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>c.</b> but now he loves.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>4</b> I used to eat junk food when I was young,</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>d.</b> but now it's very short.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>5</b> I used to have long hair,</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>e.</b> but now I prefer healthy food.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>6</b> I used to go to work on foot,</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>f.</b> but she gave up three years ago.</p>

**06/ Complete the sentences with “used to” or “didn’t use to”.**

1. People \_\_\_\_\_ have smartphones in 1980s.
2. Mike \_\_\_\_\_ do sports when he was younger. He doesn’t anymore.
3. When Aziz Sancar was a kid, he \_\_\_\_\_ live in a small village. Now he lives in the USA.
4. Transportation \_\_\_\_\_ be easy in the past.
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ have any friends at secondary school, but now I have many.
6. People \_\_\_\_\_ send postcards on special days in the past.

**07/ Fill in the blanks with simple past tense or the correct form of used to.**

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in London, but I moved to İstanbul two years ago.
2. Kemal Sunal \_\_\_\_\_ (be) born in 1944 and \_\_\_\_\_ (die) in 2000.
3. George and I \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) Louvre Museum last year.
4. Bruce \_\_\_\_\_ (like) maths when he was a student, but he finds it interesting now.
5. **Nina:** What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (do) after school yesterday?  
**Martin:** I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to Helen’s birthday party. It was fun.
6. Tina \_\_\_\_\_ (travel) a lot when she was single. These days, she doesn’t go anywhere.
7. Kate \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) her job and \_\_\_\_\_ (start) working at a new restaurant last month.
8. I \_\_\_\_\_ (do) exercise, but now I started to go the gym last month.

# 08 Choose the best option to fill in the blanks.

1 I used to live in the countryside.  
Now I ---- in a city now.

- A) living                      B) lived  
C) lives                        D) live

2 When my mother was younger, she ---- long,  
blonde hair.

- A) used to have              B) has  
C) having                      D) was having

3 I had a wonderful childhood. I ---- different  
games with my friends in the school garden.

- A) playing                      B) will play  
C) used to play                D) am playing

4 ---- you used to drink milk  
when you were a child?

- A) Was                          B) Did  
C) Were                        D) Do

5 Jack used to spend too much money, ---- he  
saves his money.

- A) yesterday                  B) but now  
C) never                        D) in the future

6 Kate ---- study regularly, but now she studies  
every day after school.

- A) didn't use to                B) doesn't  
C) used to                      D) was studying

7 When I was a student I ---- eat fast food, but  
now I eat healthy food.

- A) don't                        B) didn't use to  
C) was                         D) used to

8 People ---- have televisions in the 18th  
century.

- A) used to                      B) don't  
C) didn't use to                D) weren't

9 I used to like going to the gym.  
Now I ---- have time.

- A) don't                        B) am not  
C) will                          D) didn't

10 When I was a child, my family ---- in a  
village. Now, we live in London.

- A) use live                      B) was living  
C) used to live                D) live

11 My father used to go fishing when he was  
younger. He ---- anymore.

- A) didn't                        B) wasn't  
C) won't                        D) doesn't

12 Linda ---- at school at 9 yesterday morning.

- A) used to arrive              B) arrived  
C) is arriving                D) was arriving

13 People ---- sneakers with formal clothes in  
the past, but it's quite fashionable today.

- A) used to wear                B) weren't wear  
C) didn't use to wear        D) were wearing

14 My friends and I ---- many celebrities  
at the festival last week.

- A) saw                         B) was seeing  
C) used to see                D) didn't use to