



PAST SIMPLE - TO BE

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We use the past simple to talk about things which happened in the past



- ★ I wasn't at home last night.
- ★ My parents were at the cinema.
- ★ John was on holiday.
- ★ Were you here?

positive sentences

singular

I was

You were

He was

She was

It was

plural

We were

You were

They were

negative sentences

We put *NOT* after *was*.

WAS NOT

Short form - WASN'T

We put *NOT* after *were*.

WERE NOT

Short form - WEREN'T

★ They were not at the cinema.

★ I was not ill.

questions

we put was or were before subject

- ★ Were you at home?
- ★ Was Maria shopping?
- ★ Were your parents at the theatre?

TRANSLATE

Měl jsem hlad.

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Rodiče byli doma.

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Byli jste loni na dovolené?

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Včera jsem nebyl v kině.

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Byl jsi na mě naštvaný?

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