

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

GRAMMAR QUIZ

PAST SIMPLE vs PRESENT SIMPLE

- Choose the best answers.

- I didn't ... the answer to the last test question yesterday.**
 - know
 - knew
 - knows
- (A) Are you busy now?**
(B) Yes, I
 - are
 - was
 - am
- How many people ... at the meeting last week?**
 - were
 - was
 - are
- I ... a new pair of sunglasses on Saturday.**
 - buy
 - bought
 - buys
- Why ... Mr. and Mrs. Smith at home an hour ago?**
 - weren't
 - don't
 - aren't
- Do you ... it will rain later this afternoon?**
 - thought
 - think
 - thinks
- My little brother ... cartoons on TV every weekend last month.**
 - watch
 - watches
 - watched
- I ... go shopping last night because I was too tired.**
 - wasn't
 - am not
 - didn't
- Did Tom and Patrick ... to school last week?**
 - go
 - went
 - goes
- ... you at the company meeting last Tuesday?**
 - Was
 - Did
 - Were
- Where ... Kelly go to high school last year?**
 - is
 - was
 - did
- Did Tommy ... the last cookie from the cookie jar this morning?**
 - took
 - takes
 - take
- (A) Were you at work this morning?**
(B) Yes, I
 - were
 - was
 - am
- Where ... you and your family travel on your holiday?**
 - were
 - did
 - was
- Who ... your science teacher last year?**
 - were
 - was
 - did
- James wasn't on the basketball team before, but he ... now.**
 - was
 - does
 - is

15 – 16 = Excellent

13 – 14 = Good

12 or Less = Study More!

Grammar Focus Past Simple vs Present Simple

Level Elementary to Intermediate

ANSWER KEY

My Notes



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|------|-------|
| 1. A | 9. A |
| 2. C | 10. C |
| 3. A | 11. C |
| 4. B | 12. A |
| 5. A | 13. B |
| 6. B | 14. B |
| 7. C | 15. B |
| 8. C | 16. C |

Grades as percentages

- 16 / 16 = 100%
- 15 / 16 = 94
- 14 / 16 = 88
- 13 / 16 = 81
- 12 / 16 = 75
- 11 / 16 = 69
- 10 / 16 = 63
- 9 / 16 = 56
- 8 / 16 = 50
- 7 / 16 = 44
- 6 / 16 = 38
- 5 / 16 = 31
- 4 / 16 = 25
- 3 / 16 = 19
- 2 / 16 = 13
- 1 / 16 = 6
- 0 / 16 = 0%