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GRAMMAR QUIZ

PAST SIMPLE (Regular Verbs)

Answer these sixteen questions to score your knowledge of PAST SIMPLE grammar.

1. My classmate and I … our teacher a question about the test.
   a) ask
   b) asked
   c) was asking

2. John wanted to … work yesterday but he was sick.
   a) go to
   b) went
   c) go

3. They … to the park because they were very tired.
   a) no walk
   b) not walk
   c) didn’t walk

4. (A) Did you talk to your boss?  
   (B) Yes, I ….
   a) talked
   b) did
   c) was

5. He … twenty minutes for the bus yesterday.
   a) waits
   b) waited
   c) was wait

6. (A) … they fix their bicycles?  
   (B) Yes, they …. 
   a) Did / did 
   b) Were / did 
   c) Did / fixed

7. Where … you go to school when you were young? 
   a) did
   b) does
   c) were

8. They … go camping in a park when they were children. 
   a) didn’t like
   b) liked
   c) liked to

9. I had to … dinner last night, so I couldn’t watch the TV program.
   a) cook
   b) cooking
   c) cooked

10. (A) Did you … the book?  
    (B) No, I ….  
    a) finish / not finish
    b) finishing / wasn’t
    c) finish / didn’t

11. Why … you wash the dirty dishes last week? 
    a) didn’t
    b) not
    c) weren’t

12. He … see a dentist yesterday because he had a toothache.
    a) want
    b) wanted to
    c) wants to

13. I … at the library very late last night.
    a) did stayed
    b) stayed
    c) was stayed

14. Mr. Johnson … for help when he fell in the water.
    a) was shout
    b) shouts
    c) shouted

15. She didn’t answer the phone because she … hear it ring.  
    a) didn’t
    b) weren’t
    c) wasn’t

16. I … tennis yesterday because I don’t know how to play tennis.
    a) didn’t played
    b) not played
    c) didn’t play

15 – 16 = Excellent  
13 – 14 = Good  
12 or Less = Study More!

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**Grammar Focus**: Past simple (Regular Verbs)  
**Level**: Intermediate

### Answer Key

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