English Grammar Workbook Series: Present to Past

This workbook contains sentences in present and a space below them where the student can practice writing the past version of the sentence. Answers are given at the end of the file. This can be used as a homework, classwork for beginners in english language learning.

For example:

Present - The boy writes a letter. Past - The boy wrote a letter.

Another example:

Present - Is he sick? Past - Was he sick?

1. He wants a friend.
2. She goes to school.
3. I am happy here.
4. You are not here.
5. Where is he?
6. Why are you not coming here?
7. Is there a problem?
8. Who is that in the black car?
9. My friend is coming to the town this Tuesday.

10. My daughter is happy.
11. Is your boss in the city?
12. He wants a different chocolate.
13. She works at school.
14. John is not happy here.
15. He is from Sydney.
16. Who knows this?
17. What is your uncle's name?
18. He uses his left hand to write.

19. Are you serious?
20. Why don't you tell me the problem?
21. are you scared?
22. I jump when I am happy.
23. This cartoon scares me.
24. Is there some work for me?
25. Is honey sweeter than milk?
26. You are welcome to this poor house.
27. Is there an umbrella with you?

28. You can not imagine my excitement for this movie.
29. Can someone help me?
30. He should come here sometimes.
31. Why is everyone not in the office?
32. He amazes me everytime I see him.
33. Does the milk have water in it?
34. Pen writes.
35. The driver makes jokes when he is happy.
36. There is a war going on but people do not notice it.

37. My son is depressed.
38. Is your wife pregnant?
39. Can someone tell me where the hospital is?
40. He checks the news sometimes.
41. Why is everyone crying?

Answers

- 1. He wanted a friend.
- 2. She went to school.
- 3. I was happy here.
- 4. You were not here.
- 5. Where was he?
- 6. Why were you not coming here?
- 7. Was there a problem?
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