

Verb "To Be" – Past

Aprenda o passado do verbo "to be.

Tudo o que era is, am - was
Tudo o que era are - were

I was - eu era, estava, fui
You were - você era, estava, foi
He was - ele era, estava, foi
She was - ela era, estava, foi
It was - isso era, estava, foi (ê uaz)
We were - nós éramos, estávamos, fomos
They were - eles (as), eram, estavam, foram

Adjectives / adjetivos: shy (tímido) – cold (com frio) – hungry (com fome) – thirsty (com sede) – embarrassed (envergonhado) – tired (cansado) – sleepy (com sono) – grumpy (mal-humorado) – anxious (ansioso) – nauseous “nóxiãs” (enjoados)

Verbs / Verbos: speaking (falando) – writing (escrevendo) – running (correndo) – walking (caminhando) – talking (conversando) – working (trabalhando) – cooking (cozinhando) – studying (estudando) – sending (enviando) – typing (digitando) – raining (chovendo) – drizzling (garoando)

Lugares / places: at home (em casa) – at a party (em uma festa) – at school – at the pharmacy (fármacia) – at the supermarket – at the gym (na academia) – at church – at the hospital

Profissões / professions: a lawyer (um advogado) – a doctor – a nurse – a teacher – professors – firefighters – an analyst – a manager (gerente) – a coordinator – a director (teacher – professor de escola/curso professor – professor de universidade)

Advérbios de tempo

yesterday – ontem

last week – semana passada

last night – noite passada

last month – mês passado

last year – ano passado

this morning – esta manhã

one week ago – uma semana atrás

one year ago – um ano atrás

Advérbios de lugar

here – aqui

there – lá, aí

Negativa: feita assim
como com o verbo to be
no presente, adicionando
o not na frente.

As abreviações ficam:
wasn't e weren't.

Interrogativo: Passamos o
was e o were para antes
do sujeito.

**Vamos colocar as frases a seguir no
modo negativo e interrogativo**

I was here yesterday

Was I here yesterday?

I wasn't here yesterday

You were there last night

Were you there last night?

You weren't there last night

I was there two hours ago

Interrogativa:

Negativa:

You were at a restaurant four weeks ago

Interrogativa:

Negativa:

He was here last month

Interrogativa:

Negativa:

She was at home yesterday

Interrogativa:

Negativa:

It was working last night

Interrogativa:

Negativa:

We were at the hospital one week ago

Interrogativa:

Negativa:

They were cooking this morning

Interrogativa:

Negativa:

Reading Practice

Yesterday, I was feeling very tired after a long day at work. The weather was gloomy and it was raining heavily outside. My coworkers were also exhausted, and we were all looking forward to going home. When I arrived at my apartment, I was happy to see that my roommate was already there. She was watching TV and drinking tea. We chatted for a while about our day, and then I went to bed early because I was so exhausted. Despite the rain and the fatigue, it was a good day overall.

Vocabulary

Yesterday, I was feeling very tired after a long day at work. The weather was gloomy and it was raining heavily outside.

tired – cansado

weather – tempo/clima

gloomy – escuro

heavily – pesado (mente)

outside – do lado de fora

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coworkers – colegas de trabalho

also – também

to look forward to – estar ansioso para

arrived – cheguei

roommate – colega de quarto

already – já

She was watching TV and drinking tea. We chatted for a while about our day, and then I went to bed early because I was so exhausted. Despite the rain and the fatigue, it was a good day overall.

chatted – conversamos

for a while – por um tempo

our – nosso (auêr)

and then – e depois, e então

early – cedo

despite – apesar de

overall – de modo geral

Conversation questions

Where were you born? – Onde você nasceu?

(I was born in...)

What was your favorite subject in school? – Qual era sua matéria favorita na escola?

(My favorite subject in school was...)

Were you at home last night? – Você estava em casa na noite passada?

(Yes, I was... / No, I wasn't...)

Was the weather good during your last vacation? – O clima estava bom durante suas últimas férias?

(Yes, it was... / No, it wasn't...)

Who was your best friend when you were a child? – Quem era seu melhor amigo quando você era criança?

(My best friend was...)

Were you tired after work yesterday? – Você estava cansado após o trabalho ontem?

(Yes, I was... / No, I wasn't...)

Where was your last vacation? – Onde foram suas últimas férias?

(My last vacation was in...)

Were you ever afraid of the dark? – Você já teve medo do escuro?

(Yes, I was... / No, I wasn't...)

Was your first job challenging? – Seu primeiro emprego foi desafiador?

(Yes, it was... / No, it wasn't...)

Were you busy last weekend? – Você estava ocupado no último fim de semana?

(Yes, I was... / No, I wasn't...)