## EXERCICIS DE PASSAT SIMPLE I PASSAT CONTINU,

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## EXERCISES ON THE SIMPLE PAST.

Name $\qquad$ Group:
A. Write the past simple of the following verbs
open-opened
love - $\qquad$ plan - $\qquad$ empty- $\qquad$ Fry - $\qquad$ smoke- $\qquad$
play - $\qquad$ quarrel - $\qquad$ try - $\qquad$ die - $\qquad$ cry - $\qquad$ regret - $\qquad$

## B. Fill in the blanks with the present simple or the past simple of the verb TO BE.

Today I am at home. It $\qquad$ Saturday morning and it $\qquad$ very cold. It's only a month since my family and I $\qquad$ on holiday in Portugal. The weather
$\qquad$ fantastic; it $\qquad$ really hot and sunny. We $\qquad$ all happy then. I $\qquad$ missing the sun and the sea. Well, it $\qquad$ nice to be back home with all my friends.

Name $\qquad$

## A) SIMPLE PAST

## A. Fill in the blanks with the past simple of the verb in brackets.

1. He helped (helped) his friend.
2. They $\qquad$ (decide) to go on a trip.
3. She $\qquad$ (visit) her grandmother.
4. His parents $\qquad$ (permit) him to go on a trip.
5. Jack $\qquad$ (enjoy) the film.
6. Mr. Rogers $\qquad$ (reply) to the letter.
7. Janet $\qquad$ (close) the door.
8. Bob and Susan $\qquad$ (plant) flowers in the garden.
9. The dog $\qquad$ (beg) for food.
10. Her husband $\qquad$ (taste) the cake.

## B. Fill in the blanks with the past simple of the verb in brackets.

1. We $\qquad$ (see) them in the park yesterday.
2. They $\qquad$ (write) two letters last week.
3. Rina $\qquad$ (give) him a watch for his birthday.
4. They $\qquad$ (have) chicken for dinner.
5. The children $\qquad$ (go) to a film.
6. Harry $\qquad$ (buy) a new radio.
7. He $\qquad$ (come) to my house last night.
8. His uncle $\qquad$ (pay) for the toy.
9. The singers $\qquad$ (sing) a new song on television.
10. Mr. Hyde $\qquad$ (teach) English last year.
11. The dog $\qquad$ (bite) the boy.
12. They $\qquad$ (ride) their bicycles to school yesterday.
C. Rewrite the following sentences in the simple past. Change the time expressions in the sentence for those given in brackets.
13. He often practises the piano. (last week)

## He practised the piano last week

2. The twins seldom visit their cousins in Rome. (a year ago)
3. We play football in the park on Sundays. (often)
4. They visit the museum once a month. (last week)
5. He washes his car every day. (once a month)
6. The doctor checks the patient every week. (the day before yesterday)
7. They worry about money all the time. (never)

He rarely goes to the cinema. (many months ago)
D. Write sentences in the simple past using the words given.

1. Tammy / buy / yesterday / some / clothes

Tammy bought some clothes yesterday
2. Roger / pizza / for lunch / eat / last Wednesday.
3. We / last summer / in the lake / swim
4. Eric / run / yesterday / all the way to school.
5. The trees / last winter / fall / in the storm.
6. The visitors / coffee / have / last night.
7. She / give / yesterday / the baby / a bottle.

The children / last year / on a camel / ride.

Donna / the book / lay / last week / on the table.
10. Sally / about a party / last night / dream.
11. Fred / basketball / yesterday / play.
12. The children / last week / the window / break / at school.
E. Rewrite the following sentences in the negative form using the words in brackets.

1. Betty bought some eggs. (any meat)

## Betty didn't buy any meat

2. Al called his sister. (his brother)
3. Fred and Wilma wanted a new house. (a new car)
4. She put salt in the food. (in the sauce)
5. Our family watched the news. (the film)
6. I saw the forest. (the river)
7. The stranger wore a coat. (a hat)

The children went to the beach. (to the zoo)

Jean ate some oranges. (any apples)
10. She broke the plate. (the cup)
F. Use the appropiate wh-question to ask about the underlined words.

1. Where did John go on Sunday?

John went to the stadium on Sunday.
2.

She received many presents on her birthday.
3.

Larry won first prize in the tennis tournament.
4.

Joey wrote the best story..
5.

The tour group travelled across Europe.
6.

Sammy ate eggs, toast and cereal this morning.
7. $\qquad$

The little girl saw the car.
8. $\qquad$
Jill heard a loud scream last night.
9. $\qquad$
He gave her a watch for her birthday.
10.

The students wrote a story in class.

## B) PAST CONTINUOUS

## A. Rewrite the following sentences in the negative form using the words in brackets. <br> 1. He was wearing a hat. (boots)

## He wasn't wearing boots

2. She was preparing breakfast. (cook dinner)
3. The children were watching TV. (do homework)
4. Bob was playing football. (practise the piano)
5. Mrs Evans was teaching us arithmetic. (give a test)
B. You went to a party at your friend Pedro's house. You arrived early. What were the family doing?. These words will help you
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When I arrived:
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1. Peter's mother was cooking dinner
2. Peter's sister
3. Peter's baby brother $\qquad$
4. Peter's father $\qquad$
5. Peter's
6. Peter's grandfather $\qquad$ while his grandmother $\qquad$

## C) PAST SIMPLE AND CONTINUOUS

A. Fill in the blanks with the past continuous or the simple past of the verb in brackets

1. She was feeding the baby while I $\qquad$ (read) a book.
2. The children were studying for the exam while they $\qquad$ (wait) for the teacher.
3. When his mother $\qquad$ (come) into the room, the baby wasn't crying.
4. Mary and Mike were swimming when it $\qquad$ (start) to rain.
5. While the children $\qquad$ (watch) television, Christina was making dinner.
6. I was taking a shower when the phone $\qquad$ (ring).
7. He $\qquad$ (wait) for the bus when his father arrived in his car.
8. George was leaving the library when he $\qquad$ (see) his friend.
D. Write Wh-questions using the information given. Remember to write the verbs in the appropiate tense. Use the past continuous at least once in each sentence.
9. What / you / do / when / the phone / ring

## What were you doing when the phone rang?

2. What / the children / watch / on television / when / you / come / home

## 3. What / you / cook / when / I / call / you

4. Where / she / sit / when / you / see / her
5. What / programme / you / watch / between / 9 and 10 o'clock
6. Who / he / dance / with / at the party
7. What / you / do / when / you / hear / the news

Who / you / talk to / when / the teacher / come in 9.

What / you / listen to / on the radio / as / I / walk in
10. What / the children / argue about / before / they / go to bed / last night

## PAST SIMPLE AND CONTINUOUS

A. Fill in the blanks with the past simple or past continuous of the verbs in brackets.

1. Last night, while I $\qquad$ (read), someone $\qquad$ (knock) at the door.
2. We $\qquad$ (see) a good film while we $\qquad$ (fly) to New York.
3. The children $\qquad$ (play) in the garden when it $\qquad$ (star) to rain.
4. When the teacher $\qquad$ (enter) the room, everyone $\qquad$ (talk) each other.
5. All the pupils $\qquad$ (talk) when the teacher $\qquad$ (come) in.
6. What $\qquad$ (you / do) when the fire $\qquad$ (break out).
7. The dog $\qquad$ (bark) when it $\qquad$ (hear) a strange noise.
8. While Mary $\qquad$ (practise) the violin, her brother $\qquad$ (try) to do his homework.
9. The children $\qquad$ (have) such fun that they $\qquad$ (not want) to get out of the swimming-pool.
10. I $\qquad$ (use) my computer at the same time as my brother (do) his homework.
