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Grammar in Context 1, Seventh Edition, Unit 7

INSTRUCTIONS: Choose the sentence that is in the simple past.

- _____ 1.
a. We made sandwiches for lunch.
b. We make sandwiches for lunch.
- _____ 2.
a. The birds fly by our house.
b. The birds flew by our house.
- _____ 3.
a. Maria is a doctor.
b. Maria was a doctor.
- _____ 4.
a. The patients come in the morning.
b. The patients came in the morning.

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete each sentence with the correct simple past verb from the box.

Ex:	Gary <u>wanted</u> a burger for lunch.
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sold	stopped	hit	rested	needed	wanted
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5. George _____ money to pay his rent.
6. The Taylors _____ us their car.
7. I _____ all day Saturday.
8. The police officer _____ us on the road.
9. The car _____ a large tree.

INSTRUCTIONS: Read each sentence. Write the base form of the underlined simple past verb on the line.

Ex:	Rob <u>repaired</u> the bike quickly. <u>repair</u>
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10. We studied all night. _____
11. Sara opened the windows. _____
12. We gave the doctor all the information. _____

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13. It started to rain in the afternoon. _____
14. Max wrote his essay in twenty minutes. _____
15. The accident happened at home. _____
16. My computer died while I was backing up my files. _____
17. Julie lived with us for a while. _____
18. The vacation price included food and hotel cost. _____
19. It was a really hot day. _____

INSTRUCTIONS: Unscramble the words to form a statement or question. Begin with a capital letter and use the punctuation given.

Ex:	people / were / there / outside / . There were people outside.
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20. best friend / Greg / was / in college / your / .

21. a cake / was / on the table / there / ?

22. the best / was / dancer / who / ?

23. last night / you / were / where / ?

24. in 1985 / a student / was / I / not / .

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INSTRUCTIONS: Complete each sentence with *was* or *were*.

Ex:	You <u>were</u> the first person on the list.
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25. Jack and Marty _____ in class yesterday.
26. George Washington _____ the first president of the United States.
27. We _____ not late to class.
28. There _____ three men in the room.
29. I _____ not home on Sunday afternoon.

INSTRUCTIONS: Read the *Yes/No* question. Then complete the short answer. Use contractions where possible.

Ex:	A: Were you a teacher? B: Yes, <u>I was</u> .
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30. A: Was there a concert last night?
B: No, _____.
31. A: Were my sisters at home?
B: Yes, _____.
32. A: Was Luke born in the United States?
B: Yes, _____.
33. A: Were you tired?
B: No, _____.
34. A: Were there many people at the store?
B: Yes, _____.

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete each sentence with the simple past form of the verb in parentheses.

Ex:	Barb <u>moved</u> (move) from an apartment into a house.
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35. I _____ (talk) to my sister last night.
36. We _____ (change) trains in Chicago.

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37. Linda _____ (walk) home from work yesterday.
38. The team _____ (want) to practice on Saturday morning.
39. My brother _____ (cook) dinner for everyone.
40. When the doorbell rang, I _____ (open) the door.
41. The Wright brothers _____ (dream) about flying over 100 years ago.
42. They _____ (design) several different planes.
43. They _____ (work) on the designs for many years.
44. They _____ (love) building airplanes.

INSTRUCTIONS: Write the simple past form of each verb.

Ex:	carry	<u>carried</u>
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45. happen _____
46. play _____
47. admit _____

INSTRUCTIONS: Rewrite each sentence using the simple past form of the verb.

Ex:	She cooks dinner.
	<u>She cooked dinner.</u>

48. They listen to the pilot.
- _____

49. I show my friends the model airplanes.
- _____

50. The flight attendants smile a lot.
- _____

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51. The children prefer to stay home.

INSTRUCTIONS: Choose the correct *-ed* pronunciation for each past verb.

- _____ 52. waited
a. /t/
b. /d/
c. /əd/

- _____ 53. fixed
a. /t/
b. /d/
c. /əd/

- _____ 54. learned
a. /t/
b. /d/
c. /əd/

- _____ 55. moved
a. /t/
b. /d/
c. /əd/

- _____ 56. wished
a. /t/
b. /d/
c. /əd/

- _____ 57. loved
a. /t/
b. /d/
c. /əd/

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete each sentence with the simple past form of the verb in parentheses.

Ex:	Wilbur and Orville Wright <u>became</u> (become) famous for inventing the first successful airplane.
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58. The Wright brothers _____ (feel) excited about their invention.

59. They _____ (speak) to newspaper reporters.

60. The Wright brothers _____ (build) the first successful airplane in 1903.

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61. Their first plane _____ (cost) a lot of money to build.

62. They _____ (make) their first flight on December 17, 1903.

INSTRUCTIONS: Rewrite each sentence using the simple past form of the verb.

Ex:	She does her homework.
	<u>She did her homework.</u>

63. You draw pictures all day.

64. I eat breakfast at home.

65. We leave the house at 8:00.

66. The teacher lets us start our homework.

67. Mr. Lee gives money to his grandchildren.

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete each sentence. Write the negative form of the simple past verb in parentheses.

Ex:	Mike's sister <u>didn't get</u> (got) him a present for his birthday.
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68. The children _____ (ran) to the door.

69. I _____ (fell) on the ice yesterday.

70. The Millers _____ (bought) a new tablet.

71. We _____ (stood) in line for long.

72. We _____ (fed) the dogs before we left.

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INSTRUCTIONS: Rewrite each sentence using the negative form of the past verb.

Ex:	I did my homework.
	<u>I didn't do my homework.</u>

73. Lilly sang for the class.

74. The teacher taught us about aviation.

75. I saw Carlos at the airport.

INSTRUCTIONS: Rewrite each statement as a *Yes/No* question.

Ex:	Jane cooked dinner.
	<u>Did Jane cook dinner?</u>

76. My mother changed her last name.

77. The teacher brought cookies to class.

78. Paula lived in Denver last year.

79. The bus stopped at the corner.

80. Goddard invented the rocket.

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INSTRUCTIONS: Read each statement. Write a past question about it using the *wh*- word in parentheses.

Ex:	He forgot his wallet. (what) What did he forget?
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81. Something fell on the floor. (what)

82. They left at 2:00. (when)

83. Nancy went to the movies. (where)

84. They went home because they were tired. (why)

85. Some people left early. (who)

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Answer Section

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| 1. ANS: A | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.1 | |
| TOP: The Simple Past—Forms | | | |
| 2. ANS: B | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.1 | |
| TOP: The Simple Past—Forms | | | |
| 3. ANS: B | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.1 | |
| TOP: The Simple Past—Forms | | | |
| 4. ANS: B | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.1 | |
| TOP: The Simple Past—Forms | | | |
| 5. ANS: needed | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Forms |
| 6. ANS: sold | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Forms |
| 7. ANS: rested | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Forms |
| 8. ANS: stopped | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Forms |
| 9. ANS: hit | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Forms |
| 10. ANS: study | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Uses |
| 11. ANS: open | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Uses |
| 12. ANS: give | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Uses |
| 13. ANS: start | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Uses |
| 14. ANS: write | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Uses |
| 15. ANS: happen | | | |
| | PTS: 1 | REF: Unit 7 Chart 7.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Uses |

16. ANS: die
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.2 TOP: The Simple Past—Uses
17. ANS: live
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.2 TOP: The Simple Past—Uses
18. ANS: include
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.2 TOP: The Simple Past—Uses
19. ANS: be
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.2 TOP: The Simple Past—Uses
20. ANS: Greg was your best friend in college.
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.2 TOP: The Simple Past—Uses
21. ANS: Was there a cake on the table?
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms
22. ANS: Who was the best dancer?
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms
23. ANS: Where were you last night?
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms
24. ANS: I was not a student in 1985. , In 1985 I was not a student.
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms
25. ANS: were
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms
26. ANS: was
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms
27. ANS: were
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms
28. ANS: were
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms
29. ANS: was
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.3 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Forms

30. ANS: there wasn't
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.4 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Uses
31. ANS: they were
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.4 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Uses
32. ANS: he was
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.4 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Uses
33. ANS: we weren't
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.4 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Uses
34. ANS: there were
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.4 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Uses
35. ANS: talked
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.4 TOP: The Simple Past of Be—Uses
36. ANS: changed
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.5 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs
37. ANS: walked
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.5 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs
38. ANS: wanted
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.5 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs
39. ANS: cooked
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.5 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs
40. ANS: opened
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.5 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs
41. ANS: dreamed
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.5 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs
42. ANS: designed
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.5 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs
43. ANS: worked
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.5 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs
44. ANS: loved
PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.5 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs

45. ANS: happened

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.6
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Spelling

46. ANS: played

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.6
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Spelling

47. ANS: admitted

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.6
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Spelling

48. ANS:
They listened to the pilot.

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.6
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Spelling

49. ANS:
I showed my friends the model airplanes.

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.6
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Spelling

50. ANS:
The flight attendants smiled a lot.

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.6
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Spelling

51. ANS:
The children preferred to stay home.

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.6
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Spelling

52. ANS: C PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.7
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Pronunciation

53. ANS: A PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.7
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Pronunciation

54. ANS: B PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.7
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Pronunciation

55. ANS: B PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.7
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Pronunciation

56. ANS: A PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.7
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Pronunciation

57. ANS: B PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.7
TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs—Pronunciation

58. ANS: felt

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8 TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

59. ANS: spoke

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

60. ANS: built

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

61. ANS: cost

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

62. ANS: made

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

63. ANS:

You drew pictures all day.

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

64. ANS:

I ate breakfast at home.

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

65. ANS:

We left the house at 8:00.

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

66. ANS:

The teacher let us start our homework.

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

67. ANS:

Mr. Lee gave money to his grandchildren.

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.8

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

68. ANS: didn't run

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.9

TOP: Negative Statements with the Simple Past

69. ANS: didn't fall

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.9

TOP: Negative Statements with the Simple Past

70. ANS: didn't buy

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.9

TOP: Negative Statements with the Simple Past

71. ANS: didn't stand

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.9
TOP: Negative Statements with the Simple Past

72. ANS: didn't feed

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.9
TOP: Negative Statements with the Simple Past

73. ANS:
Lilly didn't sing for the class.

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.9
TOP: Negative Statements with the Simple Past

74. ANS:
The teacher didn't teach us about aviation.

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.9
TOP: Negative Statements with the Simple Past

75. ANS:
I didn't see Carlos at the airport.

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.9
TOP: Negative Statements with the Simple Past

76. ANS:
Did your mother change her last name?

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10

TOP: Questions with the Simple Past

77. ANS:
Did the teacher bring cookies to class?

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10

TOP: Questions with the Simple Past

78. ANS:
Did Paula live in Denver last year?

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10

TOP: Questions with the Simple Past

79. ANS:
Did the bus stop at the corner?

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10

TOP: Questions with the Simple Past

80. ANS:
Did Goddard invent the rocket?

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10

TOP: Questions with the Simple Past

81. ANS:
What fell on the floor?

PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10

TOP: Questions with the Simple Past

82. ANS:
When did they leave?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10 TOP: Questions with the Simple Past
83. ANS:
Where did Nancy go?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10 TOP: Questions with the Simple Past
84. ANS:
Why did they go home?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10 TOP: Questions with the Simple Past
85. ANS:
Who left early?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 7 | Chart 7.10 TOP: Questions with the Simple Past