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### Grammar in Context 2, Seventh Edition, Unit 3

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Write the base form of each past form.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ was
2. \_\_\_\_\_ wanted
3. \_\_\_\_\_ sent
4. \_\_\_\_\_ left
5. \_\_\_\_\_ brought
6. \_\_\_\_\_ learned
7. \_\_\_\_\_ had
8. \_\_\_\_\_ thought

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Complete the sentence with a simple past verb from the box.

Ex.	They <u>walked</u> to the gas station.
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found	climbed	had	ended	was	walked
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9. The woman \_\_\_\_\_ the building on the map.
10. The students \_\_\_\_\_ too much homework over vacation.
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ the mountain in eight hours.
12. Henry Jackson \_\_\_\_\_ a famous writer.
13. The meeting \_\_\_\_\_ (end) early.

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

Ex:	I know the answer!
	<u>I knew the answer!</u>

14. Sam asks a lot of questions.

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15. Katie grows tomatoes.

16. The kids want pizza.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Rewrite each sentence using the past of *be*.

Ex:	I am tired.
	<u>I was tired.</u>

17. Mary is in Peru.

18. The books are in the closet.

19. We are late to class.

20. You are the strongest athlete.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Unscramble the words to make affirmative and negative questions. Begin with a capital letter and end with a question mark.

Ex:	you / at the party / weren't / why
	<u>Why weren't you at the party?</u>

21. the / was / where / meeting

22. they / Vancouver / when / were / in

23. wasn't / he / why / there

24. all day / were / in school / they

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

Ex:	We <u>wanted</u> (want) to visit the museum on Saturday.
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25. They \_\_\_\_\_ (work) for many hours last night.
26. She \_\_\_\_\_ (refuse) to call a doctor.
27. I \_\_\_\_\_ (order) too much food at the restaurant.
28. Luis \_\_\_\_\_ (attend) school in Miami for six years.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Read each question and complete the answer with the correct simple past form.

Ex:	<b>Q:</b> When did Jackie Robinson start to play major league baseball?
	<b>A:</b> He <u>started</u> to play major league baseball in 1947.

29. **Q:** When did the government pass laws to protect minorities?  
**A:** They \_\_\_\_\_ laws to protect minorities in 1964.
30. **Q:** What did George Dawson want to do?  
**A:** He \_\_\_\_\_ to learn how to read.
31. **Q:** What did Dawson learn to do when he was 98 years old?  
**A:** He \_\_\_\_\_ to read and write.
32. **Q:** Where did George Dawson live?  
**A:** He \_\_\_\_\_ in Texas.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Read the question and complete the answer. Use the correct simple past form.

33. **Q:** What did George Dawson write?  
**A:** He \_\_\_\_\_ a book called *Life Is So Good*.
34. **Q:** What did Oprah Winfrey know all her life?  
**A:** She \_\_\_\_\_ that she would be famous someday.
35. **Q:** What did Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. lead?  
**A:** He \_\_\_\_\_ a march on Washington.
36. **Q:** What did the Constitution give all people in the United States?  
**A:** It \_\_\_\_\_ all people equal rights.

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**INSTRUCTIONS:** Read the four sentences. Three are correct. One is incorrect. Choose the letter of the incorrect sentence.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 37. Choose the incorrect sentence.
- a. I red the whole newspaper last night.
  - b. I bought the newspaper at the corner store.
  - c. I lay the newspaper on the table.
  - d. I tore the newspaper in two pieces.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 38. Choose the incorrect sentence.
- a. Laura sold her car last week.
  - b. She gave the buyer a good price.
  - c. She forget to give the buyer the extra keys.
  - d. She threw the extra keys away.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 39. Choose the incorrect sentence.
- a. The telephone rang at 10:00 last night.
  - b. I choose not to answer it.
  - c. Then I lay in bed for hours thinking about it.
  - d. I became kind of nervous.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 40. Choose the incorrect sentence.
- a. Leo swam in a race yesterday.
  - b. He said it was fun.
  - c. At one point, his hand hit the side of the pool.
  - d. However, he win the race.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Rewrite each sentence in the negative.

Ex:	Larry knew all the answers.
	<u>Larry didn't know all the answers.</u>

41. I felt very well.  
\_\_\_\_\_
42. Cassie broke the mug.  
\_\_\_\_\_
43. Nancy told me the answer.  
\_\_\_\_\_
44. She slid the keys under the door.  
\_\_\_\_\_

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**INSTRUCTIONS:** Unscramble the words to make questions. Begin with a capital letter and end with a question mark.

Ex:	did / go to school / on Saturday / she / why
	Why did she go to school on Saturday?

45. Africa / visit / they / when / did

46. put / where / she / the tickets / did

47. problems / did / at school / what kind of / you / have

48. the story / they / tell / did / you

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Complete each sentence with *used to* or *didn't use to* and the verb in parentheses.

Ex:	I <u>used to like</u> (like) hot dogs, but I don't like them anymore.
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49. Before I bought a car, I \_\_\_\_\_ (take) the bus to work every day.

50. Lois \_\_\_\_\_ (know) Spanish, but she forgot it.

51. Chin \_\_\_\_\_ (jog), but he does now.

52. Marta \_\_\_\_\_ (be) so thin, but she lost a lot of weight.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Read the four sentences. Three are correct. One is incorrect. Choose the letter of the incorrect sentence.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 53. Choose the incorrect sentence.

- a. How did you use to go to work?
- b. Did you use to ride your bike?
- c. You didn't used to take the train to work.
- d. You used to drive to work.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 54. Choose the incorrect sentence.

- a. Did you used to exercise as much as you do now?
- b. I didn't use to get a lot of physical activity.
- c. I used to be very lazy.
- d. What did you use to do in your free time?

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 55. Choose the incorrect sentence.
- a. Where did you use to live?
  - b. My family use to live in an apartment outside the city.
  - c. I used to walk a mile to school.
  - d. We didn't use to have a lot of money.

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### Answer Section

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| 1. ANS: be                    |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Form |
| 2. ANS: want                  |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Form |
| 3. ANS: send                  |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Form |
| 4. ANS: leave                 |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Form |
| 5. ANS: bring                 |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Form |
| 6. ANS: learn                 |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Form |
| 7. ANS: have                  |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Form |
| 8. ANS: think                 |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.1 | TOP: The Simple Past—Form |
| 9. ANS: found                 |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Use  |
| 10. ANS: had                  |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Use  |
| 11. ANS: climbed              |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Use  |
| 12. ANS: was                  |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Use  |
| 13. ANS: ended                |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Use  |
| 14. ANS:                      |                         |                           |
| Sam asked a lot of questions. |                         |                           |
| PTS: 1                        | REF: Unit 3   Chart 3.2 | TOP: The Simple Past—Use  |

15. ANS:  
Katie grew tomatoes.
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.2 TOP: The Simple Past—Use
16. ANS:  
The kids wanted pizza.
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.2 TOP: The Simple Past—Use
17. ANS:  
Mary was in Peru.
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.3 TOP: The Past of Be
18. ANS:  
The books were in the closet.
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.3 TOP: The Past of Be
19. ANS:  
We were late to class.
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.3 TOP: The Past of Be
20. ANS:  
You were the strongest athlete.
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.3 TOP: The Past of Be
21. ANS:  
Where was the meeting?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.3 TOP: The Past of Be
22. ANS:  
When were they in Vancouver?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.3 TOP: The Past of Be
23. ANS:  
Why wasn't he there?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.3 TOP: The Past of Be
24. ANS:  
Were they in school all day?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.3 TOP: The Past of Be
25. ANS: worked
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.4 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs
26. ANS: refused
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.4 TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs

27. ANS: ordered

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.4

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28. ANS: attended

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.4

TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs

29. ANS: passed

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.4

TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs

30. ANS: wanted

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.4

TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs

31. ANS: learned

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.4

TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs

32. ANS: lived

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.4

TOP: The Simple Past of Regular Verbs

33. ANS: wrote

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.5

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

34. ANS: knew

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.5

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

35. ANS: led

PTS: 1

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TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

36. ANS: gave

PTS: 1

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TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

37. ANS: A

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.5

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

38. ANS: C

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.5

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

39. ANS: B

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.5

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

40. ANS: D

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.5

TOP: The Simple Past of Irregular Verbs

41. ANS:

I didn't feel very well.

PTS: 1

REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.6

TOP: Negatives and Questions with the Simple Past

42. ANS:  
Cassie didn't break the mug.
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.6  
TOP: Negatives and Questions with the Simple Past
43. ANS:  
Nancy didn't tell me the answer.
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.6  
TOP: Negatives and Questions with the Simple Past
44. ANS:  
She didn't slide the keys under the door.
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.6  
TOP: Negatives and Questions with the Simple Past
45. ANS:  
When did they visit Africa?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.6  
TOP: Negatives and Questions with the Simple Past
46. ANS:  
Where did she put the tickets?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.6  
TOP: Negatives and Questions with the Simple Past
47. ANS:  
What kind of problems did you have at school?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.6  
TOP: Negatives and Questions with the Simple Past
48. ANS:  
Did they tell you the story?
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.6  
TOP: Negatives and Questions with the Simple Past
49. ANS: used to take
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.7 TOP: The Habitual Past with Used To
50. ANS: used to know
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.7 TOP: The Habitual Past with Used To
51. ANS: didn't use to jog
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.7 TOP: The Habitual Past with Used To
52. ANS: didn't use to be
- PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.7 TOP: The Habitual Past with Used To

53. ANS: C PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.7  
TOP: The Habitual Past with Used To
54. ANS: A PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.7  
TOP: The Habitual Past with Used To
55. ANS: B PTS: 1 REF: Unit 3 | Chart 3.7  
TOP: The Habitual Past with Used To