Name : _____ Class : _____ Date : _____

Simple Past Tense [Be Verbs]

[Sentence Structure]

Affirmative	**Subject + was / were + complement**
Negative	**Subject + was / were + not + complement**
Interrogative	**Was / Were + subject + complement?**

[Solved Examples]

	Question	option (a)	option (b)	option (c)
1	She _____ absent yesterday.	were	was ✓	is
2	The boys _____ very noisy yesterday.	were ✓	was	is
3	I _____ not at home last night.	were	are	was ✓
4	_____ they happy with the results?	Was	Were ✓	Did

[Student Exercise]

1	He _____ tired after the football match yesterday.	was	were	is
2	We _____ not ready for the meeting this morning.	was	were	is
3	_____ she at the library yesterday?	Were	Is	Was
4	They_____ excited about the trip last week.	was	were	is
5	I _____ not at home last night.	were	am	was
6	_____ they happy with the results yesterday?	Was	Are	Were
7	My father _____ busy all day yesterday.	were	was	is
8	The flowers _____ beautiful yesterday morning.	were	was	is
9	You _____ not late for school yesterday.	were	was	am
10	_____ your friends at the park yesterday?	Were	Are	Was
11	The weather _____ cold last night.	was	were	is
12	Teachers _____ helpful during exam yesterday.	was	is	were
13	It _____ not difficult to understand last lesson.	were	was	am
14	_____ he absent from class yesterday?	Was	Is	Are
15	The dogs _____ hungry after the walk yesterday.	was	were	is
16	She _____ proud of her achievement yesterday.	were	was	is
17	We _____ not interested in the movie last night.	were	were	am
18	_____ I wrong about the answer yesterday?	Were	Am	Was
19	The shops _____ closed yesterday.	were	is	was
20	They _____ not angry with us yesterday.	were	was	am