A1 A2 LEVEL GRAMMAR TESTS

The Past Simple Tense With Regular Verbs Test A1 A2 Level Exercises

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Name: _____ Date: _____ Score: _____ / 16

1. A: _____ you finish the book yesterday?

B: No, _____.
A) Were / I was **B)** Were / I wasn't
C) Did / I didn't **D)** Did / I did

2. Yesterday we _____ our primary teacher, Mrs Brown. _____ pleased to see us.
A) was / She was **B)** were / They were
C) visited / She was **D)** visited / They were

3. A: When _____ from university?

B: Last month.
A) did you graduate **B)** did you graduated
C) were you graduated **D)** were you graduate

4. A: Why _____ Mrs Blue end the lesson early?

B: Because she _____ ill.
A) did / was **B)** did / wasn't
C) was / was **D)** was / wasn't

5. Today _____ our wedding anniversary. We _____ ten years ago.
A) was / married **B)** was / marry
C) is / married **D)** is / marry

6. We are sorry for being late. There _____ an accident so the roads _____ closed. We _____ for three hours.
A) were / was / wait **B)** were / were / wait
C) was / was / waited **D)** was / were / waited

7. Alexander Fleming _____ penicillin in 1928.
A) discover **B)** invent
C) discovered **D)** invented

8. Last night Tim _____ the piano at the party. Everybody _____ it a lot.
A) play / like **B)** plays / like
C) is playing / liked **D)** played / liked

9. A: What _____ to do at the weekend?

B: They decided to have a barbecue party.
A) do your parents decide
B) were your parents decide
C) did your parents decided
D) did your parents decide

10. My uncle is a firefighter. Last night he _____ a little girl from the huge fire.
A) rescued **B)** was rescued
C) had rescued **D)** is rescuing

11. It _____ yesterday but it _____ heavily.
A) rained / snowed **B)** didn't rain / snowed
C) rained / snow **D)** didn't rain / snow

12. Last weekend we _____ to Ankara by train but the train _____ late. It _____ after two hours.
A) travel / was / depart
B) travelled / were / departed
C) travelled / was / depart
D) travelled / was / departed

13. Who _____ for you in front of the door last night?
A) did waited **B)** did wait
C) wait **D)** waited

14. Last summer, we were on holiday in Spain and we _____ in a luxurious hotel.
A) stayed **B)** lived **C)** arrived **D)** owned

15. Frank _____ Sarah into the swimming pool. He _____ a lot but Sarah _____ to shout 'HELP'.
A) pushed / laughed / start
B) pushed / laughed / started
C) push / laugh / start
D) push / laugh / started

16. Uncle John _____ me with my homework last Friday.
A) helped **B)** liked
C) showed **D)** listened

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