



## Verb to do: did / didn't: Past Simple Questions & Negatives

Fill in the blank with the correct option.

1. \_\_\_ you enjoy the film last night?  
a) Did  
b) Does  
c) Were  
d) Was
2. She \_\_\_ come to school yesterday.  
a) doesn't  
b) wasn't  
c) weren't  
d) didn't
3. Where \_\_\_ they go on holiday last summer?  
a) does  
b) did  
c) were  
d) was
4. I \_\_\_ see anyone at the park yesterday.  
a) don't  
b) wasn't  
c) didn't  
d) weren't
5. He \_\_\_ finish his homework last night.  
a) doesn't  
b) wasn't  
c) weren't  
d) didn't
6. \_\_\_ she call you yesterday?  
a) Did  
b) Does  
c) Was  
d) Were
7. What \_\_\_ you do at the weekend?  
a) does  
b) did  
c) were  
d) was
8. We \_\_\_ buy anything at the shop yesterday.  
a) don't  
b) wasn't  
c) didn't  
d) weren't
9. \_\_\_ the children have fun at the party?  
a) Does  
b) Was  
c) Were  
d) Did
10. Did you like the food? — Yes, I \_\_\_\_.  
a) did  
b) liked  
c) was  
d) does
11. They \_\_\_ want to stay for dinner last night.  
a) doesn't  
b) didn't  
c) wasn't  
d) weren't

12. \_\_\_ it rain yesterday?  
a) Does  
b) Was  
c) Did  
d) Were
13. I \_\_\_ know anyone at the party last Friday.  
a) don't  
b) wasn't  
c) weren't  
d) didn't
14. How \_\_\_ you get home after the concert?  
a) did  
b) does  
c) was  
d) were
15. She \_\_\_ tell me about the meeting yesterday.  
a) doesn't  
b) wasn't  
c) didn't  
d) weren't
16. \_\_\_ your parents like the restaurant?  
a) Does  
b) Did  
c) Was  
d) Were
17. We \_\_\_ hear the news until this morning.  
a) don't  
b) wasn't  
c) weren't  
d) didn't
18. Did she pass her driving test? — No, she \_\_\_\_.  
a) didn't  
b) doesn't  
c) wasn't  
d) weren't
19. Why \_\_\_ he leave the party so early last night?  
a) does  
b) did  
c) was  
d) were
20. The train \_\_\_ arrive on time this morning.  
a) don't  
b) wasn't  
c) didn't  
d) doesn't



## Answers

1. a) Did
2. d) didn't
3. b) did
4. c) didn't
5. d) didn't
6. a) Did
7. b) did
8. c) didn't
9. d) Did
10. a) did
11. b) didn't
12. c) Did
13. d) didn't
14. a) did
15. c) didn't
16. b) Did
17. d) didn't
18. a) didn't
19. b) did
20. c) didn't



# Explanations

**1. “Did” (a)**

Use 'Did' to form past simple questions. Did you enjoy the film last night?

**2. “didn't” (d)**

Use 'didn't' for past simple negatives. She didn't come to school yesterday. Note: use the base form 'come', not 'came'.

**3. “did” (b)**

Use 'did' in past simple wh-questions. Where did they go on holiday last summer?

**4. “didn't” (c)**

Use 'didn't' for past simple negatives. I didn't see anyone at the park yesterday.

**5. “didn't” (d)**

Use 'didn't' for past simple negatives with all subjects. He didn't finish his homework last night.

**6. “Did” (a)**

Use 'Did' to form past simple questions. Did she call you yesterday?

**7. “did” (b)**

Use 'did' in past simple wh-questions. What did you do at the weekend?

**8. “didn't” (c)**

Use 'didn't' with we for past simple negatives. We didn't buy anything at the shop yesterday.

**9. “Did” (d)**

Use 'Did' to form past simple questions, regardless of whether the subject is singular or plural. Did the children have fun at the party?

**10. “did” (a)**

Answer a 'Did you...?' question with 'Yes, I did.' Don't repeat the main verb in a short answer.

**11. “didn't” (b)**

Use 'didn't' with they for past simple negatives. They didn't want to stay for dinner last night.

**12. “Did” (c)**

Use 'Did' to ask about past events. Did it rain yesterday?

**13. “didn't” (d)**

Use 'didn't' for past simple negatives. I didn't know anyone at the party last Friday.

**14. “did” (a)**

Use 'did' in past simple wh-questions. How did you get home after the concert?

**15. “didn't” (c)**

Use 'didn't' for past simple negatives. She didn't tell me about the meeting yesterday.

**16. “Did” (b)**

Use 'Did' for past simple questions with all subjects. Did your parents like the restaurant?

**17. “didn't” (d)**

Use 'didn't' for past simple negatives. We didn't hear the news until this morning.

**18. “didn't” (a)**

Answer a 'Did she...?' question with 'No, she didn't.' Match the auxiliary: did → didn't.

**19. “did” (b)**

Use 'did' in past simple wh-questions. Why did he leave the party so early last night?

**20. “didn't” (c)**

Use 'didn't' for past simple negatives. The train didn't arrive on time this morning.