

PRIMARY FIVE ENGLISH CLASSWORK

Tuesday Lesson: Grammar

Question tags

A question tag is a short question found at the end of a statement. It is used to check the correctness of the statement.

Note: When using question tags, please note the following.

-when statement is positive, the question tag must be negative

-when the statement is negative, the question tag must be positive.

-a comma is used to separate the statement from the question tag to show the difference between the two.

Examples.

1. Mary went to church, didn't she ?
2. Mary didn't go to church, did she ?
3. Mukasa ate all the food, didn't he ?
4. Mukasa didn't eat all the food, did he ?

Activity.

Supply suitable question tags to statements below

1. We learnt English last week
2. Kunal went to Nairobi yesterday
3. That boy did not complete his work
4. It rained very heavily this afternoon

5. The puppies barked the whole night yesterday

6. Jane did not complete sweeping the house

Thursday Lesson. Grammar

Active and passive voices in the past simple tense

Note: was/were + a past participle verb are used.

Examples.

1. Alex drank a bottle of soda.

A bottle of soda was drunk by Alex.

2. The children picked all the rubbish in the school compound.

All the rubbish in the school compound were picked by the children.

3. Cecil prepared a very delicious meal.

A very delicious meal was prepared by Cecil.

Activity.

Change the sentences below to passive voice in the past simple tense

1. John Blaq sang a very nice song

2. God blessed Junior last week.

3. My mother cleaned the whole house in an hour.

4. The sunshine burnt all my crops.

5. Daniel scored a highest mark in the whole class.

6. Tom fetched enough water last evening.

Friday Lesson