

UNIT 1

Lesson 7

Did he use to smoke?



LESSON OBJECTIVE:

- Talk about past habits with the used to.

GRAMMAR FOCUS "Used to for past habits"

Used to refers to something that you regularly did in the past but don't do anymore

Affirmative
statements

I used to collect comic books

Subject + **used to** + verb + complement

Negative
statements

I didn't use to collect anything

Subject + **didn't use to** + verb + complement

Yes/No
questions

Did you use to collect things?

Did + Subject + **use to** + verb + complement

Wh
questions

What did you use to collect?

WH + Did + Subject + **use to** + verb + complement



YOUR CHILD'S
collections

CONTAIN
DISPLAY
ENJOY



Used to refers to something that you regularly did in the past but don’t do anymore

Did you use to play sports?

What sports did you use to play?

Yes I did, I used to play soccer

I used to play soccer and basketball.

I never used to play sports, but now I play tennis

I didn’t use to play sports, but now I play tennis



- Use the base form of *used to* in questions and negative statements: Did you **use to** play sports? (NOT: Did you ~~used to~~ play sports?) I didn’t **use to** like bananas. (NOT: I didn’t ~~used to~~ like bananas.)
- Don’t use *never* in negative statements: I **never used to** wear sunglasses. (NOT: I never ~~didn’t use to~~ wear sunglasses.)

Listening /Speaking Practice “Used to for past habits”

Read the following statements about changes. Check those that are true about you.

- 1. “When I was a kid, I never used to play sports, but now I like to keep fit.”
- 2. “I used to go out with friends a lot, but now I don’t have any free time.”
- 3. “When I was younger, I didn’t use to collect anything, but now I do.”
- 4. “I didn’t use to be a good student, but now I love to study and learn new things.”
- 5. “I never used to follow politics, but now I read the news online every morning.”
- 6. “I used to be really neat and organized, but now I’m very messy.”
- 7. “I used to care a lot about my appearance. Now, I’m too busy to care about how I look.”



Complete these questions and answers. Then compare with a partner.

1. **A:** Did you use to have any pets when you were a kid?

B: Yes, I Use to have a white cat named Snowball.



2. **A:** Did you and your classmates Use to play together after school?

B: No, we Didn't play during the week. We Use you study a lot.



3. **A:** What music Did you Use to listen to?

B: I Did listen to rock a lot. Actually, I still do.



4. **A:** What hobbies Did you Use to have when you were little?

B: I Use you have any hobbies, but now I play chess every week.

Complete the following conversations with the correct form of used to. Then roleplay with a partner.

1. **A:** Hey, Dad. What kinds of clothes did you use to wear – you know, when you were a kid?

B: Oh, we Use to wear jeans and T-shirts – like you kids do now.

A: Really? Did your Mom Used to dress like that, too?

B: No, not really. She never Used to like wearing pants. She always Used to wear skirts and dresses.



2. **A:** Did you Use to play a sport when you were a kid?

B: Well, I Used to be a swimmer. My sister and I Used to swim on a team.

A: Wow, that’s cool! Were you good?

B: Yeah. I Used to win gold medals all the time. And my sister Used to be the fastest swimmer on the team.



Look at these childhood pictures of Allie and her brother Robert.
Complete the sentences using *used to*.



1. In the summer, Allie and Robert sometimes
used to go to summer camp.



2. They also Used to ride their bicycle.
Their dog Bruno always used to follow them.



3. Allie Use to go To the beach every
weekend during summer vacation. She hardly ever
goes now.



4. Robert Used to read Comic Books.
Now they're worth a lot of money.



5. They Used to Have a rabbit.
They don't have any pets now.

Write about things you used to do as child. Write sentences using *used to* or *didn't use to*. Then share to the class.

1. What's your favorite childhood memory?
2. What sports or games did you use to play when you were younger?
3. Did you use to have a nickname?
4. Where did you use to spend your vacations?
5. Is your taste in food different now?

You can use one of these topics.

your hairstyle your taste in music
your hobbies the way you dress

Write here your text:

When I was a child, I used to play in my aunt's yard, since it was very big.

The nickname I used to have was Mery for America

I used to go a Cancún México in summer

As a child I used to eat everything, but now it's only fruits and vegetables

I grew up in a small town, and my friends and I used to play outside a lot. We used to play all kinds of games. My favorite was hide-and-seek. We also used to ride our bikes to a beautiful lake near our school...

Grammar Practice “Used to for past habits”

Choose the correct Word or phrase. Workbook pg 4 ex 5

1. I used to collect comic books (hobbies / scrapbooks / comic books) when I was a kid.
2. My favorite Pet (pet / hobby / place) was a cat called Felix.
3. We used to go to Summer camp (the playground / summer camp / school) for two weeks during our summer vacations. It was really fun.
4. There was a great Playground (amusement park / playground / beach) on my street. We used to go there every afternoon to play.

How have you changed in the last five years? Write answers to these questions. Workbook pg 5 ex 8

1. What hobbies did you use to have five years ago?

What hobbies do you have now?

I used to...

Now...

2. What kind of music did you use to like then?

What kind of music do you like now?

I used to Listen rock

I used listen kpop

3. What kinds of clothes did you use to like to wear?

What kinds of clothes do you like to wear now?

I used to wear very colorful clothes.

Today's children used to wear very flashy clothes.

Look at the answers. Write the questions using *used to*.



- 1. A:** What did you use to do in the summer?
B: We used to go to the beach.
- 2. A:** Did you used to play with the shells on the beach?
B: No, we didn't collect shells. We used to build sand castles.
- 3. A:** _____
B: Yes, we did. We used to swim for hours. Then we played all kinds of sports.
- 4. A:** Really? What _____
B: Well, we used to play beach volleyball with some other kids.
- 5. A:** You used to win in the sport of beach volleyball?
B: No, we didn't. We used to win!