## QUESTIONS AND NEGATION IN THE PAST TENSE

## I. Questions and negation without did/didn't:

Example: Lisa was <u>in Norway</u>.

- Was Lisa in Norway?
- Lisa wasn't in Norway.
- Where was Lisa?
- 1. We were at school in the morning.
- 2. The children were in the garden with their mother.
- 3. Lizzy Long had got a green bike.
- 4. I had got a lot of milk.
- 5. There were ten guests in the restaurant.
- 6. There was an old car on the highway.
- 7. Sandy and her mom were on holiday in Spain.
- 8. Cathy was <u>reading a book</u> on the terrace.
- 9. The airplane was at the airport.
- 10. I was angry because the bus came too late.
- 11. My dog barked loudly.
- 12. The train arrived at 5:55.
- 13. A blue flower grew in our garden.

 $grow \rightarrow grew (wachsen \rightarrow wuchs)$ 

## II. Questions and negation with did/didn't:

Example: Tony ate <u>a pizza</u>.

- Did Tony eat a pizza?
- Tony didn't eat a pizza.
- What did Tony eat?
- 14. The cat ran after the mouse.
- 15. We ate ten sandwiches.
- 16. Tony had a new computer.
- 17. I bought a coke because I was thirsty.
- 18. The monkey jumped down from the tree.
- 19. She wrote an <u>important</u> letter.
- 20. The car parked in front of the house.
- 21. Tom listened to his girlfriend.
- 22. I climbed on the high tree.
- 23. The students read a book in the library.

read [ried] → read [räd] (lesen → las)

write  $\rightarrow$  wrote (schreiben  $\rightarrow$  schrieb)

- 24. The old lady gave <u>him</u> an apple.
- 25. Amy smiled because she was happy.
- 26. We took a walk through the forest. take a walk spazieren gehen
- 27. She saw her friend late at night.
- 28. I told you an interesting story.
- 29. The children did their homework carefully. carefully sorgsam
- 30. I stopped because the traffic lights were red.
- 31. Mother cooked dinner in the kitchen.
- 32. The girl sang a <u>happy</u> song.  $sing \rightarrow sang$  (singen  $\rightarrow sang$ )
- 33. Susan heard the concert on her balcony. hear  $\rightarrow$  heard (hören  $\rightarrow$  hörte)