

Used To Do Something vs Be Used To Doing Something

■ Decide whether each sentence refers to a past habit or a present condition.

Q1. He's used to living in a foreign country

a) Past habit

b) Present condition

Q2. She never used to do that when she was a child.

a) Past habit

b) Present condition

Q3. Jack used to like bananas.

a) Past habit

b) Present condition

Q4. Did you used to go to the arcade?

a) Past habit

b) Present condition

Q5. I've never lived in a cold country before, so I need to get used to the winters.

a) Past habit

b) Present condition

■ Make sentences using the information provided in parentheses. Use the example to help you. You may need to insert articles/prepositions/verbs etc.

Example: He/go/park/child (*past habit*)

Answer: He used to go to the park when he was a child.

Q6. We/eat/dinner/early (*past habit*)

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Q7. They/clean/house/Sundays (*present condition*)

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Q8. Hank/yell/Dale (*present condition*)

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Q9. Bobby/play/baseball/younger (*past habit*)

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Q10. I/be(negative)/her criticism (*present condition*)

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ANSWERS

A1. b) Present condition

A2. a) Past habit

A3. a) Past habit

A4. a) Past habit

A5. b) Present condition

A6. We used to eat dinner early.

A7. They are used to cleaning the house on Sundays.

A8. Hank is used to yelling at Dale.

A9. Bobby used to play baseball when he was younger.

A10. I'm not used to her criticism.