Was or were

Study the table and learn how the verb to be works in the past simple:

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Write the correct word was or were in the gaps:

For example:
I was at school yesterday.
We were at school yesterday.

1) He _____ at the beach this morning.
2) You ______ at home yesterday.
3) They ______ in the shopping centre on Saturday.
4) It ______ cold last night.
5) She _____ in her bedroom this afternoon.
6) They _____ in the park all day last Saturday.
7) We _____ in trouble at school for missing class.
8) I _____ not ready for the exam last week.
9) _____ you busy at school yesterday?
10) _____ your teacher on time for class yesterday?
Answers:

1) He was at the beach this morning.
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5) She was in her bedroom this afternoon.
6) They were in the park all day last Saturday.
7) We were in trouble at school for missing class.
8) I was not ready for the exam last week.
9) Were you busy at school yesterday?
10) Was your teacher on time for class yesterday?