

LA FORME FRÉQUENTATIVE

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69 Répondez aux questions suivantes en exprimant une habitude révolue avec **USED TO**.

Ex. : Does Mr Smith play football? (younger)
→ He used to play football when he was younger

1. Does Granny ride a bicycle? (younger).

2. Ann, do you eat many sweets? (a little girl).

Ann: I

3. Do they swim everyday? (live at the seaside).

4. Does he work a lot in the garden? (younger).

5. John, do you live in London? (a child).

John: I

6. Does she practise dancing? (go to school).

7. Do they get up early? (in those days).

8. Does she wear mini-skirts? (young).

70 Transformez les phrases suivantes en utilisant **USED TO**.

Ex. : I no longer play tennis.
→ I used to play tennis.

1. We no longer go to the cinema every week.

2. There was a big house round the corner.

3. Bill no longer drinks beer.

4. Richard no longer works for Shell.

5. I collected postcards when I was a child.

6. There was a car parked over there.

7. Mother told me a story every evening.

8. We no longer walk to school.

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USED TO (p. 55)

69. 1. She used to ride a bicycle when she was younger. -2. I used to eat many sweets when I was a little girl. -3. They used to swim everyday when they lived at the seaside. -4. He used to work a lot in the garden when he was younger. -5. I used to live in London when I was a child. -6. She used to practise dancing when she went to school. -7. They used to get up early in those days. -8. She used to wear mini-skirts when she was young.

70. 1. We used to go to the cinema every week. -2. There used to be a big house round the corner. -3. Bill used to drink beer. -4. Richard used to work for Shell. -5. I used to collect postcards when I was a child. -6. There used to be a car park over there. -7. Mother used to tell me a story every evening. -8. We used to walk to school.

"USED TO" OU "BE USED TO + - ING"?

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71 Mettez les verbes entre parenthèses à la forme qui convient.

Ex. : When I was a child, I (eat) porridge.
→ When I was a child I used to eat porridge.
Don't worry. He (ride) motorbikes.
→ Don't worry. He is used to riding motorbikes.

- In those days Mr Jenkins (smoke) cigars.
- There (be) a bookshop in that street when I was young.
- He is nervous because (not drive) sports cars.
- Grandpa (work) a lot in the fields when he was younger.
- Don't worry about me. I (swim) in the sea.
- In England they (have) mutton with mint sauce.
- She (work) in London but now she'd rather stay at home.
- We (live) in Liverpool in those days.

"WOULD" FRÉQUENTATIF

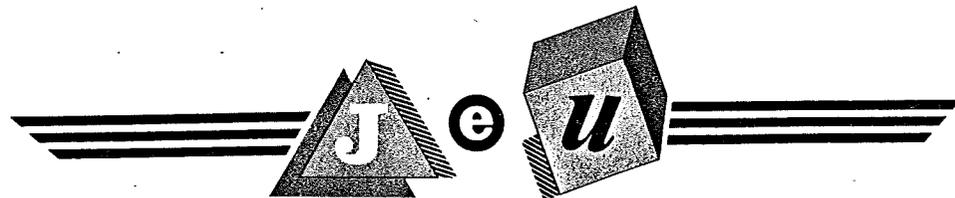
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72 Exprimez une tendance, une habitude ou la répétition d'une action dans le passé à l'aide d'une tournure avec WOULD.

Ex. : She played the piano (occasionally).
→ Occasionally she would play the piano.

- He sent postcards to his friends (usually).
- They drank a glass of wine (on Sundays).
- My parents watched TV (every evening).
- She went for a walk in the country (sometimes).

- Peter wrote poems (occasionally).
- Mother made a big cake (every week).
- He had bacon and eggs for his breakfast (on Saturdays).
- She gave you a lift (when you asked her).



REMEMBER...

Complétez le dialogue suivant pour aider Grandpa à dire ce qu'il faisait quand il était jeune. Utilisez used to et les indications données entre parenthèses.

Mr Smith: Well, I used to go to school in a small village in Dorset. Where did you go to school?
Grandpa: (Liverpool)

Mr Smith: And what did you use to do in your free time?
Grandpa: (play football)

Mr Smith: How interesting! I used to go riding. Did you?
Grandpa: (no, swimming)

Mr Smith: Really? Well, I used to collect stamps. Did you collect anything?
Grandpa: (yes, postcards)

Mr Smith: Where did you go for your summer holidays?
Grandpa: (France)

Mr Smith: We used to go camping in Scotland. Did you use to go camping?
Grandpa: (No)

Mr Smith: What about the winter? What did you use to do then?
Grandpa: (go skiing)



"USED TO" OU "BE USED TO + ING"? (p. 56)

71. 1. ...Mr Jenkins used to smoke... -2. There used to be... -3. ...he's not used to driving sports cars. -4. Grandpa used to work... -5. ...I'm used to swimming... -6. ...they are used to having... -7. She used to work... -8. We used to live...

"WOULD" FRÉQUENTATIF (p. 56)

72. 1. Usually he would send... -2. On Sundays they would drink... 3. Every evening my parents would watch TV. -4. Sometimes she would go... -5. Occasionally Peter would write poems. -6. Every week Mother would make... -7. On Saturdays he would have... 8. When you asked her she would give you a lift.

Jeu (p. 57) : REMEMBER

Grandpa:

- I used to go to school in Liverpool.
- I used to play football (with my friends, etc.).
- No, I didn't. I used to go swimming.
- Yes, I did. I used to collect postcards.
- I/We used to go to France.
- No, I didn't use to go camping.
- In winter, I/We used to go skiing.