



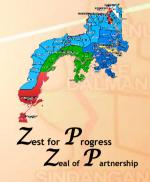
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English

Quarter 2 - Module 1:

Be Verbs



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What I Need to Know

Welcome to another lesson in English 3. This module aims to target this objective:

• Learning Competency

Use the be -verbs (am, is, are, was, were) correctly in a sentence

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What's In

Directions: Complete the sentences by writing the missing word on the space provided that best describes the picture.

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	is	am	are	was	were	
		1.1	washin	g the dishes	now.	
			iterday, m iide by side	•	flowing li	ke a
	O.C.O.	3. My	father	reading a	newspaper n	IOW.
		4. Last	night, we	viewi	ng the show.	
		5. The	y c	lancing gra	cefully.	



What's New

Good job for answering the activity above. Now, read a story about a boy who went to the market together with his mom. As you read this story, you will learn some lessons about how to give thanks to simple actions that we received. It's time for you to read it!



Awesome Saturday

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Last Saturday morning, I woke up early. First, I arranged my bed and cleaned my room. While I <u>was</u> fixing my room, my mother called me for breakfast. "Oh! It's my favorite food! Scrambled egg," I shouted excitedly. "Come here and eat," Mother replied. "You will go with me. We will go somewhere. You'll love it there," she added. "Where? Where?" I eagerly asked. "You'll find out later," Mother answered with a smile on her face.

After eating my breakfast, I hurriedly took a bath and changed my clothes. "Mama, I <u>am</u> preparing myself now," I said as I tied my shoe. "Ok, let's go!" Mother said. I <u>was</u> very curious as to where we <u>were</u> going. We <u>were</u> riding a tricycle and I <u>was</u> so amazed of the beautiful sceneries.

Then, the tricycle stopped. The place <u>was</u> so noisy, there <u>were</u> lots of busy people everywhere. It <u>was</u> my first time seeing this place. Food stalls <u>were</u> everywhere. I saw children laughing and playing around. My eyes <u>were</u> so busy looking around until I saw toys. "Toys! Wow!" I shouted happily. "Mama, what <u>is</u> this place?" I asked. "This <u>is</u> the market. This <u>is</u> where we buy our foods and other things. Do you love this place?" Mother asked. As I turned around to her, I saw my favorite toy. It's a ball. "Oh, yes, I want that Mama," I giggled happily. Mother smiled at me as she handed me the ball. "Mama, thank you for taking me here and for this new ball. I love you Mama," I said as I smiled and hugged her.

Finally, after buying all the things we needed, we went home. I immediately played with my new ball. "This day **is** awesome," I whispered to myself and continued playing.

Comprehension Questions:

1. Where did the boy and his mother go?						
2. What did he feel when he learned that he will go out with Mother?						
3. How did he describe the place where they visited?						
4. How did the boy show his appreciation upon receiving the toy from his mother?						
5. Why do you think it is important to say thank you when you receive a gift?						



What do you call the underlined words in the story?

is am are was were

These words are what we call be-verbs. Be-verbs indicate a state of being. These verbs function as linking verbs and helping verbs. But in this lesson, we focus on the usage of be-verbs as helping verbs. Helping verbs help the main verb to stand. Notice that the main verb in this lesson ends with -ing. Now, let's discuss how and when the be-verbs are used in the sentences.

Am, is and are are in the present tense.

"Am" is used with the pronoun "I" as the first-person singular version of the be-verb.

Example: I am walking.

I am climbing.

I am washing my hands.

"Is" is a singular, present form of be-verb which is used for singular nouns or pronouns (he, she, it).

Example: He is jumping.

She is scrubbing.

It is flying.

"Are" is used for plural nouns and pronouns such as the second-person singular and plural (you), and third-person plural (we and they).

Example: You are <u>washing</u>.

They **are** shouting.

Was and were are in the past tense but they are used differently.

"Was" is used in the first-person singular (I) and the third-person singular (he, she, it) and singular nouns or objects.

Example: I was <u>walking</u> in the street.

I was <u>climbing</u> in the tree.

I was washing my hands.

"Were" is used in the second person singular and plural (you, your, yours) and first and third person plural (we, they) and plural nouns or objects.

Example: We were <u>climbing</u> on the tree house.

We were running as fast as we could.

They were flying the kite so high.



What's More

Activity 1 (am, is, are)

Directions: Underline the correct be-verb in each sentence.

1.

They (am, is, are) singing.



He (am, is, are) walking.



They (am, is, are) cleaning.



She (am, is, are) running.



I (am, is, are) sitting.

Activity 2 (was and were)

Directions: Underline the correct be-verb in each sentence.

- 1. The bell (was, were) ringing.
- 2. We (was, were) eating.
- 3. My mother (was, were) cooking.
- 4. They (was, were) planting.
- 5. I (was, were) picking.

Activity 3 (am, is, are, was, were)

Directions: Use the appropriate be-verb and encircle the pictures which correctly describe the sentences.

1. He _____ fishing yesterday.



2. He serving bread now.



3. She _____ teaching Math last year.



4. They _____ dancing happily in the party last night.



5. My friends _____ playing.



Activity 4

Directions: Use the given be-verbs and the picture to form a sentence.

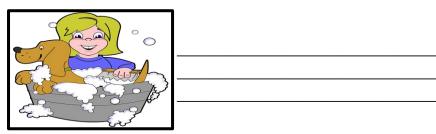
1. were



2. **is**



3. **was**



4. am



5. **are**



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What I Have Learned

Directions: Answe	er the	following	questions.
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- A. What are the present be-verbs?
- B. What are the past be-verbs?
- C. When do we use is and are in a sentence?
- D. When do we use am in a sentence?
- E. When do we use was and were in a sentence?



Simple Recall: Read the sentences carefully. Put a check mark $(\sqrt{})$ on the blank if the sentence shows the correct usage of the be-verbs and (X) mark if it is not.

1. Sh	ne was playing in the park.
2. W	e is helping Pedro.
3. Th	ey were laughing so hard when I gave them jokes.
4. l c	am visiting my cousins.
5. Th	ne baker were baking a cake.
	Assessment Write the missing be-verbs to complete the sentences
1. I c	ooking a kilo of camote when Gina arrived.
2. She	_ keeping her promises.
3. We	playing in the field yesterday.
4.	istening to my favorite song.
5 They	my two lovely dogs

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Trees

by Joyce Kilmer

I think that I shall never see a poem lovely as a tree.

A tree whose hungry mouth is prest Against the earth's sweet flowing breast;

A tree that looks at God all day, And lifts her leafy arms to pray;

A tree that may in summer wear a nest of robins in her hair; Upon whose bosom snow has lain; Who intimately lives with rain.

> Poems are made by fools like me, But only God can make a tree.