C'est les soldes

French · A2

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The grammar · Imparfait: how things were

Find it: __ / 4

1 · SEE IT

Il faisait froid, c'était janvier.

It was cold, it was January.

2 · LEARN IT

c'était	it was	**j'étais**	I was
j'avais	I had	**il y avait**	there was / there were
il faisait froid	it was cold	**il coûtait**	it cost
on était contents	we were happy		

3 · FIND IT

Circle every example of imparfait. One line has none.

1. Avant, il coûtait cent euros.
2. J'ai pris le métro avec ma sœur.
3. Je n'avais plus d'argent.
4. Mais on était contentes.
5. Devant le magasin, il y avait du monde.

1 · Word Match

__ / 5

Write the letter of the meaning.

ma _____

manteau _____

contentes _____

matin _____

bonne _____

a) good · b) morning · c) my · d) glad · e) coat

2 · Lyric Scramble

__ / 5

Number the lines 1 to 5, in song order.

- ☐ Moins cinquante pour cent !
- ☐ À neuf heures, le magasin a ouvert.
- ☐ Allez, on y va !
- ☐ Et nous sommes entrées très vite.
- ☐ Vite, vite !

3 · True or False

__ / 4

Does the translation match the line? Tick T or F.

Aujourd'hui, il coûte cinquante euros. T ☐ F ☐
Today, it costs twenty euros.

C'est les soldes ! C'est les soldes ! T ☐ F ☐
It's the sales! It's the sales!

Le soir, je suis rentrée à pied. T ☐ F ☐
In the evening, you walked home.

Je vais le porter demain. T ☐ F ☐
I'm going to wear it tomorrow.

4 · Fill in the Blank

__ / 1

Use j'avais.

1. Mais _____ un beau manteau.

Sing it together

Play the song. Everyone sings the chorus. Then two halves take turns, line by line.

My score ____ / 19

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French · A2 · Grammar: Imparfait: how things were · 19 points

Grammar · Find it (4)

1 coûtait 2 none 3 n'avais 4 était 5 avait

1 · Word Match (5)

ma – c) my manteau – e) coat contentes – d) glad matin – b) morning bonne – a) good

2 · Lyric Scramble (5)

Moins cinquante pour cent ! 3 · À neuf heures, le magasin a ouvert. 1 · Allez, on y va ! 5 · Et nous sommes entrées très vite. 2 · Vite, vite ! 4

3 · True or False (4)

1 F: Today, it costs fifty euros. 2 T 3 F: In the evening, I walked home. 4 T

4 · Fill in the Blank (1)

1 j'avais

For the teacher

Play the song once with the lyrics. Do "See it" and "Learn it" together; students do "Find it". Students do the 4 games alone or as homework, add up their score and hand in the sheet. Each game is also in the app's Arcade.

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