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**Lecture Sheet** 

English Language

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# Lecture:2

### Verb -Person - Number

## Relationship among person, number and be verb.

### Am/ Is / Are /Was / Were

# 1<sup>st</sup> Person

I am a good girl. I was a good girl. (singular)

We are good girls. We were good girls. (Plural)

2<sup>nd</sup> Person

You are a good boy. you were a good boy.

plural and singular forms are same.

3<sup>rd</sup> person

She /he/it/ Rohan ----is/was good. (singular)

They are good boys. They were good boys. (plural)

\*\*\* All the person in plural number use the verb'are' and 'were' and all the person in sigular number use the verb 'is' and 'was' but only 2<sup>nd</sup> person singular number use 'are'

#### Remember:

'were' is the past form of 'are' and is used to show past action

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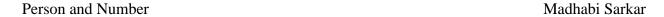
# **Practice the following Exercises**

A.	Fill	up	these	blanks	with	am/	is/	are
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1. I very tall. I play basket.
2. She my best friend. She nice.
3. My father a teacher in my school.
4. We in the museum.
5. You a football player.
6. Jack a student in my school.
7. Peter and Jack brothers.
8. The dog very small.
9. They my grandparents.
10.Anna at the airport.
11.My brother older than me.
12.I in Spain.
13.You a very kind person.
14. You and I classmates.
15 My friend here

#### B. Fill in the blank with was or were

1. 1 at nome.					
2. We in the garden.					
3. How old John last year?					
4. Where you at eight o' clock?					
5. Mary at home yesterday night.					
6. The crayons under the table.					
7. They at the concert last night					
8 you born in 1999?					
9. They swimming on Mondays.					
10.Her dress red and white.					
11.Kim playing with her sister					
12.His dogs very small.					



## C. Choose the correct option.

- 1. The weather (was/were) sunny yesterday.
- 2. The science test (was/ were) very easy.
- 3. They (was/ were) at the beach yesterday evening.
- 4. Rose and Peter (was/were) very busy.
- 5. Where (was/were) violet last Saturday?
- 6. My grandparents (was/were) at home yesterday.
- 7. That (was/were) my brother's favorite toy.
- 8. My family (was/were) in the south of the Island last summer.

## **Answers**

A. 1(am), 2 (is), 3 (is), 4(are), 5 (are), 6 (is), 7 (are), 8(is), 9 (are), 10 (is), 11 (is), 12 (am), 13 (are), 14 (are), 15 (are not)

B. 1(was), 2 (were), 3 (was), 4 (were), 5 (was), 6 (were), 7 (were), 8 (were), 9 (were), 10 (was), 11 (was), 12 (were).

C. 1 (was). 2 (was), 3 (were), 4 (were), 5 (was), 6 (were), 7 (was), 8 (was)