Error Correction Answers

Look at each sentence. They are all incorrect. Explain why the sentence is incorrect and write the correct sentence in the spaces provided.

1) I used to go to the park every day, I still do.

EXPLANATION

Used to is for past events that no longer happen.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I usually go to the park every day, I still do.

2) Did you used to watch TV as a child?

EXPLANATION

"Used to" as a question is in the infinitive form - use to.

CORRECT SENTENCE

Did you use to watch TV as a child?

3) I didn't used to go to school.

EXPLANATION

"Used to" as a negative must be in the infinitive form - use to.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I didn't use to go to school.



4) I used to reading lots of books when I was younger.

EXPLANATION

"Used to" is followed by the infinitive verb.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I used to read lots of books when I was younger.

5) I used play in the garden with my friends as a child.

EXPLANATION

When talking about past habits we use "used to" not the verb to use.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I used to play in the garden with my friends as a child.

6) I do usually my homework after school.

EXPLANATION

"Usually" follows the position rules of adverbs of frequency.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I usually do my homework after school.

7) What is the used of this tool? Can you explain it to me?

EXPLANATION

This sentence requires the noun form - "use".

CORRECT SENTENCE

What is the use of this tool? Can you explain it to me?

