

BE USED TO

GET USED TO



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# STORY

When Juan first moved from Spain to the UK, he had to start driving on the left. It was difficult for him at first, because he wasn't familiar with driving on the left. After some time, Juan started to become more familiar with driving on the left. After about a week, Juan was okay with driving on the left and he didn't have any problems with it. Now, Juan can confidently drive on the left.

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When Juan first moved from Spain to the UK, he had to start driving on the left. It was difficult for him at first, because **he wasn't used to driving** on the left.

# STORY

After some time, Juan started **to become more familiar with driving** on the left.

After some time, Juan started **to get used to driving on the left.**

# STORY

After about a week, **Juan became familiar with driving** on the left and he didn't have any problems with it.

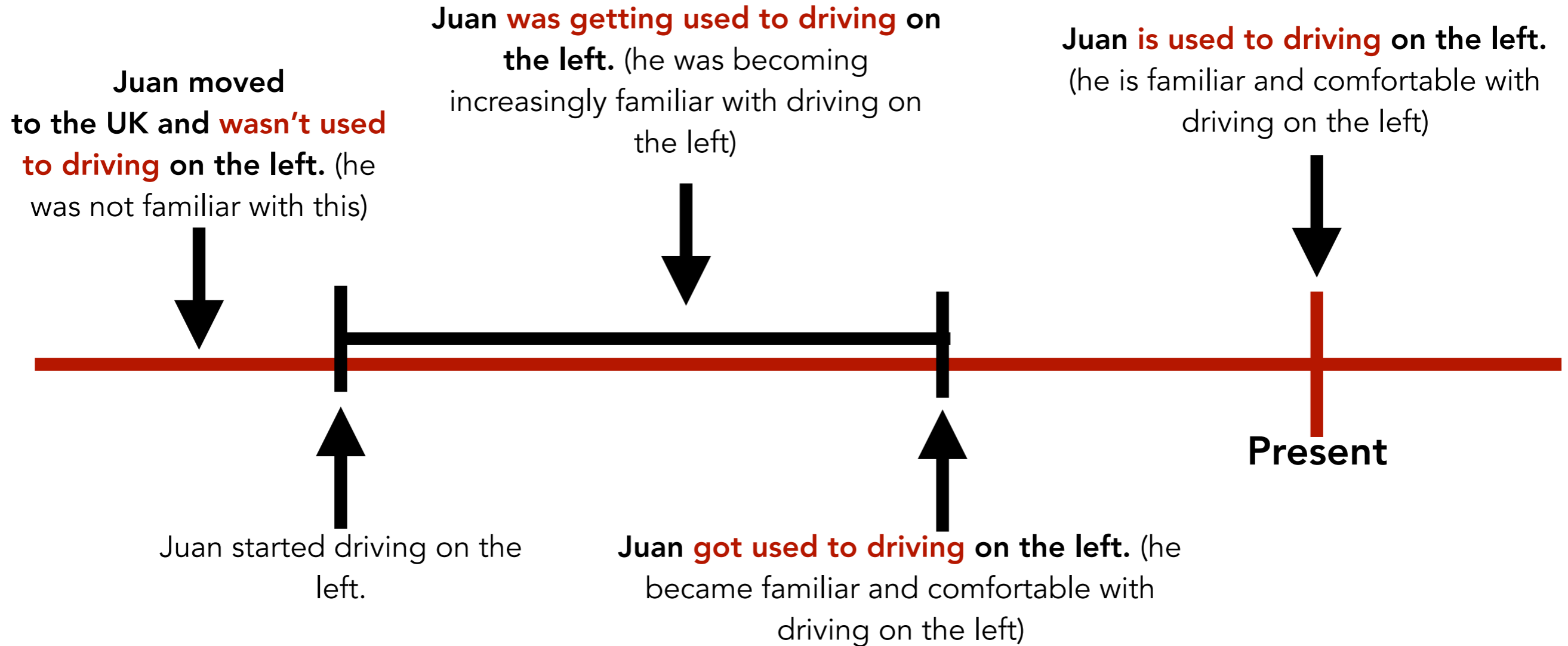
After about a week, **Juan got used to driving** on the left and he didn't have any problems with it.

# STORY

Now, **Juan feels comfortable with driving** on the left.

Now, **Juan** \_\_\_\_\_ **driving** on the left.

# TIMELINE



# be used to + ing

Refers to **feeling** familiar or comfortable with something.

# get used to + ing

Refers to the **process** of becoming familiar or comfortable with something.



# MORE EXAMPLES

## be used to + ing

- **I'm used to streaming** lessons every week.
- **I feel comfortable with streaming** lessons every week.
  
- When I moved to Bristol, **I wasn't used to the accent.**
- When I moved to Bristol, **I wasn't familiar with the accent.**

# MORE EXAMPLES

## get used to + ing

- **I'm getting used to receiving** lots of messages.
- **I becoming familiar with receiving** lots of messages.
  
- After streaming for a month on YouTube, **I got used to doing** live lessons.
- After streaming for a month on YouTube, **I became familiar with doing** live lessons.

# be used to + ing

be + used to + ing

I **am used to teaching** online.

be + used to + it/them/noun

I **am not used to hot weather.**

# get used to + ing

get + used to + ing

I **got used to teaching** online a few years ago.

get + used to + it/them/noun

I **got used to it.**

(continuous) to be + getting + used to + ing/noun/etc.

I **am getting used to receiving** lots of comments.

# DO NOT CONFUSE THESE TWO!!

**be + used to + ing = being familiar/comfortable/accustomed to something**

I **am used to teaching** online. = I am accustomed to/familiar/comfortable with teaching online.

**used to + verb = something happened repeatedly in the past that doesn't happen now**

I **used to teach** online. = I taught online in the past (repeatedly) but now I don't.

# PRACTICE TIME

Answer the following questions in the comments to practise what we have learnt today.

# PRACTICE TIME

1. Tell me one thing **I will need to get used to** (become comfortable with) **if I move to your country.**

If you move to England, **you will need to get used to the changing weather.**

# PRACTICE TIME

2. What is something **you need to get used to** (you need to become familiar with) **when you move away from your parents' house?**

**You need to get used to cooking your own food.**

# PRACTICE TIME

3. What things **are you used to doing** (are you familiar with doing) **that many people aren't?**

**I'm used to doing** livestreams.



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