School system in the past

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Start of school year

- » My grandmother went to school for the first time on 1st September 1953
- She used to go to school on Saturdays
- In 70- ties became Saturday part of the weekend



Lessons

- In primary school were lessons in different times
- In first week were school lessons in the morning, but in second week were lesson in the afternoon
- In one day were 4 lessons, because in one class were 28-30 pupils



Breaks

- Breaks took 5–10 minutes
- Pupils had to be in School hall only on 15 minute break
- They had lunch in school too for a small charge

School uniforms

- On primary school they didn't wear uniforms, but on National holiday they wore Pioneer uniforms (light-blue blouse, dark-blue skirt or panties and red scarf to neck)
- In high school they could wear school uniforms if they wanted,
- they usually sewed it by themselves



Activities

- They had many activities in school, like carnival, School in Nature (trip for three weeks)
- It were poor times, so mothers sewed costumes for children (my granny was Netherlands girl, her sister was Daisy flower,...)





Thanks for your attention!