There Is / There Are Exercise 1

Change these (strange!) sentences so that you use ‘there + the correct tense of be’:

1. Two apples are on the table.

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2. A boy doesn't exist in the street.

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3. Does an ATM exist near here?

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4. A party will exist tomorrow.

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5. A lot of illnesses existed in the 14th century.

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6. Hardly any people were at the meeting.

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7. A Starbucks is next to the bank.

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8. Does a table exist in the garden?

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9. A bath doesn’t exist in my flat.

10. Does a train exist to Glasgow tonight?

11. Does somewhere to get coffee exist in the station?

12. A lot of mountains exist in Switzerland.

13. Many mosquitoes didn’t exist near the lake.

14. Will biscuits exist at the meeting?

15. Any bread doesn’t exist in the kitchen.

16. Does a good clothes shop exist in this town?
17. Did good teachers exist at your school?

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18. A police station exists nearby.

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19. Did a lot of people exist in the restaurant?

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20. No flowers exist in the hall.

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Answers

1. There are two apples on the table.

2. There isn't a boy in the street.

3. Is there an ATM near here?

4. There will be a party tomorrow.

5. There were a lot of illnesses in the 14th century.

6. There were hardly any people at the meeting.

7. There's a Starbucks next to the bank.

8. Is there a table in the garden?

9. There isn't a bath in my flat.

10. Is there a train to Glasgow tonight?

11. Is there somewhere to get coffee in the station?

12. There are a lot of mountains in Switzerland.

13. There weren't many mosquitoes near the lake.

14. Will there be biscuits at the meeting?

15. There isn't any bread in the kitchen.

16. Is there a good clothes shop in this town?

17. Were there good teachers at your school?

18. There's a police station nearby.

19. Were there a lot of people in the restaurant?

20. There are no flowers in the hall.