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Simple past- pronunciation

There are three pronunciation sounds in the regular verbs when they are pronounced in the past.



/d/

It is pronounced /d/ when the last sound is:
l, m, n, r, v, b, z and vowel sound.

This is called: **voiced sound**

/id/

It is pronounced /t/ when the last sound is:
ss, sh, ch, k, p

This is called: **voiceless sound**

/t/

It is pronounced: /id/ when the last sound is:
t or d

Highlight the last letter before the letters 'ed'. Then write the /ed/ sound beside it. The first one has been done for you as an example.

cal**m** - calmed

/d/

push-pushed



flood- flooded



snow- snowed



shout- shouted



want- wanted



confuse- confused



kiss- kissed



wash- washed



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Simple past- sorting

Sort the following simple past tense verbs in the right boxes.



id



t

d



crashed

changed

collected

cooked

cleaned

printed

passed

baked

called

hunted

hated

danced

guessed

rained

skated

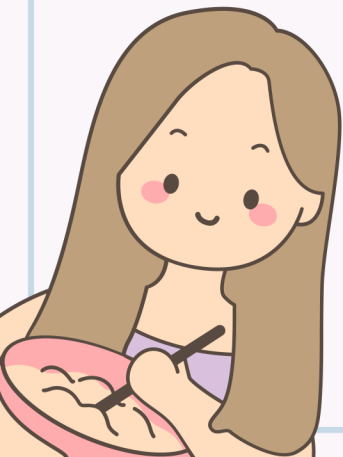
lived

treated

reported

cried

watched



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Simple past- pick the sound

Read each word and circle the correct ending sound.



walked

id t d

answered

id t d

Arrived

id t d

wanted

id t d

waited

id t d

decided

id t d

painted

id t d

started

id t d

pulled

id t d

realized

id t d

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Washed

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fixed

id t d

rained

id t d

escaped

id t d



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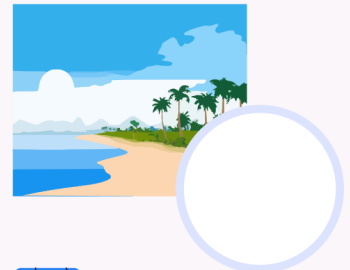
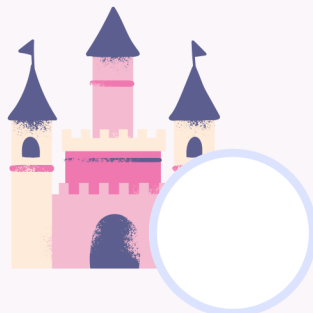
When to use simple past

We use simple past tense when talking about activities that happened in the past. Read the sentences below. Circle the time-related words that tell you the actions happened in the past and underline the verbs in simple past tense.



1. I went to the zoo yesterday.
2. Mom drove us to the beach this morning.
3. Once upon a time, a pretty princess lived in a remote castle.
4. Dad fixed his neighbor's red car in 2022.
5. Jenny danced and sang a lot of songs last night.
6. The brown cat purred when she saw a mouse moments ago.

Write the number of sentence that each picture describes best.



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The verb table

We double the last letter before putting /ed/ when the 2nd letter is a vowel except when there are 2 vowels before the last letter. Fill in the blanks below;



Base form	Past Tense Verb
hug	
trick	
stop	
jail	
share	
hunt	
invite	
need	
shop	



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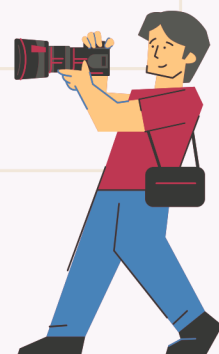
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Irregular Past Tense Verbs

Sometimes we do not add 'ed' to form a simple past tense verb. We may need to change the entire form of the word. Fill in the blanks with the simple past tense verb and match the images.



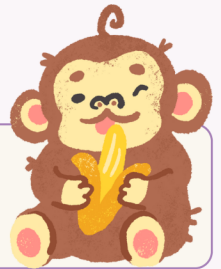
Base form	Past Tense Verb	Base form	Past Tense Verb
run		sell	
ride		blow	
take		break	
draw		buy	
drink		can	
read		send	
go		mean	
shake		begin	
eat		lose	
drive		make	
bite		shoot	



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Making Questions



Take a look at how to form questions using simple past tense.

Yes/No questions:



Did + Subject + Verb (base form).....?

Example: *Did you see the owl last night?*

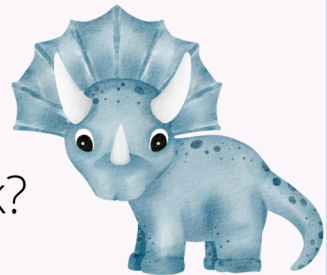
Wh questions:



Wh word + did + Subject + Verb (base form).....?

Example: *Where did the raccoon go, Joe?*

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs.



1. _____ you _____ (visit) Grandma las week?
2. _____ dinosaurs _____ (travel) across continents?
3. Why _____ Mom _____ (drive) us to school today?
4. Where _____ Pat _____ (study) when she was 6?
5. When _____ Mary _____ (wake) up this morning?



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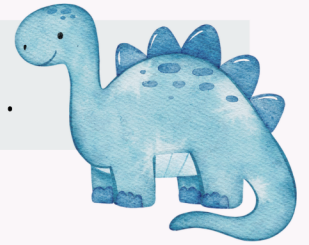
Negative sentences

Take a look at how to form negative sentences using simple past tense.



Forming Negative Sentences:

Subject + did not + verb (base form)



Example: *I did not see any dinosaurs last night.*

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs.

1 We _____ (not go) swimming last week.

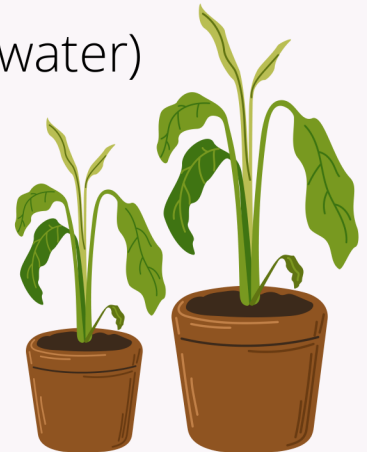
2. John _____ (not meet) Karen yesterday.

3. A few days ago, I _____ (not water)

my plants and they all withered today.

4. Carson _____ (not listen) to

the teacher and he got into trouble.



5. Sally _____ (not win) first prize last year but

she _____ (not give) up and will participate in

the race again this year.

