

## Past Simple Regular verbs

A) Write the simple past form of the verbs.

### Spelling rules for simple past regular verbs

- most of the verbs + **ed** example: play – **played**
- verbs ending in “e” + **d** example: arrive -**arrived**
- one syllable verb ending in consonant-vocal-consonant: double consonant+**ed**  
Example: stop –**stopped**
- verbs ending in consonant +**y** : +**ied** example: try - **tried**

live		try	
miss		cry	
perform		stop	
dance		create	
act		study	
drop		help	
arrive		chat	
finish		watch	

B) Complete the sentences with the simple past of the verbs in parenthesis.

- 1) They ..... to the radio last night. (listen)
- 2) The concert ..... at midnight. (finish)
- 3) Alan ..... Europe in 2009. (visit)
- 4) Laura ..... in Los Angles. (study)
- 5) We ..... soccer in the park yesterday. (play)
- 6) The train ..... for two hours. (stop)

C) Write affirmative and negative sentences as in the example:



He didn't play football (x)



He played tennis (✓)



1) They ..... in the morning(x)

(chat)

2) They ..... at night.(✓)





Watch TV (x)

3) Lucy ..... (x)

4) She ..... (✓)



Listen to music (✓)



Cry (x)

5) She ..... (x)

6) She ..... (✓)



laugh (✓)



Live in Paris (x)

7) They ..... in Paris in 2005. (x)

8) They ..... in New York in 2005. (✓)



live in New York (✓)



Arrive London (x)

9) They ..... in London. (x)

10) They ..... in Argentina. (✓)



arrive Argentina (✓)