

Negatives in the Simple Past

To form negative statements in the simple past, use the past simple of "do" and the base verb.

Example: played danced tried stopped
 didn't play didn't dance didn't try didn't stop

Choose the best form of each verb to complete the sentence.

- 1) Aaron (not study) _____ for his exam, so he didn't do well.
- 2) Jay and Bill (not watch) _____ TV last night.
- 3) Annie (not go) _____ to work yesterday.
- 4) We (not take) _____ a vacation last year.
- 5) Carl (not eat) _____ breakfast today.

Write the correct form of each verb in each box.

- 6) I (not sleep) _____ well last night.
- 7) Penny (not have) _____ a pet when she was little.
- 8) Bobby (not ride) _____ his bike last weekend.
- 9) Sam (not walk) _____ downtown.
- 10) We (not call) _____ our grandma yet this week.

Your turn! Write two sentences using negatives in the simple past.

- 11) _____

- 12) _____
