PAST TENSE: REGULAR VERBS

To change regular verbs to past tense we do it in the following way:

- We add ED to the verb. Examples: dream**ed** - mix**ed** - kiss**ed** - kill**ed**
- We add D to the verbs that end in E. Examples: die**d** - solve**d** - phone**d** - prepare**d**
- We change the "y" for an "i" if the verbs end in "-y". Examples: cry – cr**ied** - try – tr**ied**
- If the verb ends in a vowel before "y" we only add ed: play**ed** - pray**ed**

There are rules for **pronunciation** of regular verbs:

- 1.- Verbs ending in /**T**/ or /**D**/ are pronounced /**ID**/. Examples: start > start**ed**, add > add**ed**.
- 2.- Verbs ending in a voiceless consonant are pronounced /**T**/. (s, k, p, sh, ch, gh /f/, x). Examples: miss**ed**, talk**ed**, laugh**ed**, stopp**ed**, wash**ed**, watch**ed**, mix**ed**.
- 3.- Verbs ending in a voiced consonant are pronounced /**D**/. (m, n, l, r, b, g, z, v, y, w, vowels) Examples: listen**ed**, stay**ed**.

Change the following verbs to past tense, then write /t/ /d/ or /id/ according to their pronunciation like in the example:

Example: answer = *answered* /d/

1. arrive _____
2. ask _____
3. call _____
4. decide_____
5. die _____
6. discover _____
7. end _____
8. follow _____
9. iron _____
10. kill _____
11. kiss _____
12. knock _____
13. laugh _____
14. live _____
15. love _____
16. marry _____
17. mix _____
18. pass _____
19. open _____
20. practice _____
21. prefer _____
22. prepare _____
23. push _____
24. rain _____
25. remember _____
26. shout _____
27. show _____
28. solve _____
29. start _____
30. study _____
31. survive _____
32. touch _____
33. travel _____
34. turn _____
35. visit _____
36. wait _____
37. walk _____
38. want _____
39. wash _____
40. work _____

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