

PAST SIMPLE-IRREGULAR VERBS

A) Write the **past** forms of the regular verbs below.

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| 1. drink | _____ | 13. sleep | _____ |
| 2. swim | _____ | 14. fly | _____ |
| 3. buy | _____ | 15. begin | _____ |
| 4. sell | _____ | 16. speak | _____ |
| 5. read | _____ | 17. cut | _____ |
| 6. write | _____ | 18. be | _____ |
| 7. have | _____ | 19. sing | _____ |
| 8. take | _____ | 20. break | _____ |
| 9. leave | _____ | 21. hit | _____ |
| 10. ride | _____ | 22. come | _____ |
| 11. drive | _____ | 23. go | _____ |
| 12. eat | _____ | 24. see | _____ |



B) Rewrite these sentences making them **positive**.

- Betty didn't leave home at 7 a.m. this morning.
_____.
- The children didn't fly their kites two days ago.
_____.
- My father didn't come home before dinner.
_____.
- Mr. Miller didn't teach Italian five years ago.
_____.
- Joshua didn't drink milk at breakfast yesterday.
_____.
- His sister didn't drive to work last Wednesday.
_____.

C) Rewrite these sentences making them **negative**.

- Frank and Anna rode their bicycles in the park.
_____.
- The singer sang my favourite song last weekend.
_____.
- I spoke French when I was in Paris last autumn.
_____.
- My cousin, Alan did his homework after school.
_____.
- Mrs. Wilson fed those street cats this morning.
_____.
- Her parents ate dinner at a Chinese restaurant.
_____.
- The fishermen caught a lot of fish last Sunday.
_____.

D) Answer the questions **about yourself**.

- What did you eat at breakfast this morning?
_____.
- Where did you last go for holiday?
_____.
- Which film did you last see at the cinema?
_____.
- Did you buy any clothes for yourself last week?
_____.
- Who did you last speak with on the telephone?
_____.

E) Read the answers and write questions to the **underlined** words.

- _____?
Vincent drew this nice picture last Sunday.
- _____?
Bobby spent \$50 at the toy shop yesterday.
- _____?
Mr. Lee wrote a novel in July last summer.
- _____?
My uncle built that big barn for the cows.
- _____?
Yes, she brought her project to the teacher.
- _____?
Joyse and Jordan ran by the lake every day.
- _____?
I fed the dogs at 8 a.m. yesterday morning.
- _____?
No, Aaron didn't sell his house three years ago.
- _____?
My parents met their colleagues last weekend.
- _____?
Mrs. Martin ate fried chicken at lunch today.

ANSWER KEY

A) Write the **past** forms of the regular verbs below.

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| 1. drank | 9. left | 17. cut |
| 2. swam | 10. rode | 18. was/were |
| 3. bought | 11. drove | 19. sang |
| 4. sold | 12. ate | 20. broke |
| 5. read | 13. slept | 21. hit |
| 6. wrote | 14. flew | 22. came |
| 7. had | 15. began | 23. went |
| 8. took | 16. spoke | 24. saw |

B) Rewrite these sentences making them **positive**.

1. Betty left home at 7 a.m. this morning.
2. The children flew their kites two days ago.
3. My father came home before dinner.
4. Mr. Miller taught Italian five years ago.
5. Joshua drank milk at breakfast yesterday.
6. Her sister drove to work last Wednesday.

C) Rewrite these sentences making them **negative**.

1. Frank and Anna didn't ride their bicycles in the park.
2. The singer didn't sing my favourite song last weekend.
3. I didn't speak French when I was in Paris last autumn.
4. My cousin, Alan didn't do his homework after school.
5. Mrs. Wilson didn't feed those street cats this morning.
6. Her parents didn't eat dinner at a Chinese restaurant.
7. The fishermen didn't catch a lot of fish last Sunday.

D) Answer the questions **about yourself**.

Your own answers

E) Read the answers and write questions to the **underlined** words.

1. When did Vincent draw this nice picture?
2. How much did Bobby spend at the toy shop yesterday?
3. What did Mr. Lee write in July last summer?
4. Who built that big barn for the cows?
5. Did she bring her project to the teacher?
6. How often did Joyse and Jordan run by the lake?
7. What time did you feed the dogs yesterday morning?
8. Did Aaron sell his house three years ago?
9. What did your parents do last weekend?
10. What did Mr. Martin eat at lunch today?