3 Grammar

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Simple past irregular verbs: affirmative

Base form	Past simple
come	came
give	gave
buy	bought
teach	taught

Base form	Past simple
break	broke
speak	spoke
sell	sold
tell	told

Base form	Past simple
grow	grew
know	knew
cut	cut
put	put

When a verb is irregular, we do not add **-ed** to make the simple past form. There are no rules. They all have different forms. Like regular past forms, they are the same for all persons.

There is a simple past Irregular verbs list at the back of the book.

5 ★ **Complete the table with the simple past form of the verbs in the box.**

~~became~~ caught drank left saw went

Infinitive	Past simple
become	0 became
catch	1 _____
drink	2 _____
see	3 _____
go	4 _____
leave	5 _____

6 ★★ **Complete the dialogues with the simple past form of the verbs.**

1 "You forgot (forget) my birthday!"
"Oh no! I _____ (think) your birthday was in May!"

2 "I _____ (find) this in the history classroom."
"That isn't mine! Look – it's Eva's. You _____ (take) her coat!"

3 "Jake says you _____ (meet) Beyoncé. Is it true?"
"Yes! And we _____ (speak) to her for ten minutes!"

4 "Lily _____ (run) 10 kilometers in 40 minutes!"
"Wow! I _____ (know) she was good at sports, but that's amazing!"

5 "I _____ (sleep) for 12 hours last night and I feel amazing!"
"I don't. I _____ (get up) at 6:00 a.m."

7 ★★ **Look at the pictures and complete the sentences with the simple past form of the verbs.**



0 We got up early and we made pancakes for breakfast. (get up / make)



1 We _____ a great place to swim. We all _____ in the water. It was cold! (find / swim)



2 We _____ fish for dinner and my friends _____ me to cook them. (catch / teach)



3 We _____ under the stars and _____ dinner together. (sit / eat)



4 After dinner, we _____ songs and we _____ stories. (sing / tell)



5 We _____ tired and happy. We _____ really well! (feel / sleep)

LO **Use simple past irregular verbs to talk about others**

✓ This is easy 😊 OK 😐 hard ☹ for me.

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