

IRREGULAR VERBS AT THE WORLD CUP!

We use Past Simple of irregular verbs to talk about actions that happened in the past.

IRREGULAR VERBS – PAST SIMPLE

INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE
be	was / were	go	went
become	became	have	had
begin	began	know	knew
break	broke	make	made
come	came	see	saw
do	did	take	took
drink	drank	win	won
eat	ate	write	wrote
get	got		
give	gave		

1 COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE PAST SIMPLE FORM OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS.

1. Argentina _____ (win) the World Cup in 2022.
2. Messi _____ (score) seven goals in the tournament.
3. The final _____ (be) in Lusail Stadium.
4. Mbappé _____ (become) the top scorer.
5. The match _____ (start) at 6 p.m.
6. France _____ (go) to extra time.
7. Argentina _____ (beat) France on penalties.
8. Emiliano Martínez _____ (save) two penalties.
9. The fans _____ (celebrate) all night.
10. I _____ (watch) the final with my family.



2 LOOK AT THE PICTURES AND WRITE SENTENCES USING THE PAST SIMPLE OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS.

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(win / the World Cup)

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2



(save / a penalty)

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3



(score / three goals)

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4



(coach / France)

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5



(begin / the tournament)

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3 CHANGE THE SENTENCES INTO NEGATIVE.

1. Argentina won the World Cup. → _____
2. They played a great game. → _____
3. Messi scored two goals. → _____
4. Mbappé scored a hat-trick. → _____
5. The fans celebrated in the streets. → _____
6. I watched the match at home. → _____
7. The final was exciting. → _____
8. We enjoyed the World Cup. → _____

4 ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

1. Who won the World Cup in 2022? _____
2. Where was the final match? _____
3. Who was the top scorer? _____
4. Did France win the final? _____
5. What time did the match start? _____
6. Who saved two penalties? _____
7. Did you watch the World Cup? _____
8. What was your favorite moment? _____

5 PUT THE VERBS IN BRACKETS IN THE CORRECT FORM (PAST SIMPLE).

Last year, I _____ (see) the World Cup final with my friends. We _____ (go) to my house and _____ (watch) the match on TV. Argentina _____ (play) against France. Messi _____ (score) two goals and Mbappé _____ (score) three goals. The match _____ (be) very exciting! In the end, Argentina _____ (win) on penalties. We all _____ (cheer) and _____ (celebrate). It _____ (be) an unforgettable day!

DID YOU KNOW?

The 2022 World Cup in Qatar was the first to be played in the Middle East.



CHALLENGE!

Write a short paragraph (6–8 sentences) about your favorite World Cup match or player. Use at least 6 irregular verbs in the Past Simple.

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