

## 2 GRAMMAR Past simple: positive

- a **Underline** the past simple form of verbs 1–5 in the text.

- 1 work
- 2 start
- 3 live
- 4 decide
- 5 love

- b Complete the rule.

To form the past simple of regular verbs add \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_

- c **2.55 Pronunciation** Listen to the infinitive and the past simple form of the verbs in 1a. Which two verbs have an extra syllable in the past?

- d Complete the rule with two sounds.

\_\_\_\_\_ -ed endings have an extra syllable /əd/ only after \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

- e **2.56** Practise saying these past simple forms. Which have an extra syllable? Listen and check your answers.

- looked
- waited
- arrived
- finished
- hated
- wanted
- remembered
- needed

- f **Underline** the past simple form of verbs 1–4 in *His family secret*. Are these verbs regular or irregular?

- 1 have
- 2 find
- 3 make
- 4 become

- g **Now go to Grammar Focus 6B on p.146**

## 4 VOCABULARY

### Past simple irregular verbs

- a Hannah and Charlie use the past simple irregular verbs in the box in their conversation. Match them with 1–9.

went	spent	got	made	told
came	bought	cost	ate	

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| 1 buy  | 4 go    | 7 make |
| 2 eat  | 5 cost  | 8 get  |
| 3 tell | 6 spend | 9 come |

- b **Now go to Vocabulary Focus 6B on p.163**

- c Use the verbs *go, eat, buy, make* and *get* to talk about things you did:

- last night
- yesterday
- last week
- last year

## 5 SPEAKING

- a **2.59** Read about Becky's hobby. Complete the text with the past simple form of the verbs in the box. Listen and check your answers.

play buy like listen have start

When I was young my hobby was playing the piano. I only  
 1 \_\_\_\_\_ jazz not modern or classical music. My parents  
 2 \_\_\_\_\_ me a piano when I was eight years old and I  
 3 \_\_\_\_\_ lessons then. They 4 \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of  
 jazz CDs and I always 5 \_\_\_\_\_ to them. So they were  
 happy for me to play jazz. I 6 \_\_\_\_\_ jazz piano all the  
 time. I still play the piano now and jazz is still my favourite music.

## 3 LISTENING

- a Steve Jobs' hobby when he was a child was electronics. Tick (✓) the hobbies you did when you were a child.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> reading          | <input type="checkbox"/> taking photos      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> drawing pictures | <input type="checkbox"/> playing the guitar |

Can you think of other hobbies?

- b **2.54** Listen to Hannah and Charlie. What were their childhood hobbies?

- c **2.56** Listen again and complete the notes about Hannah and Charlie.

	Hannah	Charlie
hobby details	basketball	cakes
parents' problem		
now		

- b Think of a hobby you had when you were a child. Make notes. Read Becky's example in 5a to help you. Think about:

- what you did
- how your parents helped you

- c Talk with a partner about your childhood hobby. Start the conversation with this question.

What was your hobby when you were a child?

