

GRAMMAR

Simple past (regular verbs)

- 1 Find the simple past forms of these verbs in the article and write them below. Then complete the rules.

0	start	<u>started</u>	5	stay	_____
1	want	_____	6	plan	_____
2	use	_____	7	decide	_____
3	finish	_____	8	try	_____
4	work	_____	9	ask	_____

- 2 Complete the sentences. Use the simple past form of the verbs.

- 0 When my grandfather was young, he
 played (play) with LEGOs all the time.
- 1 We _____ (start) to paint our house
last month, and we _____ (finish)
yesterday.
- 2 I _____ (decide) to change my bedroom,
so I _____ (paint) the walls pink.
- 3 We _____ (try) to find another
house last year because we _____
(want) to move.
- 4 I _____ (visit) my aunt and uncle
because they _____ (want) to show
me their new apartment.
- 5 My parents _____ (study)
lots of ideas for a new kitchen before they
_____ (order) it.
- 6 On my last vacation, I _____ (stay)
with my grandparents and _____
(help) them clean up the yard.