



## Past simple : regular and irregular

### **PUT THE VERBS BETWEEN BRACKETS IN THE PAST SIMPLE**

1. My sister ----- (invite) some friends for her birthday.
2. They ----- (go) to the supermarket to do some Christmas shopping.
3. We ----- (spend) some time in the Alps last summer.
4. My friends ----- (eat) in a very good restaurant yesterday evening.
5. He ----- (cut) himself while he was peeling potatoes.
6. American people ----- (celebrate) Thanksgiving not long ago.
7. They ----- (read) a very interesting article in the newspaper.
8. It ----- (rain) a lot this past last months, so there ----- (be) many floods in some parts of the world.
9. My mother ----- (forget) to buy some toilet paper, so we ----- (have) to use tissues yesterday !!!! Quite embarrassing indeed !!
10. We ----- (write) an essay in French about freedom of speech.
11. I ----- (do) the housework last weekend because Mum ----- (not/be) home, so I ----- (want) to help Dad.
12. My neighbours ----- (play) basketball with us in the square.
13. Sally ----- (listen) to Cold Play 's latest album when she ----- (be) at her friend's last weekend.
14. Bob ----- (buy) tickets for Sting's concert and ----- (give) one to me three days ago .
15. The Chinese ----- (build) the Wall many centuries ago.
16. Charles Dickens ----- (write) « Oliver Twist » and many other books.
17. Abraham Lincoln ----- (abolish) slavery in 1863.
18. My friends ----- (watch) plenty of new videos last weekend.
19. Steve ----- (book) a hotel for his summer holidays last week !
20. William the Conqueror ----- (invade) England and he ----- (become) King there, he ----- (have) the Tower of London built, and people ----- (speak) French at the royal Court at that time.
21. Sandy ----- (take) part in « America's got Talent » and she ----- (win).
22. My grandparents ----- (travel) a lot when they ----- (be) young, and ----- (visit) many foreign countries.
23. My aunt ----- (teach) me how to knit last winter holidays .
24. The inhabitants of Berlin ----- (destroy) the wall that ----- (separate) the town in 1989. I ----- (be) there, and it ----- (be) a moving experience , because many people ----- (cry) as they ----- (get) reunited!
26. Jenny ----- (plant) some trees in her garden last weekend.
27. Dave ----- (miss) his bus this morning so he ----- (run) all the way to work.
28. Sue ----- (sing) very well at the school show in June.
29. Some kids ----- (break) our windows as they ----- (be) Playing football in the street two hours ago.
30. Sam ----- (lose) his wallet yesterday.

