

The new year stands before us, like a chapter in a book, waiting to be written.
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G past simple: irregular verbs **V** go, have, get **P** sentence stress

1 GRAMMAR past simple: irregular verbs

a Write the past simple form of the verbs.

- 1 come came
- 2 drink
- 3 buy
- 4 know
- 5 find
- 6 think
- 7 take
- 8 say
- 9 put on

b Change the sentences from the present to the past.

- 1 He comes home late. (last night)
He came home late last night.
- 2 Max goes shopping after work. (last night)
He
- 3 Emily wears jeans. (yesterday)
She
- 4 We don't have dinner at home. (last night)
We
- 5 They buy a lot of things. (yesterday)
They
- 6 Alex doesn't get up early. (yesterday morning)
He
- 7 My daughter feels ill. (yesterday)
She
- 8 Helen doesn't go out during the week. (last week)
She
- 9 I have breakfast. (yesterday)
I
- 10 Lucy can't come to my party. (last year)
She

c Complete the questions in the conversation.



A Where ¹did you go last night?
 B I went to that new sushi bar in town.
 A ²Was it good?
 B Yes, it was great.
 A Who ³ with?
 B I went with my boyfriend.
 A What ⁴ ?
 B I wore jeans and my new black shirt.
 A What time ⁵ home?
 B We got home at about midnight.
 A ⁶ a taxi home?
 B Yes. We didn't want to drive.
 A ⁷ a good time?
 B Yes, we had a great time. The food was fantastic!
 A ⁸ it expensive?
 B Yes, very expensive.

2 VOCABULARY go, have, get

a Cross out the incorrect expression.

- 1 GO to the beach out to a restaurant a bus
- 2 HAVE lunch a sandwich for a walk a drink
- 3 GET dressed a good time up an email
- 4 GO to bed a car home on holiday
- 5 HAVE breakfast a bike a shower by train
- 6 GET shopping home a newspaper a taxi

b Complete the text with went, had, or got.



It was my wife's birthday last Saturday, so we went to Ibiza for the weekend. I booked a hotel on the internet, and on Friday we ¹got a taxi to the airport. When we ²went to the airport, we waited for our flight and we ³had a sandwich. It was late when we arrived at our hotel, so we ⁴went to bed.

The next day, we ⁵got up early and we ⁶had breakfast in the hotel. It was a beautiful day, so we ⁷went to the beach. We ⁸had a swim in the morning, and in the afternoon we ⁹went for a walk. In the evening, we ¹⁰had dinner in a local restaurant. The food was delicious! The next day was Sunday, so we visited the old town before we ¹¹got home. The weekend was very short, but we ¹²had a great time.

c Read the text in b again. Write the questions.

- 1 Where did he go? _____
To Ibiza.
- 2 Who did he _____?
With his wife.
- 3 How did they _____?
By plane.
- 4 When _____?
Late on Friday night.
- 5 What was _____?
The weather was very good.
- 6 _____?
They went for a swim and a walk.
- 7 _____?
In an expensive restaurant.
- 8 _____?
Yes, they had a great time.

d Write a paragraph about a weekend away. Use the questions in c to help you.

A weekend away

I went to _____

3 PRONUNCIATION sentence stress

① 7.4 Listen and repeat the questions. Copy the rhythm.

- 1 What did you **do** last night?
- 2 Who did you **go with**?
- 3 What did you **wear**?
- 4 Where did you **have dinner**?
- 5 What time did you **get home**?
- 6 Did you **have a good time**?

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