

Simple Past Tense Practice

Fill in the blank with the past tense of the verb in parentheses. At the end of each sentence, choose which sound the final -ed makes in each verb.

Example Mrs. Saldarriaga (grade) graded her students papers all weekend. /t/ /d/ /ed/

1. Tomas (dance) _____ at the party on Saturday night. /t/ /d/ /ed/
2. Silvia (paint) _____ a new picture this weekend. /t/ /d/ /ed/
3. Hanwen (listen) _____ to music on Sunday. /t/ /d/ /ed/
4. Kevin (practice) _____ the piano yesterday. /t/ /d/ /ed/
5. Koki (play) _____ his violin with the orchestra. /t/ /d/ /ed/
6. Richard (rest) _____ from having to stay up so late each night. /t/ /d/ /ed/
7. Masaomi (try) _____ playing a new video game. /t/ /d/ /ed/
8. Hanna (open) _____ a letter from her friend. /t/ /d/ /ed/
9. Mrs. Saldarriaga (travel) _____ to Norcross for a birthday party. /t/ /d/ /ed/
10. Mrs. Reed (attend) _____ a softball game. /t/ /d/ /ed/
11. Mrs. Tran (celebrate) _____ her daughter's birthday. /t/ /d/ /ed/
12. Molly, Mrs. Saldarriaga's cat, (meow) _____ outside the door. /t/ /d/ /ed/
13. Myriam (bake) _____ some blackberry scones. /t/ /d/ /ed/
14. The chef (prepare) _____ a feast for the diners. /t/ /d/ /ed/
15. The photographer (capture) _____ pictures of the children playing. /t/ /d/ /ed/
16. Marisol (cry) _____ when her favorite doll broke. /t/ /d/ /ed/
17. Yeji (talk) _____ to her best friend in Korea. /t/ /d/ /ed/
18. Mr. Saldarriaga (mow) _____ the grass. /t/ /d/ /ed/
19. My father (snore) _____ really loudly last night. /t/ /d/ /ed/
20. My new teacher (smile) _____ at me. /t/ /d/ /ed/
21. David (finish) _____ his homework this weekend. /t/ /d/ /ed/
22. Mr. Smith (pick) _____ apples at the farm. /t/ /d/ /ed/
23. Kathy (plant) _____ a tree in her yard. /t/ /d/ /ed/
24. Nicholas (compose) _____ a new song for the guitar. /t/ /d/ /ed/
25. The class (record) _____ their answers to the questions. /t/ /d/ /ed/
26. Yumeko (bike) _____ in a triathlon last weekend. /t/ /d/ /ed/
27. Gerard (visit) _____ his grandparents. /t/ /d/ /ed/
28. Sandra (fill) _____ out the application. /t/ /d/ /ed/
29. The farmer (plow) _____ the field. /t/ /d/ /ed/
30. It (snow) _____ on Christmas in 2010. /t/ /d/ /ed/

