

Using Irregular Verbs in Simple Past Tense

1. For many verbs, the simple past tense does not end in *-ed*.
2. The simple past form of these verbs is irregular.

Note: The simple past form is the same for all persons:

Example: I *saw* the moon. You *saw* the moon. We *saw* the moon.
They *saw* the moon. He/she/it *saw* the moon.

Directions: Write the correct form of the irregular verb in simple past tense.

Example: He _____ (to drink) the coffee.
He drank (to drink) the coffee.



- 1) The moon _____ (to come) out late last night.
- 2) Jessica _____ (to lose) her first tooth this morning.
- 3) My entire family _____ (to catch) the flu last winter.
- 4) The employees _____ (to do) a lot of work today.
- 5) The swimmers _____ (to hold) their breath and jumped in the water.
- 6) The baker _____ (to make) a cake for my birthday.
- 7) They _____ (to take) a picture of the mountain.
- 8) The teacher _____ (to teach) the students chemistry last year.
- 9) I _____ (to wear) my jacket to work yesterday.
- 10) We _____ (to go) to the zoo last weekend.
- 11) Tom _____ (to write) his family a letter.
- 12) I _____ (to see) a movie last night.

Directions: Now make your own sentences using irregular verbs in simple past tense.

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