

Phonics: pronunciation regular verbs in past.

A) Record the sentence. Use your cellphone mic. Be careful with the VERB IN PAST.

REMEMBER THE PRONUNCIATION:

Pronunciation of ED

/ɪd/	/t/	/d/
T wanted D needed	P helped K looked F sniffed GH laughed SH washed CH watched SS kissed C danced X fixed	L called N cleaned R offered G damaged V loved S used Z amazed B rubbed M claimed
* Voiced Sound = uses the vocal cords and they produce a vibration or humming sound in the throat. (Touch your throat to feel it)		VOICELESS
VOICED *		
Words that end in a vowel sound use the /d/ pronunciation for ED. e.g. -- followed -- enjoyed -- played -- tried -- continued		

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1. My mom allowed me to go to the party last night.

2. My teacher started a new topic a week ago.

3. The car crashed with the tree one hour ago.

4. The woman carried the baby in her arms.

5. The rabbit hopped very high to get the carrot.

6. My dad owned a house last year but not anymore.

7. I watched Netflix last weekend.

8. She decided to study Maths on Wednesday.

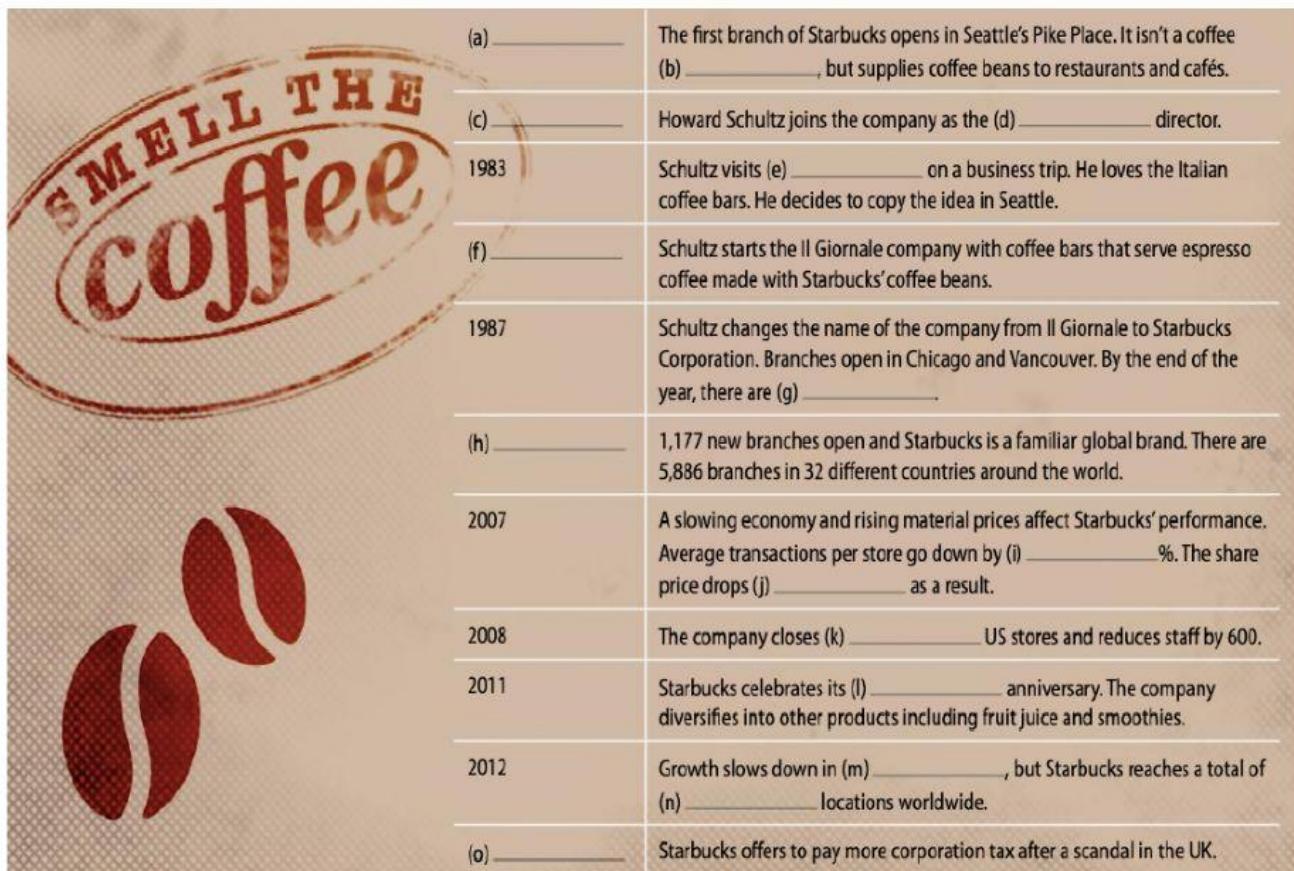
9. I liked my friend's party last Saturday.

10. What happened last class?

11. Last year I planted a tree in my house.

12. My mom shouted yesterday because she was angry.

B) Listen to the history of the popular coffee shop called "Starbucks"; and fill in the blanks with the missing information:



(a) _____	The first branch of Starbucks opens in Seattle's Pike Place. It isn't a coffee shop, but supplies coffee beans to restaurants and cafés.
(c) _____	Howard Schultz joins the company as the (d) _____ director.
1983	Schultz visits (e) _____ on a business trip. He loves the Italian coffee bars. He decides to copy the idea in Seattle.
(f) _____	Schultz starts the Il Giornale company with coffee bars that serve espresso coffee made with Starbucks' coffee beans.
1987	Schultz changes the name of the company from Il Giornale to Starbucks Corporation. Branches open in Chicago and Vancouver. By the end of the year, there are (g) _____.
(h) _____	1,177 new branches open and Starbucks is a familiar global brand. There are 5,886 branches in 32 different countries around the world.
2007	A slowing economy and rising material prices affect Starbucks' performance. Average transactions per store go down by (i) _____. The share price drops (j) _____ as a result.
2008	The company closes (k) _____ US stores and reduces staff by 600.
2011	Starbucks celebrates its (l) _____ anniversary. The company diversifies into other products including fruit juice and smoothies.
2012	Growth slows down in (m) _____, but Starbucks reaches a total of (n) _____ locations worldwide.
(o) _____	Starbucks offers to pay more corporation tax after a scandal in the UK.