

# Past Simple Endings: verb + -ed

## A Spelling focus

We usually form the past simple of regular verbs by adding *-ed* to the end of the verb.

walk                  walked

Some verbs end with an *e*, so we just add *-d*.

breathe              breathed

Some verbs end with a short vowel followed by one consonant. For these verbs, we double the consonant and add *-ed*.

stop                  stopped

## B Add the correct past simple ending for each verb.

1 jump  
ed ped d

4 clap  
ed ped d

7 stir  
d ed red

2 like  
ed ked d

5 climb  
d ed bed

8 share  
d ed red

3 shine  
ed ned d

6 invent  
ed d ted

9 grab  
ed bed d

**C** Write the verbs in the past simple.

1 skip skipped

2 arrive \_\_\_\_\_

3 ask \_\_\_\_\_

4 move \_\_\_\_\_

5 help \_\_\_\_\_

6 wash \_\_\_\_\_

7 chop \_\_\_\_\_

8 mix \_\_\_\_\_

9 bake \_\_\_\_\_

10 play \_\_\_\_\_

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