

Task 2) Reading and grammar

Grammar

Did you go shopping?

1 Read Nathalie's status update and answer the questions. Choose the correct answer.

1. Who needs a gadget?

a. Paul b. Nathalie

2. Which gadget?

a. mobile phone b. memory stick

3. Did they buy the gadget?

a. Yes, they did. b. No, they didn't.

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Nathalie

connected

Yesterday I texted my best friend Paul and we decided to go to the shopping centre. We didn't walk. We took the bus. We went shopping. Paul needed a new memory stick, but he didn't buy any! He didn't like them. At 1:00 pm, we ate rice and chicken at a new restaurant. It was delicious! Then we bought tickets to the cinema and saw the film *Pacific Rim*. We walked back home. We had a great time!



2 Mark these sentences as True or False.

1 Nathalie phoned Paul this morning.

a. True b. False

2 Nathalie and Paul went to the shopping centre.

a. True b. False

3 They ate chicken salad.

a. True b. False

4 They had lunch and went to the cinema.

a. True b. False

5 They took the bus home.

a. True b. False

3 Look at the verbs in the past form in the text.

Classify them into **REGULAR** or **IRREGULAR** in this table. Drag and drop them next to their infinitive form. Be careful with the negative (-) form and the affirmative (+) form.

REGULAR		IRREGULAR	
INFINITIVE	PAST FORM	INFINITIVE	PAST FORM
text		take	
decide		go	
walk (-)		buy (-)	
need		eat	
like (-)		to be	
walk (+)		see	
		have	
		buy (+)	

4 Now complete the RULES with the words in the box.

PAST SIMPLE: REGULAR AND IRREGULAR VERBS

- The past form of verbs ends in -ed.
- The past form of verbs is different for each verb.
- The past form of both regular and irregular verbs is the same form with didn't (did not) + the past form.

affirmative

regular

irregular

negative

different

infinitive

affirmative