

# SIMPLE PAST TENSE

## FORM

- + / S + was / were + O or S + V2 + O
- / S + was / were + not + O or S + did not + V(nt)
- ? / Was / Were + S + N / Adj? or Did + S + V(nt)?
- WH- + did + (not) + S + V(nt)?

## USAGE

- Actions that happened in the past, finished
- Actions that happened throughout a specific period of time in the past and ended in the present
- Second conditional if-clause

## SIGNAL WORDS

- Yesterday, in the past, the day before, ago, last, ...
- Used after: as if, as though, it's time, if only, wish, would sooner, ...




| TT | Infinitive     | Past      | PastParticiple | Meaning      |
|----|----------------|-----------|----------------|--------------|
| 1  | be (am,is,are) | was, were | been           | thì, là, ở   |
| 2  | become         | Became    | become         | trở nên      |
| 3  | begin          | Began     | begun          | bắt đầu      |
| 4  | blow           | Blew      | blown          | thổi         |
| 5  | break          | Broke     | broken         | bể, làm vỡ   |
| 6  | bring          | Brought   | brought        | mang         |
| 7  | build          | Built     | built          | xây dựng     |
| 8  | burst          | Burst     | burst          | nổ, nổ tung  |
| 9  | buy            | Bought    | bought         | mua          |
| 10 | can            | Could     |                | có thể       |
| 11 | catch          | Caught    | caught         | chup, bắt    |
| 12 | choose         | Chose     | chosen         | lua chọn     |
| 13 | come           | came      | come           | đến          |
| 14 | cost           | cost      | cost           | trị giá      |
| 15 | cut            | cut       | cut            | cắt          |
| 16 | do             | did       | done           | làm          |
| 17 | draw           | drew      | drawn          | vẽ           |
| 18 | drink          | drank     | drunk          | uống         |
| 19 | drive          | drove     | driven         | lái xe       |
| 20 | eat            | ate       | eaten          | ăn           |
| 21 | fall           | fell      | fallen         | roi, té, ngã |
| 22 | feed           | fed       | fed            | cho ăn, nuôi |
| 23 | feel           | felt      | felt           | cảm thấy     |
| 24 | fight          | fought    | fought         | chiến đấu    |
| 25 | find           | found     | found          | tim thấy     |
| 26 | fly            | flew      | flown          | bay          |
| 27 | forget         | forgot    | forgotten      | quên         |
| 28 | forgive        | forgave   | forgiven       | tha thứ      |

