

Past Simple

Negative Sentences

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You			after school.
We			yesterday.
They			in June.
He			in 1989.
She			on Monday.
It			at the weekend.

Negative Form of the Verb 'to be'

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Affirmative vs Negative Sentences:

Example:

She **played** tennis with her brother John on Monday. **Affirmative Sentence**

She **didn't play** tennis with her brother John on Monday. **Negative Sentence**

Complete the sentences in the Past Simple form using the correct form of the verb.

1) Harry _____ (visit) his grandparents last week.

Harry _____ (not visit) his cousins last Sunday.

2) My mom and dad _____ (go) to Barcelona three years ago.

My mom and dad _____ (not go) to Barcelona three years ago.

3) Grace _____ (have) dinner last night with her family.

Grace _____ (not have) breakfast this morning.

4) Jackson _____ (see) a very big elephant at the zoo yesterday.

Jackson _____ (not see) a very big monkey at the zoo.

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- Turn affirmative sentences into negative sentences. One has been made for you.

- 1) He **played** handball. - He **didn't play** handball.
- 2) I **cleaned** the classroom. - I _____ the classroom.
- 3) Barbara **asked** a lot of questions. - Barbara _____ a lot of questions.
- 4) Michael **washed** his hair. - Michael _____ his hair.
- 5) I **travelled** to London last year. - I _____ to London last year.
- 6) Andy **bought** a new shirt. - Andy _____ a new shirt.
- 7) They **went** shopping yesterday. - They _____ shopping yesterday.
- 8) William **rode** a horse last week. - William _____ a horse last week.
- 9) I **understood** what the teacher said. - I _____ what the teacher said.
- 10) They **were** at home last night. - They _____ at home last night.