



SIMPLE PAST

11.1 Complete the sentences. Use a verb from the box.

clean die enjoy finish happen open rain start stay want

- I cleaned my teeth three times yesterday.
- It was hot in the room, so I opened the window.
- The film was very long. It started at 7.15 and ended at 10 o'clock.
- When I was a child, I wanted to be a doctor.
- The accident happened last Sunday afternoon.
- It's a nice day today, but yesterday it was all day.
- We enjoyed our holiday last year. We stayed at a very nice place.
- Anna's grandfather died when he was 90 years old.

11.2 Write the past simple of these verbs.

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| 1 get <u>got</u> | 4 pay <u>paid</u> | 7 go <u>went</u> | 10 know <u>knew</u> |
| 2 see <u>saw</u> | 5 visit <u>visited</u> | 8 think <u>thought</u> | 11 put <u>put</u> |
| 3 play <u>played</u> | 6 buy <u>bought</u> | 9 copy <u>copied</u> | 12 speak <u>spoke</u> |

11.3 Read about Lisa's journey to Madrid. Put the verbs in the correct form.



Last Tuesday Lisa (1) flew from London to Madrid. She (2) got up at 6 o'clock in the morning and (3) drank a cup of coffee. At 6.30 she (4) left home and (5) drove to the airport. When she (6) arrived there, she (7) took the car, (8) parked to the airport building, and (9) checked in. Then she (10) had breakfast at a café and (11) waited for her flight. The plane (12) departed on time and (13) arrived in Madrid two hours later. Finally she (14) took a taxi from the airport to her hotel in the centre of Madrid.

fly, get
have
leave, drive
get, park, walk
check, have
wait, depart
arrive, take

11.4 Write sentences about the past (yesterday / last week etc.).

- James always goes to work by car. Yesterday he went to work by car.
- Rachel often loses her keys. She lost her keys last week.
- Kate meets her friends every evening. She met her friends yesterday evening.
- I usually buy two newspapers every day. Yesterday I bought two newspapers.
- We often go to the cinema at weekends. Last Sunday we went to the cinema.
- I eat an orange every day. Yesterday I ate an orange.
- Tom always has a shower in the morning. This morning he had a shower.
- Our friends often come to see us. They came to see us last Friday.

11.5 Write sentences about what you did yesterday.

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| 1 <u>I went to the theatre.</u> | 4 <u>I watched a film.</u> |
| 2 <u>I read a book.</u> | 5 <u>I went to the gym.</u> |
| 3 <u>I visited my grandparents.</u> | 6 <u>I went to the park.</u> |

