

Irregular Verbs in the Simple Past 6

Drag each irregular simple past verb below its base verb form.

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awake	bid	build	choose	dig	hit	let	pay	run	sit

Choose the correct form of each verb to complete the sentence.

- 1) Louisa (awake) _____ suddenly when the cat jumped on her bed.
- 2) Teddy went to an art auction and (bid) _____ on a beautiful painting.
- 3) The city (build) _____ a new shopping center near my house last year.
- 4) Alanna's parents were unhappy when she (choose) _____ to study art at university.
- 5) That naughty dog (dig) _____ a hole in my new flower bed yesterday!

Write the correct form of each verb in the box.

- 6) Casey swung the bat, (hit) _____ the ball, and scored a home run!
- 7) Bonnie opened the door, and (let) _____ the dog out into the yard.
- 8) Jane pulled out her wallet and (pay) _____ the bill.
- 9) Last summer, Ali and Pam (run) _____ on the beach every morning.
- 10) After they finished the cooking, they (sit) _____ down to a lovely dinner.

Your turn! Choose five of these irregular verbs and practice using them in the simple past.

- 11) _____
- 12) _____
- 13) _____
- 14) _____
- 15) _____