

# Irregular Verbs in the Simple Past 9

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

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| stung | wept | dealt | rang | froze | sold | beat | wove | lit/lighted | slid |
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| beat | deal | freeze | light | ring | sell | slide | sting | weave | weep |
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Choose the correct form of each verb to complete the sentence.

- 1) Philip usually beats me when we play cards, but today I was lucky and I (beat) \_\_\_\_\_ him!
- 2) My boss told me that I (deal) \_\_\_\_\_ with the problem very effectively.
- 3) The temperature got so low last night, that the lake (freeze) \_\_\_\_\_ over.
- 4) The power went out, so we (light) \_\_\_\_\_ candles.
- 5) The bell (ring) \_\_\_\_\_, so the students hurried to their classes.

Write the correct form of each verb in the box.

- 6) Dean (sell) \_\_\_\_\_ his first painting at age 15.
- 7) Everyone slipped and (slide) \_\_\_\_\_ on the icy road.
- 8) Ouch! That bee just (sting) \_\_\_\_\_ me!
- 9) Natasha (weave) \_\_\_\_\_ through the crowd until she found Vara.
- 10) Tammy curled on her side and (weep) \_\_\_\_\_ for her lost friend.

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

- 11) \_\_\_\_\_
- 12) \_\_\_\_\_
- 13) \_\_\_\_\_
- 14) \_\_\_\_\_
- 15) \_\_\_\_\_

