

PAST SIMPLE



LET'S REMEMBER THE BASICS

REGULAR

RULES

General rule: At the end add **-ed**

After -e add **-d**

Ending in consonant + y, delete -y and add **-ied**.

Ending in consonant + vowel + consonant (1 syllable), add double consonant + **-ed**.

INFINITE

WATCH
CLEAN

LIKE
CREATE

TRY
COPY
STUDY
CRY

STOP
DRAG
CLAP
ROB
PLAN
SHOP

PAST

WATCH**ED**

COPI**ED**

CLAPP**ED**

LET'S CREATE SOME SENTENCES

1. We _____ (study) all night yesterday.
2. They _____ (play) chess and then, They _____ (watch) a new Netflix movie.
3. She _____ (rob) a bank that's why She's in jail.
4. Daniel _____ (start) loving technology when He was 5.
5. I _____ (arrive) home very late.
6. Sofia _____ (try) to buy a new book but it wasn't available.
7. Carlos _____ (travel) to Bucaramanga last week.
8. I _____ (stop) eating junk food.
9. My mom _____ (hate) fish when she was a child.
10. They _____ (enjoy) the concert.



DROP THE BOXES AND FILL IN THE BLANKS

VISITED

SHOWED

ARRIVED

WANTED

TRAVELED

ASKED

PAID

STOPPED

PICKED

SCREAMED



Two summers ago, we _____ to New York. We _____ great touristic places while being there. The journey was long but we were very excited; we are from a little village and we really _____ to visit a megacity like New York.

When we _____ at our destination after the airport, we _____ up a taxi. The taxi driver was very nice and _____ us lots of places while driving to the hotel.

"How much is it?" I _____ the taxi driver when he _____ his car in front of the hotel. When he said that it was 52 dollars, I _____: "It's not possible", but it was!. For the first time in my life, I _____ 72 dollars for a taxi. I guess that's one of the problems of big cities, they are really expensive.

LET'S RE-CAP

VERB TO BE: WAS / WERE

- | | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|
| • I _____ | • STUDENTS _____ |
| • THEY _____ | • MY MOM _____ |
| • DANIELA _____ | • ROGER AND LUCIA _____ |
| • WE _____ | • HE _____ |
| • JOSE _____ | • IT _____ |
| • YOU _____ | • COLOMBIA _____ |

1. My cousin _____ smiling.
2. I _____ there with her.
3. The candidates _____ debating.
4. Carolina _____ dancing with him.
5. The cats _____ sleeping.
6. He _____ Reading a book.
7. You _____ at the cinema.



IRREGULAR VERBS

Remember some verbs are irregulars and their past forms don't end in -ed. You have to learn them. Let's match them

PRESENT	PAST	PRESENT	PAST
BREAK	WROTE	FORGET	SPOKE
DRIVE	GAVE	READ	SOLD
WRITE	BROKE	SPEAK	FORGOT
GIVE	MADE	TELL	TOLD
MAKE	DROVE	SELL	READ

QUICK TEST

She didn't _____ us about that.

- A. told
- B. tell

He _____ bad after lying.

- A. feel
- B. felt

Did You _____ the letter to me?.

- A. write
- B. wrote

Daniel _____ his old nintendo.

- A. sell
- B. sold

LET'S PRACTICE

Watch the following clip and answer true or false.



- There were 4 evil tree guardians at the entrance door. ☐
- Snow-white sang a song and then attacked the guards. ☐
- Cinderella threw her shoe at the guards. ☐
- Donkey didn't break the glass to free gingerbread. ☐
- Fiona was wearing a yellow dress. ☐
- At the end, the ladies entered the castle. ☐
- The fight happened at night. ☐