

PAST SIMPLE- WORKSHEET

1- FILL IN THE BLANKS WITH THE PAST SIMPLE OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS:

- ✓ When I _____ (be) in Japan, I _____ (find) everything very different.
- ✓ Two years ago, my parents _____ (buy) a new car.
- ✓ Last summer, Peter _____ (spend) his holidays in a summer camp with his friends.
They _____ (go) swimming, they _____ (play) football and golf, and they
_____ (visit) many interesting places.
- ✓ My sister _____ (get) a good job in a bank.
- ✓ Susan and her cousins _____ (come) to Portugal ten years ago.

2- COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE PAST SIMPLE (AFFIRMATIVE/ NEGATIVE/ INTERROGATIVE) OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS:

- ✓ My sister and her husband _____ (come) from Greece.
- ✓ I _____ (not like) the U2 concert.
- ✓ My cousin _____ (phone) from France yesterday evening.
- ✓ On Monday, Johann _____ (go) to school on foot.
- ✓ (they/leave) _____ the country last Saturday?
- ✓ (you/like) _____ the film?
- ✓ They _____ (not finish) the homework yesterday.
- ✓ (she/go) _____ to the cinema with her parents last night?
- ✓ No, she didn't. She _____ (stay) at home. She _____ (get) a cold.
- ✓ We _____ (go) to Spain by car.
- ✓ I _____ (have) a wonderful holiday with my family last July.
- ✓ (you/travel) _____ to Madrid by car or by plane?
- ✓ Many years ago, it _____ (be) very difficult to live without electricity.

- ✓ Last year, they _____ (buy) a house at the seaside.
- ✓ I _____ (meet) him the day before yesterday.

3- CHOOSE THE BEST OPTION FOR EACH OF THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES:

- ✓ Mrs. Harris _____ the last train.
a- take b- took c- did take
- ✓ There _____ many people here last night.
a- was b- were c- wasn't
- ✓ He _____ at home with me yesterday evening.
a- were b- was c- be
- ✓ She _____ with her family on holidays.
a- go b- did go c- went
- ✓ He _____ some books and CDs
a- brought b- bought c- did buy