

# SIMPLE PAST



For actions that happened and

**finished in the past**

For actions that happened in the past and

**we know exactly when**

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Form: We add **"ed"** to all regular verbs. **Irregular verbs must be learnt by heart.**

## QUESTIONS



**Did**

Did+ subject+ verb (base form)+ complement?

Did you see my credit card yesterday?  
Did he study last night?



## POSITIVE

**Yes**



**Subject+ verb in past+complement.**

Yes, they went to the school last week.  
Yes, she studied last night.



## NEGATIVES

**Did not  
Didn't**

**Did+ not +subject+ verb (base form)+complement.**

No, I did not see your credit card last Wednesday.  
No, she didn't cook last weekend.

## SIMPLE PAST WITH CONNECTORS

With yesterday, then, ago last night/week/year/month, in 2021, in January (month).

**DID (YOU) \_\_\_\_\_?**

I, you, she, he, it, we, you, they

**SIMPLE PAST: REGULAR VERBS.**

/d/

/t/

/id/

Did you call any new clients yesterday?



Did you travel last year?



Did you work yesterday?



Did you study English last night?



Did you do yoga last month?



Did you cook last week?



# Pronunciation of Ed

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**/d/**

Verbs ending in a  
voiced sound or vowel  
b, g, l, m, n, r, s, v, w, y, z

offered  
bored  
tired  
ordered  
damaged  
begged  
loved  
breathed

rubbed  
creamed  
called  
puzzled  
claimed  
cleaned  
frightened  
bathed

**/t/**

Verbs ending in a  
voiceless sound  
c, f, k, p, ch, sh, ch,  
gh, th, ss, x

danced  
looked  
helped  
washed  
watched  
used to

laughed  
kissed  
depressed  
fixed  
worked  
asked

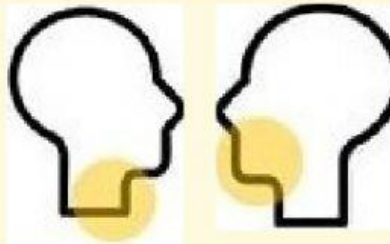
**/ɪd/**

Verbs ending in sound  
t or d

t  
wanted  
educated  
frustrated  
excited  
disgusted  
fascinated

d  
needed  
ended  
reminded  
recorded

Voiced: Involve a strong  
vibration of the vocal chords.  
Touch your throat and  
feel the vibration.



Voiceless: No vibration of the  
vocal chords.  
Sounds are closer  
to the mouth.



# Reading Comprehension

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Learning goal: Reading to identify simple past, and pronounce endings properly.**

**Read the short passage below and answer each of the questions in complete sentences.**

Pat moved to the United States 10 years ago. Life was not easy in his country, so he decided to start a new life.

First, he faced language barriers. He could not speak good English. Thus, he joined some English courses. However, he did not feel confident about his skills. He practiced every day. Eventually, he started to communicate with everyone and he could get a job and save money.

Second, he missed his family and friends. The first months were hard since he wanted to go back home. He called his family, and they encouraged him to stay there and be patient. A year later, he could feel comfortable in California, and he also met a few friends with whom he spent his spare time and practiced English.

Finally, he struggled with American culture since he came from a small city. The Californian lifestyle was faster than his hometown. Day by day, he got used to the multicultural facts, and he felt welcome and supported.

1. Why did Pat move to the United States?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Did he speak good English?

\_\_\_\_\_

3. What did he do to speak English better?

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Why did he want to go back home?

\_\_\_\_\_

5. What did he think about the Californian lifestyle?

\_\_\_\_\_

# ED ENDINGS

/d/ /t/ /id/

Directions: Write the last ed ending and then sound in each sentence.

V	/d/	Loved			Started
		Moved			Decided
		Faced			Wanted
		Called			Used to
		Joined			Missed
		Encouraged			Pacticed
		Supported			Struggled

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Directions: Write one sentences using each Ed ending using conjunctions.

# MY YOUTH



**My name is**

**I had (pets)**

**I used to live in**

**I was excited about**

**During my free time, I liked to:**

A large, empty rectangular box with a black border, intended for the user to write about their free time activities.

**My Favorite Book was:**

An empty rectangular box with a black border, intended for the user to write the title of their favorite book.

**My Favorite movies were:**

An empty rectangular box with a black border, intended for the user to write the titles of their favorite movies.

## Past Simple Form of Regular Verbs

<b>/t/</b>		<b>/d/</b>		<b>/ɪd/</b>	
_ed is pronounced /t/ after verbs ending in voiceless sounds /k/ /s/ /p/ /f/ /θ/ /ʃ/ /tʃ/ except /t/		_ed is pronounced /d/ after verbs ending in voiced sounds except /d/. Voiced sounds include vowel sounds; /v/ /m/ /n/ /l/ /r/ /dʒ/ /g/ /ð/ /z/ /ʒ/ /b/ /ŋ/		_ed is pronounced /ɪd/ after verbs ending in /t/ or /d/ sounds	
Announced	Laughed	Lived	Listened	Suggested	Accepted
Cooked	Brushed	Climbed	Toured	Voted	Painted
Walked	Crashed	Phoned	Considered	Waited	Contacted
Talked	Worked	Waved	Traveled	Wanted	Hated
Finished	Liked	Arrived	Stayed	Shouted	Included
Typed	Attacked	Cleared	Rescued	Hunted	Landed
Danced	Locked	Studied	Happened	Adopted	Needed
Watched	Stopped	Opened	Destroyed	Emigrated	Recommended
Looked	Asked	Enjoyed	Refused	Started	Ended
Missed	Washed	Copied	Died	Visited	Graded
Rushed	Braked	Mailed	Belittled	Investigated	Rated
Hoped	Escaped	Called	Questioned	Attended	Hesitated
Wished	Kissed	Borrowed	Discovered	Affected	Decided
Dressed	Tripped	Hurried	Argued	Added	Interested
Practiced	Jumped	Signed	Tried	Chatted	Traded
Coughed	Promised	Played	Cried	Heated	Lasted
Helped	Slipped	Carried	Lied	Sorted	Insisted
Developed	Touched	Moved	Used	Regretted	Avoided
Knocked	Fixed Pissed	Pulled	Cleaned	Wasted	Stated
Snatched	(off)	Wondered	Loved	Interrupted	Tasted
Stepped	Ripped	Killed	Designed	Minded	Admitted
Punished	Checked	Married	Changed	Sounded	Invented
Hushed (up)	Plucked	Believed	Joined	Counted	Created
Mixed (up)	Coaxed	Begged	Grabbed	Demanded	Competed
Wrapped	Rehearsed	Preferred	Seemed	Strutted	Intended
Stalked	Cursed	Teased	Explained	Hesitated	Concocted
Fished	Jinxed	Closed	Robbed	Proceeded	Requested
Slapped	Banished	Accused	Continued	Succeeded	Disregarded
Forced	Dunked	Strolled	Hired	Assisted	Outsmarted
Mocked	Pushed	Shrugged	Stored	Grounded	Disappointed
Focused	Faked	Praised	Healed	Lifted	Cheated
Risked	Flushed	Followed	Fostered	Overreacted	Scolded
Chopped	Backed (up)	Egged on	Learned	Bounded	Mistreated
Discussed	Placed	Bogged down	Sued	Pretended	Attempted
Hitchhiked	Reduced	Encouraged	Harmed	Twisted	Coexisted

## Top Irregular Verbs

be	was were been	fall	fell fallen	leave	left left	sit	sat sat
become	became become	feel	felt felt	let	let let	sleep	slept slept
begin	began begun	find	found found	lose	lost lost	speak	spoke spoken
break	broke broken	fly	flew flown	make	made made	spend	spent spent
bring	brought brought	forget	forgot forgotten	mean	meant meant	stand	stood stood
build	built built	freeze	froze frozen	meet	met met	steal	stole stolen
buy	bought bought	get	got got / gotten	pay	paid paid	swim	swam swum
catch	caught caught	give	gave given	put	put put	take	took taken
choose	chose chosen	go	went gone / been	read	read read	teach	taught taught
come	came come	grow	grew grown	ride	rode ridden	tell	told told
cost	cost cost	have	had had	run	ran run	think	thought thought
cut	cut cut	hear	heard heard	say	said said	throw	threw thrown
do	did done	hit	hit hit	see	saw seen	under-stand	understood understood
draw	drew drawn	hold	held held	sell	sold sold	wake	woke woken
drink	drank drunk	keep	kept kept	send	sent sent	wear	wore worn
drive	drove driven	know	knew known	show	showed shown	win	won won
eat	ate eaten	lead	led led	sing	sang sung	write	wrote written