

PAST SIMPLE



We use the Past Simple for **completed actions in the past**.

POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	QUESTION
I / You / We / They He / She / It played .	I / You / We / They He / She / It didn't play.	Did I / you / we / they he / she / it play?

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1- They _____ (study) for the exam for hours last night.
- 2- I _____ (work) in the garden all morning. Now, it's time to rest.
- 3- We _____ (wait) for the bus for 30 minutes yesterday.
- 4- She _____ (clean) the house two hours ago.
- 5- The kids _____ (play) outside for the entire afternoon.
- 6- He _____ (cook) lasagne for dinner yesterday evening.
- 7- I _____ (not go) swimming last summer.
- 8- _____ the team _____ (practice) enough for the match last week?
- 9- You _____ (read) that book for a very long time.
- 10- They _____ (try) to fix the car for hours last weekend.
- 11- _____ you _____ (eat) breakfast in the morning?
- 12- My brother _____ (not come) home late last night.

SIMPLE PAST / AFFIRMATIVE

GRAMMAR PRACTICE



1 Write the past simple of these regular verbs

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| a. add _____ | f. dance _____ | k. live _____ |
| b. ask _____ | g. decide _____ | l. like _____ |
| c. arrive _____ | h. enjoy _____ | m. play _____ |
| d. call _____ | i. finish _____ | n. stop _____ |
| e. cry _____ | j. hate _____ | o. try _____ |

2 Write the past simple of these irregular verbs

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| a. buy _____ | f. go _____ | k. take _____ |
| b. come _____ | g. have _____ | l. tell _____ |
| c. do _____ | h. leave _____ | m. think _____ |
| d. eat _____ | i. make _____ | n. win _____ |
| e. give _____ | j. see _____ | o. write _____ |

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets

- a. I _____ (stay) at home at the weekend because I was ill.
- b. Emma _____ (do) her homework with her mom.
- c. The cat _____ (be) hungry so it _____ (eat) very quickly.
- d. Yesterday my brother and I _____ (play) video games after school.
- e. My parents _____ (give) me a bicycle for my birthday
- f. All my friends _____ (come) to my party.
- g. Dan _____ (have) a cold so he _____ (go) to the doctor.
- h. The baby _____ (cry) all night.
- i. When I was younger I _____ (like) going to the circus.
- k. We _____ (leave) home at 7.00 and we arrived at school at 8.00.
- l. The teacher _____ (tell) us to work in groups.
- m. Last night I _____ (see) a spider on my pillow.