

# Past Simple



**COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE PAST SIMPLE OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS ( ).**

1. The young man took / taken out his wallet and playing / played the bill.
2. When Lucy gone/ went to the interview, she wearing/ wore her best suit.
3. We left / leave the motorway and drive/ drove for an hour on quiet country roads.
4. I thought / think I knew / know my irregular verbs, but now I'm not so sure!
5. As soon as I met / meet Doris, I knew / known she were/ was someone special.
6. Tolstoy writing / wrote some great novels, but he never won / win a Nobel Prize.
7. The nurse put / putting the little boy to bed and speaking / spoke to him softly.
8. When they hearing / heard the fire alarm, everybody run / ran out of the building.
9. Last year, the company build/ built a new factory, which cost / costed millions of dollars.
10. When Jose broke / broke his arm, the doctor gived/ gave him two weeks off work.

**TELL THE STORY – FILL IN THE PAST SIMPLE TENSE**

On Friday, the children \_\_\_\_\_ (talk) about a day out together in the country. The next morning, they \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the country with their two dogs and \_\_\_\_\_ (play) together. Ben and Dave \_\_\_\_\_ (have) some kites. Sometime later the dogs \_\_\_\_\_ (be) not there. So they \_\_\_\_\_ (call) them and \_\_\_\_\_ (look) for them in the forest. After half an hour the children \_\_\_\_\_ (find) them and \_\_\_\_\_ (take) them back. Charlie \_\_\_\_\_ (be) very happy to see them again. At lunch time Nick \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the bikes and \_\_\_\_\_ (fetch) the basket with some meat sandwiches. Then they \_\_\_\_\_ (play) football. Nick and Dave \_\_\_\_\_ (win). In the evening they \_\_\_\_\_ (ride) home.