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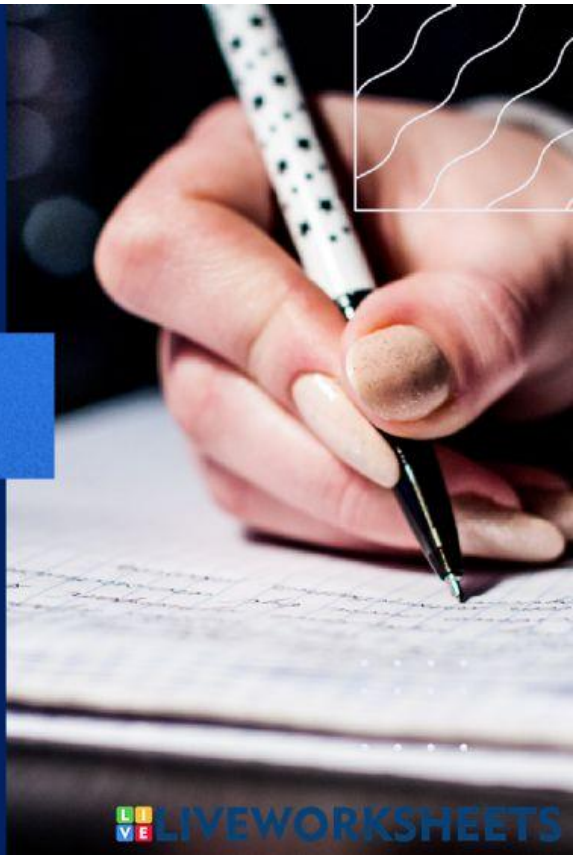

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Pronunciation

Simple Past

English Zone

1. The final sound for regular verbs in the past are /t/, /d/, and /id/.

2. The final sound is pronounced /t/ after the **voiceless sounds**
   /f/, /k/, /p/, /ss/, /ch/, /sh/, /c/ , /x/

   laughed stopped watched
   liked missed wished

3. The final sound is pronounced /d/ after the voiced sounds ,
   /l/ , /n/, /r/, /g/, /v/, /s/, /z/, /b/, /m/

   hugged massaged bathed
   judged ocurred lived
   pulled surprised listened

4. The final sound is pronounced **/d/ after vowel sounds.**

   played tied argued
   skied snowed

5. The final sound is pronounced **/id/** after /t/ and /d/. /id/ adds a syllable.

   want - wanted
   instruct - instructed
   rest - rested
   attend - attended

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Simple Past (Spelling and pronunciation)

Complete the sentences. Use the simple past of the verbs in the box. Check the final sound of each verb.

arrive borrow. cook. hug. joke. miss. visit. walk. want. watch

	/t/	/d/	/id/
1.I'm sorry I'm late. I _____ my train			
2.The plane _____ on time.			
3.Last night she _____ the art museum.			
4.He _____ a delicious meal for us.			
5.I'm tired. I _____ up a lot of hills in San Francisco this morning.			
6.We _____ to take a tour of Alcatraz in the afternoon but the tour was filled.			
7.We _____ a guidebook from our friends.			
8.Two nights ago they _____ a parade.			
9.The comedian _____ about the politicians.			
10.Everyone _____ and kissed us when we left.			

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