

My Last Vacation

Hi! My name is Laura.

Last summer, I **went to** the beach with my family. We **stayed** in a small hotel near the ocean. **Every morning**, we **walked** on the beach and **watched** the sunrise.

One day, we **visited** a beautiful island. We **swam** in the sea and **took** many photos. My brother **found** a big shell and I **bought** a souvenir.



At night, we **ate** seafood and **drank** juice. **One evening**, something funny **happened**: I **dropped** my ice cream and a bird **took** it!

It **was** a wonderful vacation. I **felt** very happy.

Verbs in the past

- **Regular verbs:**

stay → stayed
walk → walked
visit → visited
watch → watched
play → played
travel → traveled

- **Irregular verbs:**

go → **went**
eat → **ate**
drink → **drank**
take → **took**
buy → **bought**
find → **found**
feel → **felt**
have → **had**

Time Expressions in the Past

- Yesterday
- last night
- last weekend
- last week
- last month
- last summer
- last year
- two days ago
- a week ago
- a month ago
- in 2023
- when I was a child

Expressions for Anecdotes

- One day...
- Suddenly...
- Then...
- After that...
- Something funny happened...
- In the end...

Exercise 1: Complete with the Past Form

1. I _____ (go) to the beach.
2. We _____ (stay) in a hotel.
3. They _____ (eat) pizza.
4. She _____ (buy) a souvenir.
5. We _____ (walk) every morning.

Exercise 2: Match the Verbs

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| 1. go → _____ | a. took |
| 2. eat → _____ | b. went |
| 3. take → _____ | c. stayed |
| 4. stay → _____ | d. ate |
| 5. buy → _____ | e. bought |

Exercise 3: Order the Sentences

1. went / I / beach / the / to

2. stayed / we / hotel / a / in

Exercise 4: Write About Your Vacation
