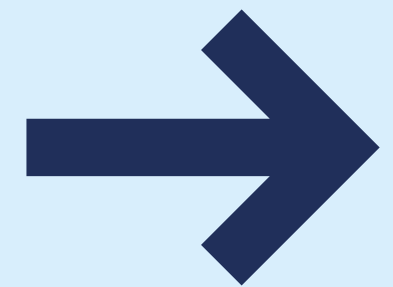


Understanding the Simple Past Tense



This presentation explores the **affirmative, negative, and interrogative forms** of the simple past tense in English with engaging examples.



Affirmative Form

Understanding simple past tense with
examples of verbs



Regular verbs are formed by
adding **-ed** to the base form.


Irregular verbs change form
completely, such as **go - went**.



Examples include **walked, went,**
and **played** to illustrate usage.

Negative Sentences

Understanding how to form negative sentences in the past tense.




In English, we use “**did not**” and the abbreviation “**didn’t**” for negative sentences.

For example,
“I **did not walk** to the park.”

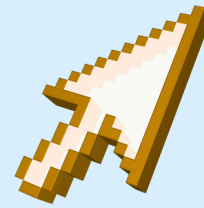


Additionally,
“She **didn’t go** to the concert” illustrates this form.



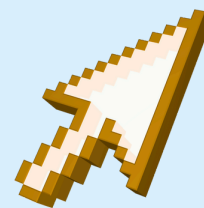
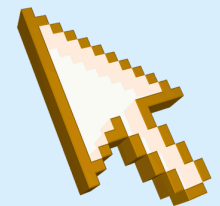
Interrogative Form

Asking questions in the past tense is essential for learners.



To form questions, use "Did" for all subjects in English.

Examples include
"Did you **walk** to the park?"
for regular verbs.



Irregular verbs follow the same structure,
e.g., "Did she **go** to the concert?"

Some Examples

"I finally **understood** past tense!"
– John

"The examples **were** very helpful!"
– Maria

"The visuals **made** it easy to remember."
– Ahmed

"I **loved** the engaging lessons!"
– Sofia



Visual Examples of Verbs



Walk - Walked
Example of regular verb

Play - Played
Example of regular verb



Go - Went
Example of irregular verb

Most Common Used Verbs in English

It is not necessary to learn all the verbs in English. Here is a list of the most common irregular verbs by group.

- **be, was/were, been**
- **go, went, gone**
- **become became, become**
- **come, came, come**
- **hurt, hurt, hurt**
- **let, let, let**
- **read, read, read**
- **put, put, put**
- **set, set, set**
- **cost, cost, cost**
- **shut, shut, shut**
- **cut, cut, cut**
- **hit, hit, hit**



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- **drive, drove, driven**
- **fall, fell, fallen**
- **write, wrote, written**
- **eat, ate, eaten**
- **break, broke, broken**
- **take, took, taken**
- **bite, bit, bitten**
- **ride, rode, ridden**
- **forget, forgot, forgotten**
- **freeze, froze, frozen**
- **get, got, gotten**
- **hide, hid, hidden**
- **give, gave, given**
- **choose, chose, chosen**



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- **grow, grew, grown**
- **wake, woke, woken**
- **speak, spoke, spoken**
- **know, knew, known**
- **fly, flew, flown**
- **throw, threw, thrown**
- **know, knew, known**
- **see, saw, seen**
- **make, made, made**
- **find, found, found**
- **sell, sold, sold**
- **tell, told, told**
- **have, had, had**
- **pay, paid, paid**



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- **begin, began, begun**
- **sink, sank, sunk**
- **drink, drank, drunk**
- **sing, sang, sung**
- **ring, rang, rung**
- **swim, swam, swum**
- **think, thought, thought**
- **buy, bought, bought**
- **fight, fought, fought**
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- **catch, caught, caught**



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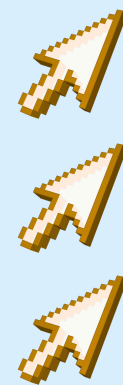
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- **feel, felt, felt**
- **build, built, built**
- **keep, kept, kept**
- **leave, left, left**
- **lose, lost, lost**
- **meet, met, met**
- **spend, spent, spent**
- **win, won, won**
- **sit, sat, sat**





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