

PAST SIMPLE IRREGULAR VERBS / Key

I went to the cinema yesterday.

I didn't go to the cinema yesterday.

Did you go to the cinema yesterday?

She won a prize last year.

She didn't win a prize last year.

Did she win a prize last year?

1. Write the past form of the following verbs:

INFINITIVE	PAST
BUY	bought
DO	did
LEAVE	left
BECOME	became
GROW UP	Grew up
GET	got
WIN	won
HAVE	had
BE	Was / were
GO	went
SEE	saw
TEACH	taught
FALL	fell
WRITE	wrote
CATCH	caught
MAKE	made
READ	read
WEAR	wore
HEAR	heard
PUT	put
RIDE	rode
SIT	sat
STAND	stood
TELL	told

2. Complete with the Past Simple of the verbs in brackets:

- a. My mum **drove** me to school.
- b. We **heard** a fantastic story last night.
- c. I **read** an interesting book last week.
- d. Bill **ran** to the beach.
- e. The family **left** the house an hour ago.
- f. Anne **took** our photo last night.
- g. Yesterday Mum **spoke** to Grandma.
- h. They **sat** in the park.

3. Complete the text with the words from the box using the Past simple.

Dear Diary,

Last weekend my family and I 1. **went** on a camping trip. It 2. **was** a lot of fun. Dad and Bill 3. **built** a fire. Then Mum and I 4. **made** dinner over the fire. We all 5. **sat** near the fire and Dad 6. **told** us scary stories. My mother 7. **didn't hear** the stories, because she was tired and fell asleep. In the morning, my dad 8. **caught** some fish in the river. We cooked and 9. **ate** them. We also 10. **drank** coffee. I enjoyed the trip very much.

4. Write questions using the cues.

Follow the example.

c. The children / go to the cinema? (no/ go to the park)

Did the children go to the cinema? No, they didn't. They went to the park.

d. The photographer / take a photo? (yes)

Did the photographer take a photo? Yes, he did.

e. Your parents / buy a boat? (no /buy a house)

Did your parents buy a boat?

No, they didn't. They bought a house.

f. They / write a letter? (yes)

Did they write a letter? Yes, they did

g. She / speak English? (No/ speak Japanese)

Did she speak English? No, she didn't. She spoke Japanese.

5. Put the verbs in brackets into the past simple

A legend of the skies

Amelia Earhart, the legendary woman pilot 1. **was** born in Kansas, USA in 1897. After her first plane in 1920, she 2. **took** flying lessons and then in 1921 she 3. **bought** her own plane. Her big moment 4. **came** in 1932 when she was the first woman pilot to cross the Atlantic Ocean in a single flight. But Amelia 5. **didn't stop** there. Next, she 6. **decided** to fly around the world! She 7. **set** off in March 1937 but never 8. **reached** her destination. Her plane mysteriously 9. **disappeared** over the Pacific Ocean. Rescue teams 10. **spent** weeks searching but 11. **found** nothing. What 12. **happened** to Amelia on her last flight? Nobody knows for sure.

6. Put the words in the correct order to make sentences.

1. didn't / to / Emma / go/ school / yesterday

Emma didn't go to school yesterday.

2. James / did/ dishes/ the/ wash/ yesterday?

Did James wash the dishes yesterday?

3. play/ last / the boys / didn't / night/ football

The boys didn't play football last night.

4. Caroline / pair / a/wore / of / boots / red / last Sunday

Caroline wore a pair of red boots last Sunday.

5. holiday / last / went / we / on / year / Spain/ to

We went to Spain on holiday last year.

6. you/ the / did/ news/ listen/ the / to / radio / on ?

Did you listen to the news on the radio?