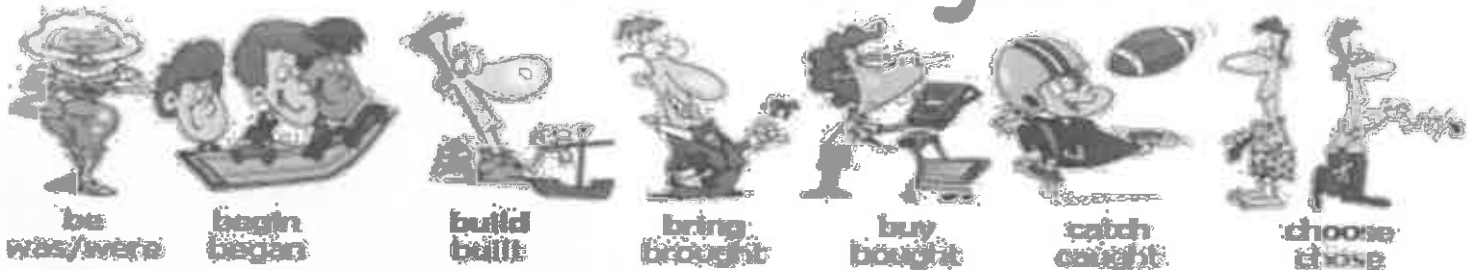
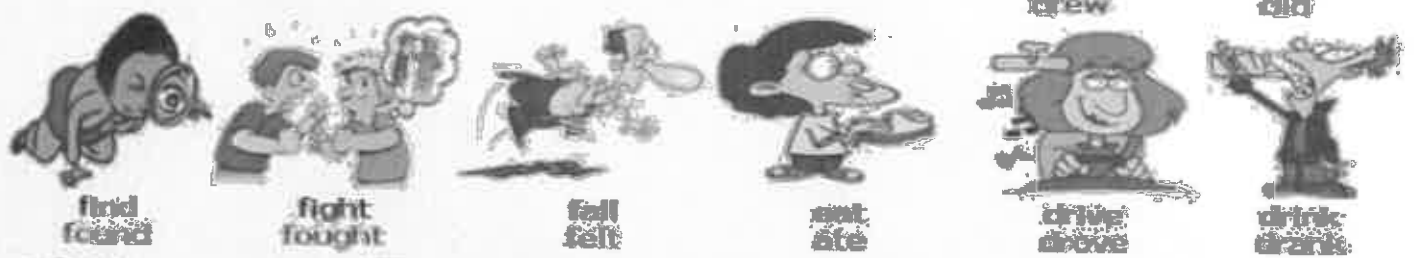


PAST SIMPLE - Irregular Verbs



USES: We use the Past Simple to talk about finished actions in the past.

<u>AFFIRMATIVE</u>	<u>NEGATIVE</u>	<u>QUESTION</u>	<u>SHORT ANSWERS</u>
I went	I didn't go	Did I go?	Yes, I did
You went	You didn't go	Did you go?	No, you didn't
He went	He didn't go	Did he go?	Yes, he did
She went	She didn't go	Did she go?	No, she didn't
It went	It didn't go	Did it go?	Yes, it did
We went	We didn't go	Did we go?	No, it didn't
You went	You didn't go	Did you go?	Yes, you did
They went	They didn't go	Did they go?	No, they didn't



- Some verbs are called irregular because their form in the past simple is considerably different from their infinitive form.
E.g.: go → went
- There is no rule to form the Past simple of Irregular verbs. That's why their form must be learnt by heart.
- The past simple of irregular verbs keeps the same form for every person E.g.: I went, she went, they went...



Write these verbs in the past simple:

Infinitive	Past simple
To be	_____
To come	_____
To cut	_____
To eat	_____
To drink	_____
To feel	_____
To go	_____
To write	_____
To read	_____
To see	_____
To leave	_____
To sit	_____
To sleep	_____
To think	_____
To know	_____
To give	_____
To tell	_____
To throw	_____

Fill in the blanks with the missing verb in the past simple.

- Yesterday Mary _____ (go) to the concert.
- Last night _____ (not/be) cold, but it _____ (be) rainy.
- Last Tuesday morning my friends _____ (bring) the car.
- Last weekend we _____ (not/go back) on foot.
- Mark and Sue _____ (do) their homework after lunch.
- My friends _____ (come) over after dinner.
- The teacher _____ (know) them and _____ (be) very happy.

Build sentences with the words given and put the verbs in the past simple.

- easy / test / the / be _____
- home / 11 o'clock / at / they / come _____
- cinema / they / last night / go / to the _____
- book / of the / they / know / the story _____
- washing up / do / my mother / the _____

Make the sentences negative

- Mary told me the test was easy.

- _____

- They went to Lisbon by car.

- _____

- The rabbits grew fast.

- _____

- I found my book under the bed.

- _____

- He wrote me a letter last week.

- _____

- She caught the bus at the bus station.

- _____

- I did my homework after lunch.

- _____

Make questions for these statements and write answers:

- I saw a big cat.

- _____?

- Yes, _____.

- Mark went to London last summer.

- _____?

- No, _____.

- Carl and Mark forgot their books.

- _____?

- Yes, _____.

- My cat drank a bowl of milk.

- _____?

- No, _____.

- The bus left at 10 o'clock

- _____?

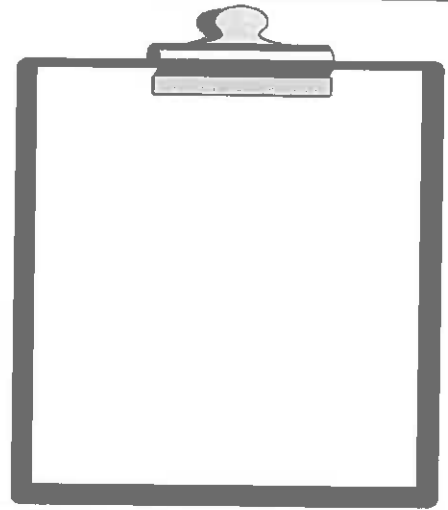
- Yes, _____.

- Susan got the best marks at her school.

- _____?

- No, _____.

Simple Past



A) What did these people do last night?

Complete the sentences with the past simple of the verbs.

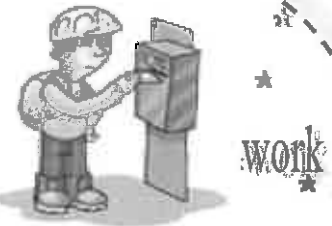


She _____



walk

They _____



He _____



He _____



He _____



They _____



He _____



She _____

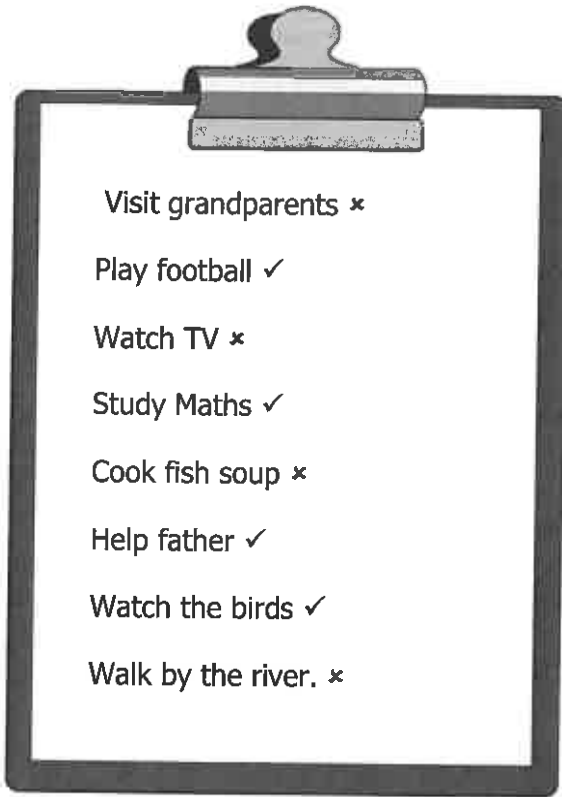


He _____



They _____

B) Here are the things Ann wanted to do last weekend. She didn't do all of them. Write what she did or didn't do.



1. She didn't visit her grandparents.
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____

C) Write sentences about what you did or didn't do last weekend.

Example: I played football or I didn't play football.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____