

*SIMPLE PAST TENSE*

# WEEKEND STORIES!

Scan the article. Who had a terrible weekend? Who enjoyed the weekend? Who learned a lot over the weekend?



**Kelly**

"I had a great weekend. I went to my best friend Helen's wedding. She got married at home. All her friends and family went. She looked fantastic! She wore a beautiful dress. After the ceremony, her parents served a wonderful meal. I'm really happy for her. And I really like her husband!"



**Robert**

"I had an awful weekend. My friends and I went to a rock concert. I had a terrible time! It took three hours to drive there. I didn't like the music at all! And after the concert ended, our car broke down! I called my parents, and they came and got us. We finally got home at ten this morning. I am so tired!"

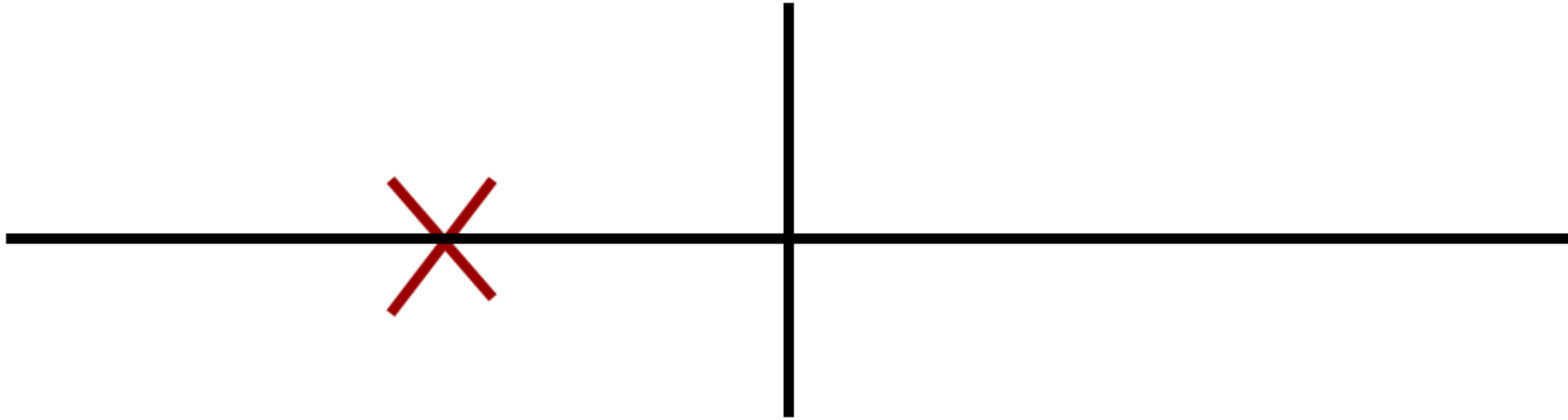


**Erin**

"I had an interesting weekend. I went camping for the first time. My friends took me. We left on Saturday and drove to the campsite. First, we put up the tent. Then we built a fire, cooked dinner, and told stories. We got up early on Sunday and went fishing. I caught a fish! I didn't really like camping, but I learned a lot."

# The Simple Past

We use the simple past to indicate exactly when an action or event took place in the past.



I visited my sister yesterday.

We went out to dinner last night.



### Regular Verbs

When forming the past tense of regular verbs, add -d or -ed to the present tense form of the verb.

Example:  
cook, cooked



Play : played

Jump: Jumped

Dance: danced

Work: worked

Eat : ate

Drive : drove

Fly : flew

Write : wrote



# ***AFFIRMATIVE SENTENCES***

- We use the past of the verbs.

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**Remember**

Use the regular and irregular verbs.

Michael played soccer last night.

Ana Lucía wrote a letter yesterday.

## Negative sentences

*Diana didn't study for her exam.*



Subject



Auxiliary  
for past



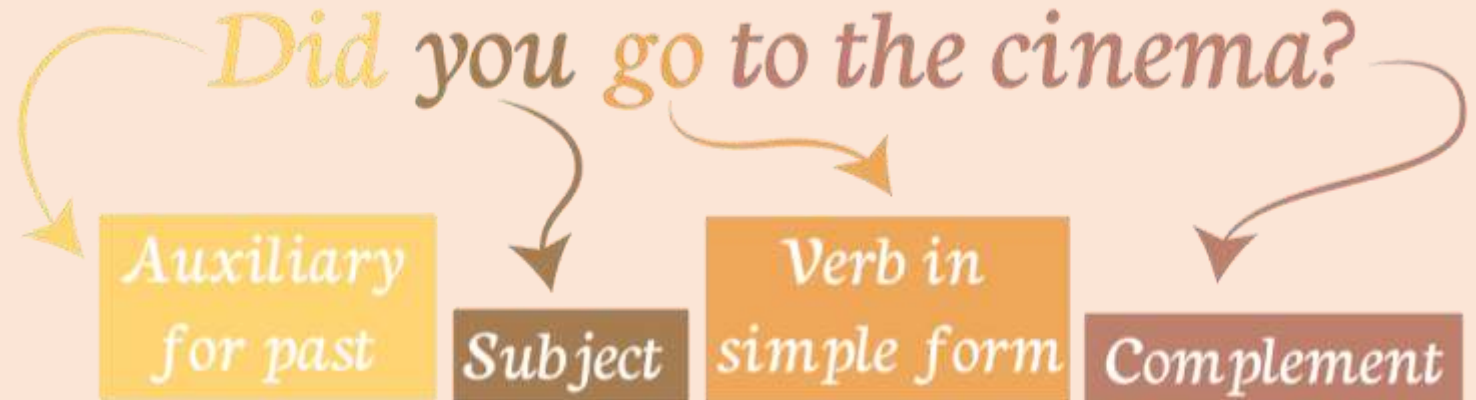
Verb in simple form

## Interrogative form

Open question or Wh- question:



Closed question or yes/no question:





*Let's practice...*

Katrina drives her car in the week.

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My dad plays football with his Friends on saturday.

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Mr.Smith sees a beautiful dolphin in the aquarium.

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They buy a new laptop this morning.

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We do exercises in the park .

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