

LES VERBES IRREGULIERS

Base verbale		Prétérit		Participe passé		Traduction courante
A						
awake	[ə'weɪk]	awoke	[ə'wəʊk]	awoke(n)	[ə'wəʊk(n)]	se réveiller
B						
be	[bi:]	was/were	[wɒz/wɜ:]	been	[bi:n]	être
become	[bɪ'kʌm]	became	[bɪ'keɪm]	become	[bɪ'kʌm]	devenir
begin	[bɪ'ɡɪn]	began	[bɪ'ɡæn]	begun	[bɪ'ɡʌn]	commencer
bite	[baɪt]	bit	[bɪt]	bit/bitten	[bɪt(n)]	mordre
blow	[bləʊ]	blew	[blu:]	blown	[bləʊn]	souffler
break	[breɪk]	broke	[brəʊk]	broken	[ˈbrəʊkən]	casser
bring	[brɪŋ]	brought	[brɔ:t]	brought	[brɔ:t]	apporter
build	[bɪld]	built	[bɪlt]	built	[bɪlt]	construire
burn	[bɜ:n]	burnt ¹	[bɜ:nt]	burnt ¹	[bɜ:nt]	brûler
burst	[bɜ:st]	burst	[bɜ:st]	burst	[bɜ:st]	éclater
buy	[baɪ]	bought	[bɔ:t]	bought	[bɔ:t]	acheter
C						
catch	[kætʃ]	caught	[kɔ:t]	caught	[kɔ:t]	attraper
choose	[tʃu:z]	chose	[tʃəʊz]	chosen	[tʃəʊzn]	choisir
come	[kʌm]	came	[keɪm]	come	[kʌm]	venir
cost	[kɒst]	cost	[kɒst]	cost	[kɒst]	coûter
cut	[kʌt]	cut	[kʌt]	cut	[kʌt]	couper
D						
dig	[dɪɡ]	dug	[dʌɡ]	dug	[dʌɡ]	creuser
do	[du:]	did	[dɪd]	done	[dʌn]	faire
draw	[drɔ:]	drew	[dru:]	drawn	[drɔ:n]	dessiner
dream	[dri:m]	dreamt ²	[dremt]	dreamt ¹	[dremt]	rêver
drink	[drɪŋk]	drank	[dræŋk]	drunk	[drʌŋk]	boire
drive	[draɪv]	drove	[drəʊv]	driven	[ˈdrɪvn]	conduire
E						
eat	[i:t]	ate	[et/eɪt]	eaten	[i:tn]	manger
F						
fall	[fɔ:l]	fell	[fel]	fallen	[ˈfɔ:lən]	tomber
feed	[fi:d]	fed	[fed]	fed	[fed]	(se) nourrir
feel	[fi:l]	felt	[felt]	felt	[felt]	sentir
fight	[faɪt]	fought	[fɔ:t]	fought	[fɔ:t]	(se) battre
find	[faɪnd]	found	[faʊnd]	found	[faʊnd]	trouver
fly	[flaɪ]	flew	[flu:]	flown	[fləʊn]	voler
forbid	[fə'bɪd]	forbade	[fə'beɪd]	forbidden	[fə'bɪdn]	interdire
forget	[fə'ɡet]	forgot	[fə'ɡɒt]	forgotten	[fə'ɡɒtn]	oublier
forgive	[fə'ɡɪv]	forgave	[fə'ɡeɪv]	forgiven	[fə'ɡɪvn]	pardonner
freeze	[fri:z]	froze	[frəʊz]	frozen	[frəʊzn]	geler
G						
get	[ɡet]	got	[ɡɒt]	got	[ɡɒt]	obtenir
give	[ɡɪv]	gave	[ɡeɪv]	given	[ˈɡɪvn]	donner
go	[ɡəʊ]	went	[went]	gone	[ɡɒn]	aller
grow	[ɡrəʊ]	grew	[ɡru:]	grown	[ɡrəʊn]	grandir, faire pousser
H						
hang	[hæŋ]	hung ¹	[hʌŋ]	hung ¹	[hʌŋ]	suspendre
have	[hæv]	had	[hæd]	had	[hæd]	avoir
hear	[hɪə]	heard	[hɜ:d]	heard	[hɜ:d]	entendre
hide	[haɪd]	hid	[hɪd]	hidden	[hɪdn]	cacher
hit	[hɪt]	hit	[hɪt]	hit	[hɪt]	frapper
hold	[həʊld]	held	[held]	held	[held]	tenir
hurt	[hɜ:t]	hurt	[hɜ:t]	hurt	[hɜ:t]	blessé, faire mal
K						
keep	[ki:p]	kept	[kept]	kept	[kept]	garder
kneel	[ni:l]	kneelt	[nelt]	kneelt	[nelt]	être à genoux
know	[nəʊ]	knew	[nju:]	known	[nəʊn]	savoir, connaître

1. La forme régulière *hang*, *hanged* [hæŋd], *hanged* signifie « pendre une personne ».
 2. Il existe également une variante régulière de cette forme.

L						
lay	[leɪ]	laid	[leɪd]	laid	[leɪd]	poser à plat
lead	[li:d]	led	[led]	led	[led]	mener
learn	[lɜ:n]	learnt ²	[lɜ:nt]	learnt ²	[lɜ:nt]	apprendre
leave	[li:v]	left	[left]	left	[left]	laisser, quitter, partir
lend	[lend]	lent	[lent]	lent	[lent]	prêter
let	[let]	let	[let]	let	[let]	permettre, laisser
lie	[laɪ]	lay	[leɪ]	lain	[leɪn]	être étendu
light	[laɪt]	lit	[lɪt]	lit	[lɪt]	allumer, éclairer
lose		lost		lost		perdre
M						
make	[meɪk]	made	[meɪd]	made	[meɪd]	faire
mean	[mi:n]	meant	[ment]	meant	[ment]	signifier
meet	[mi:t]	met	[met]	met	[met]	rencontrer
P						
pay	[peɪ]	paid	[peɪd]	paid	[peɪd]	payer
put	[pʊt]	put	[pʊt]	put	[pʊt]	mettre
R						
read	[ri:d]	read	[red]	read	[red]	lire
ride	[raɪd]	rode	[rəʊd]	ridden	['rɪdn]	aller à cheval, à bicyclette
ring	[rɪŋ]	rang	[ræŋ]	rung	[rʌŋ]	sonner, téléphoner
rise	[raɪz]	rose	[rəʊz]	risen	[rɪzn]	s'élever
run	[rʌn]	ran	[ræn]	run	[rʌn]	courir
S						
say	[seɪ]	said	[sed]	said	[sed]	dire
see	[si:]	saw	[sɔ:]	seen	[si:n]	voir
sell	[sel]	sold	[səʊld]	sold	[səʊld]	vendre
send	[send]	sent	[sent]	sent	[sent]	envoyer
set	[set]	set	[set]	set	[set]	poser
shine	[ʃaɪn]	shone	[ʃɒn]	shone	[ʃɒn]	briller
shoot	[ʃu:t]	shot	[ʃɒt]	shot	[ʃɒt]	tirer à coup de fusil
show	[ʃəʊ]	showed	[ʃəʊd]	shown	[ʃəʊn]	montrer
shut	[ʃʌt]	shut	[ʃʌt]	shut	[ʃʌt]	fermer
sing	[sɪŋ]	sang	[sæŋ]	sung	[sʌŋ]	chanter
sink	[sɪŋk]	sank	[sæŋk]	sunk	[sʌŋk]	couler
sit	[sɪt]	sat	[sæt]	sat	[sæt]	être assis
sleep	[sli:p]	slept	[slept]	slept	[slept]	dormir
smell	[smel]	smelt ²	[smelt]	smelt ²	[smelt]	sentir
speak	[spi:k]	spoke	[spəʊk]	spoken	['spəʊkn]	parler
spell	[spel]	spelt ²	[spelt]	spelt ²	[spelt]	épeler
spill	[spɪl]	spilt	[spɪlt]	spilt	[spɪlt]	renverser
spend	[spend]	spent	[spent]	spent	[spent]	dépenser
spread	[spred]	spread	[spred]	spread	[spred]	étaler
stand	[stænd]	stood	[stʊd]	stood	[stʊd]	être debout
steal	[sti:l]	stole	[stəʊl]	stolen	['stəʊln]	voler
stick	[stri:k]	stuck	[stʌk]	stuck	[stʌk]	coller
strike	[straɪk]	struck	[strʌk]	struck	[strʌk]	frapper
sweep	[swi:p]	swept	[swept]	swept	[swept]	balayer
swim	[swɪm]	swam	[swʌm]	swum	[swʌm]	nager
T						
take	[teɪk]	took	[tʊk]	taken	['teɪkn]	prendre
teach	[ti:tʃ]	taught	[tɔ:t]	taught	[tɔ:t]	enseigner
tear	[tiə]	tore	[tɔ:]	torn	[tɔ:n]	déchirer
tell	[tel]	told	[təʊld]	told	[təʊld]	dire, raconter
think	[θɪŋk]	thought	[θɔ:t]	thought	[θɔ:t]	penser
throw	[θrəʊ]	threw	[θru:]	thrown	[θrəʊn]	jeter, lancer
U						
understand	[ʌndə'stænd]	understood	[ʌndə'stʊd]	understood	[ʌndə'stʊd]	comprendre
upset	[ʌp'set]	upset	[ʌp'set]	upset	[ʌp'set]	bouleverser, renverser
W						
wake	[weɪk]	woke	[wəʊk]	woken	['wəʊkən]	réveiller
wear	[weə]	wore	[wɔ:]	worn	[wɔ:n]	porter
win	[wɪn]	won	[wʌn]	won	[wʌn]	gagner
write	[raɪt]	wrote	[rəʊt]	written	['rɪtn]	écrire