



Simple Past

The simple past is a tense that is used to talk about things that happened or existed before now. It is expressed by words (verbs) which are written differently (from its infinitive form) to indicate past.

There are two types of verbs

1. REGULAR VERBS are those words which need just an ending

To change a regular verb into its past tense form, we normally add **-ED** to the end of the verb.

Infinitive	Past
Journey	Journeyed
Brag	Bragged
Attain	Attained
Travel	Traveled

For example:
The brothers **reached**
a river too treacherous to pass.

2. IRREGULAR VERBS are those words which its form changes completely.

Infinitive	Past
Am-is-are	Was-were
Go	went
Do	did
Steal	Stole
Feel	Felt

For example:
He **went** with him gladly
departing this life as equals.

