

REGULAR VERBS

English Verbs

Regular



Verb+ed

Dance -> Danced

Irregular



Verbs list

Sing -> Sang



Action Image



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Regular verbs

Are those verbs that end in -ed

Simple present — Simple past

Call — Called

Look — Looked

Help — Helped

Irregular verbs

Are those verbs which spelling change.

Simple present — Simple past

Come — Came

Wrlte — Wrote

Anelette S.

Regular verbs

Spelling rules	Examples
base form + ed	walk → walked play → played
verbs ending in -e + d	like → liked move → moved
verbs ending in a consonant + y ↓ change y → i + ed	carry → carried study → studied
Some verbs ending in a single consonant + the second last letter is a vowel → double the last letter + ed	plan → planned stop → stopped

IRREGULAR VERBS

swim



Present tense: **swim**

swim
\swim\

Maria **swims** laps three mornings a week.

Simple Past: **swam**

swam
\swæm\

Maria **swam** at the pool with her friends when she was a child.

Past Participle: **swum**

swum
\swʌm\

Maria has **swum** almost her entire life.

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Affirmative

For all the subject pronouns the form of the verb is the same.

Negative

In the negative form, we use an auxiliary and the main verb is in the simple form.

Long form

Short form

Regular
verb

I, you,
he, she,
it, we,
you, they

worked

Irregular
verb

ate

I, you,
he, she,
it, we,
you, they

did not
work

did not
eat

I, you,
he, she,
it, we,
you, they

didn't
work

didn't
eat

Negative sentences

Diana didn't study for her exam.

Subject

Auxiliary
for past

Verb in simple form

Interrogative

Regular
verb

Did

Irregular
verb

I, you,
he, she,
it, we,
you, they

work ...?

eat ...?

Short answers

Yes,

I, you,
he, she,
it, we,
you, they

did.

No,

didn't.

Interrogative form

Open question or Wh- question:



Closed question or yes/no question:





GRAMMAR FOCUS

The simple past of irregular verbs

Affirmative statements

Brian **went** to Miami two months ago.
Brian **spent** the summer there.

Negative statements

He **didn't go** to New York.
He **didn't spend** the winter there.

Yes/No questions

Did Brian **go** to Miami?
Did Brian **spend** the summer there?

Affirmative answers

Yes, he **did**.
Yes, he **did**.

Negative answers

No, he **didn't**.
No, he **didn't**.

Information questions

When **did** Brian **go** to Miami?
Who **went** to Miami?

Short answers

Two months ago.
Brian.

Long answers

He **went** to Miami two months ago.
Brian **went** to Miami.

Some irregular verbs

come → **came**
do → **did**

have → **had**
get → **got**

go → **went**
spend → **spent**

take → **took**
tell → **told**

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