

**Grammar Exercises - Simple Past Tense.**

**Do the exercises below on the simple past tense and click on the button to check your answers.**

(Before doing the exercises you may want to read the lesson on [the simple past tense](https://www.myenglishpages.com/site_php_files/grammar-lesson-simple-past.php))

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**Put the verbs into the simple past:**

1. Last year I (go)  to England on holiday.
2. It (be)  fantastic.
3. I (visit)  lots of interesting places. I (be)  with two friends of mine .
4. In the mornings we (walk)  in the streets of London.
5. In the evenings we (go)  to pubs.
6. The weather (be)  strangely fine.
7. It (not / rain)  a lot.
8. But we (see)  some beautiful rainbows.
9. Where (spend / you)  your last holiday?

**Write the past forms of the irregular verbs.**

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| **Infinitive** | | **Simple Past** |
| **1.** | meet | . |
| **2.** | drive | . |
| **3.** | speak | . |
| **4.** | put | . |
| **5.** | write | . |
| **6.** | sing | . |
| **7.** | do | . |
| **8.** | sit | . |
| **9.** | stand | . |
| **10.** | run | . |

**Complete the table in simple past.**

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| **Affirmative** | **Negative** | **Interrogative** |
| He wrote a book. |  |  |
|  | He did not sing |  |
|  |  | Was she pretty? |

**Put the sentences into simple past.**

1. We move to a new house. → 
2. They bring a sandwich. → 
3. He doesn't do the homework. → 
4. They sell cars. → 
5. Does he visit his friends? → 

**Write sentences in simple past.**

1. Janet / miss / the bus → 
2. she / tidy / her room → 
3. Nancy / watch / not / television→ 
4. she / read / a book → 

**Choose "Was“ or "Were“:**

1. The teacher     nice.
2. The students     very clever.
3. But one student     in trouble.
4. We     sorry for him.
5. He     nice though.

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