## Past simple — regular verbs

Hello! See me on @-Z@N@ to discover more about past simple - regular

verbs and to learn better when to use them.

Use the past simple to tell stories. Add -ed to regular verbs. Add -d to verbs ending in -e. Change -y to -ied for verbs ending in consonant + -y.

Present	Past	Present	Past	Present	Past
walk	walk <b>ed</b>	play	play <b>ed</b>	listen	listen <b>ed</b>
arrive	arrive <b>d</b>	change	change <b>d</b>	stop	stop <b>ped</b>
study	stud <b>ied</b>	carry	carr <b>ied</b>	try	tr <b>ied</b>



## A lucky day



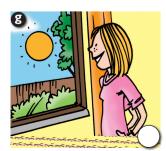




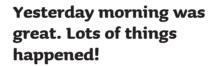












I jumped out of bed at 7 o'clock. I looked out of the window - rain, rain, rain! So I played my favourite computer game for half an hour. I wanted to play longer, but Mum shouted: 'Amy, your breakfast is ready!' After breakfast, I listened to music (I've got a great new CD) and watched TV for a bit.

Then the weather changed. It was sunny! So I walked to the park. I phoned Paul and waited for him. He arrived ten minutes later with his dog Bonkers. Bonkers chased a squirrel up a tree – it was very funny!

Then Paul noticed something. There was a cat in the tree too. I climbed the tree, picked up the cat and carried it down to the ground again.

We tried to find the owner of the cat, but no luck. I asked my mum: 'Mum, can I keep the cat?' and she said: 'OK.' So now I've got a cat called Lucky at home!





Underline the correct options.











- I I phone / phoned my friend Paul every day yesterday I phone / phoned him at 6 o'clock in the morning!
- 2 Yesterday I was a bit angry with Jenny. I always walk / walked to school with her, but yesterday she walks / walked to school with Harry Smith!
- 3 Sometimes Mark plays / played football well. Last Saturday, he plays / played really badly!
- 4 Our dog is great when we go shopping, he always carries / carried the shopping basket. Last weekend, he carries / carried a really heavy basket!
- **5** We usually study / studied for an hour every night - but yesterday we study / studied for three hours.
- **6** When my cat was little, she *chases I chased* birds. Now she chases / chased dogs!
- **7** There's an interesting programme on TV. Every week, they interview / interviewed a famous person. Last week, they interview / interviewed my favourite film star.
- 8 The teacher was surprised yesterday when Johnny asks / asked a question. Johnny never asks / asked questions in class!

## Read the story. Write one of the verbs in each space but you have to unjumble the letters!

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tendaw	shepud
outshed	koledo
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klawde	hondep
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pudmej	nephadpe
detrsat	drivear

adesk shepud koledo sdeach hondep dietr nephadpe drivear	Last night, Istudied for two hours in my bedroom. I was very tired. I 2 to go out – I needed some fresh air. I 3 out of our house and I 4 to walk along my street. Suddenly a car 5 near me. Two men 6 out of the car. They 7 at a boy: 'Get in the car!' The boy was frightened and he 8 to run away. But the men 9 him into the car and the car drove away.				
	I $^{10}$ the car for 100 metres, but it was too fast. So I				
11	the police. When the police 12, they 13,				
me lots of questions. The first question was: 'What's your name?' The second question was:					
'What 14here?' The third question was: 'Sally! Do you want your dinner?' It					
was a strange question. I 15 round – my mother was at my bedroom door.					

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'Sally – you were asleep!' she said. We 16......a lot. It was just a dream!

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