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The past simple

Grammar worksheet · Ficha de gramática inglesa: el past simple (verbos regulares e irregulares, did y was o were)

Remember!

	Affirmative	Negative	Question
Regular verbs	I watched TV.	I didn't watch TV.	Did you watch TV?
Irregular verbs	She went out.	She didn't go out.	Did she go out?
be	It was cold.	It wasn't cold.	Was it cold?

- Regular verbs: walk → walked, like → liked, stop → stopped, study → studied.
- Irregular verbs have their own past form: go → went, eat → ate, see → saw, have → had.
- After did and didn't, use the base form: Did you go? I didn't go.
- be: I / he / she / it → was · you / we / they → were.
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Did you like it? → Yes, I did. / No, I didn't.

1 Circle the correct option.

Rodean la forma correcta: el pasado regular o irregular, did o didn't con la forma base, y was o were.

1. Mateo (losed / lost) his keys yesterday.
2. We (enjoied / enjoyed) the party.
3. I (ate / eat) pizza for dinner last night.
4. Did you (had / have) a good time?
5. We (arrived / arrive) home at ten o'clock last night.
6. Lucía (wrote / writed) a letter to her grandpa.

2 Complete with the past simple of the verb in brackets.

Escriben el verbo del paréntesis en past simple, en la forma que pide la frase: afirmativa, negativa (si lleva not) o pregunta.

1. They _____ (not win) the match.
2. We _____ (stop) for lunch at a small restaurant.
3. Sofía _____ (win) the race.
4. You _____ (not tell) me!
5. We _____ (see) a shooting star last night.
6. I _____ (find) a coin under the sofa.

3 Write the past simple in the correct column.

Escriben el pasado de cada verbo regular en la columna de su regla de ortografía.

cry **smile** **enjoy** **tidy** **skip** **live** **clean** **shop**

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4 Write sentences in the past simple.

Escriben frases en past simple con las pistas: si aparece not, la frase es negativa; si termina en ?, es una pregunta.

Example: I / watch / a film / last night → I watched a film last night.

1. she / not like / the film → _____
2. we / not hear / the phone → _____
3. the children / play / in the garden → _____
4. we / take / the bus / to school → _____
5. you / go / to the party? → _____
6. what / you / do / on Saturday? → _____

5 Correct the mistakes.

Encuentran el error de cada frase y la copian corregida en la línea.

1. Did they arrived on time? → _____
2. He studyed all afternoon. → _____
3. We visited Rome before two years. → _____
4. I didn't saw anything. → _____
5. I see her yesterday. → _____
6. Where you went last summer? → _____

6 What did you do last weekend? Write about it.

Escriben qué hicieron el último fin de semana con verbos en past simple, en afirmativa y en negativa.

On Saturday morning I _____

In the afternoon I _____

I didn't _____

On Sunday I _____

It was _____

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The past simple · Answer key

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Respuesta libre. Ejemplo: On Saturday morning I played basketball with my friends. In the afternoon I visited my grandparents. I didn't watch TV. On Sunday I went to the park with my family. It was a great weekend!