

Irregular verbs

The irregular verbs don't have rules for that reason you have to learn

Present (infinitive)	Past	Participle
Speak	Spoke	Spoken
Drink	Drank	Drunk
Hold	Held	Held
Leave	left	left

Activity

Mary lived in Paris ten years ago (live)

She worked as a teacher there (work)

Her flat was near the Sacre Cour (be)

She could see the tower Eiffel from her window (can)

Her flatmate was Antoine. He was (be) a painter

He painted beautiful portraits (paint)

Mary had (have) a small green car. She drove (drive) her car to work every day but she rode her bike on sundays (ride)

Mary ate crêpes every days (eat) they were delicious! (be) She sometimes drank (drink) some red wine. She did not eat (not eat) scargo. Mary didnt like (not like) snails.

Her best friend anette lived (live) in versailles. Mary sometimes visited (vist) her. They played (play) tennis or went (go) on picnics. On rainy days they played (play) cards or watched (watch a film)

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Aren't firefighters cool?

yesterday I was playing vidiogames in my room when I heard people screaming. I went out and saw my neighbors' house was on fire!

It was less than 10 minutes the firemen arrived and fought against the fire for one hour until they made it. Wow! they are really braved one of them entered the house and saved the Johnson's dog that was trapped in the fire.

I made a decision: I want to be a fireman when I grow up. I'll be strong and brave enough to fight against the fire, to save people's lives and property. I can already see it in the newspapers: brave firemen rescue a family of four, mom will be really proud.

Activity

Mark true (T) or false (F) when it's false, you'll have to justify answer orally.

- they boy's house was on fire **F**
- the boy thinks the firemen are brave **T**
- He admires the firefighters. **T**
- It took long the firemen to arrive. **F**
- It took one hour to extinguish the fire **T**
- they boy's neighbours have a pet **T**
- A fireman saves the dog's life **T**
- they boy wants to be a firefighter when he grows up. **T**
- He wants to be as strong and brave as the firefighters. **T**

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Answer the questions

- what was the boy doing when the neighbors' house caught fire?

He was playing video games

- Did he want to be a fireman before that day?

No, he didn't want to be a fireman

- why did he decide to be a fireman in the future?

Because he admires the fireman

- what qualities does he think are essential for being a fireman?

they are strong and brave

- what can he already see in the newspaper?

A brave fireman rescues a family of four

- who do you think the newspaper is referring to?

To the boy

How does the boy think his mother will feel? Do you agree with him?

So proud

Activity

1. Complete the following text using the past tense of the verbs in brackets.

Anna's holiday **was** (be) great last summer. She **stayed** (stay) in a college in England for two weeks. She **had** (have) classes the mornings, and in the afternoons she **did** (do) some sports like swimming or tennis.

In the evenings the others **went** (go) dancing or **watched** (watch) films with her new friends.

At weekends they **drove** (drive) to some interesting places. Once they **visited** (visit) Marvel Zoo where they **saw** (see) some beautiful animals. Anna **didn't like** (not like) the food at the college but that **wasn't** (not be) a problem. She **met** (meet) a lot of people and **learnt** (learn) some English. All the students in her class **were** (be) sorry to go home. They all **promised** (promise) to come back next summer.

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Post Perfect

Example: I wrote a letter. (past simple)

I will travel to USA. (future simple)

I have travelled to USA. (present perfect)

I had travelled to USA. (past perfect)

I wrote a letter when my mother had arrived to home.

Past Simple

Past perfect

The past perfect tense is for talking about something that happened before something else

Example: we were shocked to discover that someone had graffiti'd on our front door

Past Simple: We were shocked to discover

Past Perfect: Someone had graffiti'd on our front door

The teacher explained about past perfect while the student had done the test.

The past perfect is also called the pluperfect. It is a verb tense used to talk about actions that were completed before some point in the past.

The past perfect simple is used to describe one action that happened before another action in the past.

After she had finished her work, she went to lunch.

Past Perfect: finished

Past Simple: she

I washed the floor when the painter had gone.

Past Perfect: the painter

Past Simple: I washed

Affirmative sentences

subject + had + verb (participle) + complement

Juan had spoken english with his friends.

they had written to family a letter about their situation.

Laura / eat

Laura and Peter had eaten pizza

regular verb: Present: walk
Past: walked
Participle: walked

Irregular verb: Present: eat
Past: ate
Participle: eaten

Example: Susan had walked for two days

I had eaten rice

She had written a poem

Negative

subject + had + Not + verb (Participle) + complement

Juan had not spoken English with his friends

They had not written to family a letter about their situation

Juan hadn't spoken English with his friends

You can write had not or hadn't

Laura / understand / the lesson

Laura had not understood the lesson



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Activity

1. Put the verbs into the correct form
(past perfect simple)

- The storm destroyed the sandcastle that we (build) had built.
- He (not/be) hadn't been to cage town before 1997
- When she went out to play, she (do) / (already) had ready done her homework
- My brother ate all of the cake that our mum (make) had made
- The doctor took off the plaster that he (put/on) had put on six weeks before
- The waiter brought a drink that I (not/order) hadn't ordered
- I could not remember the poem we (learn) had learned the week before
- The children collected the chestnuts that (fall) had fallen from the tree.
- (he/phone) Had he phoned Angie before he went to see her in London?

she (got/ride) hadn't ridden a horse before
that day

that

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