PAST SIMPLE VERBS

A2 | Adults / Teens | Grammar Practice | 20-30 minutes
Topic: Everyday English | Skills: Grammar, Vocabulary | Grammar: Past Simple

Write the past simple form of each verb. Some verbs are irregular.

1. work _____
2. go * _____
3. play _____
4. have * _____
5. watch _____
6. do * _____
7. visit _____
8. eat * _____
9. walk _____
10. drink * _____
11. cook _____
12. see * _____
13. study _____
14. come * _____
15. live _____
16. get * _____
17. travel _____
18. make * _____
19. clean _____
20. take * _____
21. buy * _____
22. meet * _____
23. say * _____
24. give * _____
25. write * _____
26. read * _____
27. speak * _____
28. find * _____
29. think * _____
30. know * _____

* Irregular verb

EXTRA PRACTICE

Choose three verbs and write a past simple sentence for each one.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

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PAST SIMPLE VERBS - ANSWERS

A2 | Answer Key

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Answers

1. work	**worked**	16. get	**got**
2. go	**went**	17. travel	**travelled**
3. play	**played**	18. make	**made**
4. have	**had**	19. clean	**cleaned**
5. watch	**watched**	20. take	**took**
6. do	**did**	21. buy	**bought**
7. visit	**visited**	22. meet	**met**
8. eat	**ate**	23. say	**said**
9. walk	**walked**	24. give	**gave**
10. drink	**drank**	25. write	**wrote**
11. cook	**cooked**	26. read	**read /red/**
12. see	**saw**	27. speak	**spoke**
13. study	**studied**	28. find	**found**
14. come	**came**	29. think	**thought**
15. live	**lived**	30. know	**knew**

Note: read is spelled the same in the present and past, but the past form is pronounced /red/.

Also accept traveled (American English) for item 17.

Extra practice: answers vary. Check that each sentence uses the correct past simple form.

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