



# ENGLISH

# UNIT EIGHTEEN

## ELEMENTARY COURSE

WITH THE INSPIRE ACADEMY



# SIMPLE PAST TENSE

# TO BE / TO HAVE

## TO BE IN THE SIMPLE PAST TENSE

I was  
You were  
He / She / It was  
We were  
They were

## TO HAVE IN THE SIMPLE PAST TENSE

I had  
You had  
He / She / It had  
We had  
They had

# REGULAR VERBS

For all regular verbs you form the simple past like this:

**SUBJECT**



**INFINITIVE VERB**



**'ED'**



**OBJECT**

Examples:

I played football

He enjoyed the evening

For verbs that end in 'y',  
you change it to 'ied'  
E.g. I reply -- I replied

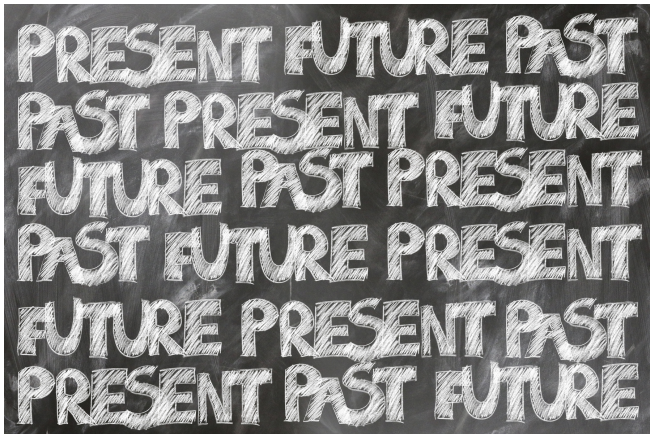
For verbs that end in 'e',  
you just add 'd'  
E.g. I dance -- I danced





## 1. FILL IN THE BLANKS WITH THE PAST TENSE

- 1) I ..... (to have) a sandwich for lunch.
- 2) He ..... (to play) handball last week.
- 3) They..... (to be) happy.
- 4) She ..... (to clean) the car.
- 5) When I ..... (to be) younger, I ..... (to want) a big house.
- 6) You need to finish your homework. Sara ..... (to finish) her homework yesterday.
- 7) She ..... (to like) chocolate when she ..... (to be) six.
- 8) I ..... (to try) to be nice.



# NEGATIVE FORM

To form in the negative:

**SUBJECT**



**DID NOT / DIDN'T**



**VERB**



**OBJECT**

Examples:

I did not play football

He did not enjoy the evening

We did not have the map

This is correct for regular and irregular verbs

# INTERROGATIVE FORM

To form a question in the past tense:

**DID**



**SUBJECT**



**VERB**



**OBJECT**

Examples:

Did you play football?

Did he enjoy the evening?

Did they have the map?

This is correct for regular and irregular verbs

## 2.FILL IN THE BLANKS WITH THE PAST TENSE

- 1) ..... you .....(to have) a salad for lunch?
- 2) He ..... (to eat, negative) his dinner.
- 3) When ..... he ..... (to see) the film?
- 4) .....they ..... (to enjoy) the weekend?
- 5) We ..... (to believe, negative) the man.
- 6) Sara, ..... you ..... (to finish) your homework?
- 7) What ..... he ..... (to do) last week?
- 8) I ..... (to agree, negative) with Daniel.

## WRITE A PARAGRAPH ABOUT WHAT YOU DID LAST WEEKEND (INCLUDE NEGATIVES TOO!)

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### 3.WRITE SENTENCES BELOW FOR EACH WORD



Now you try building sentences with these verbs.

1. Work

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2. Play

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3. Love

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4. Help

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