

Irregular Verbs ***Simple Present, Simple Past and Present Perfect Tenses***

This is a list of Irregular Verbs. I will read the base form, the simple past tense and the past participle of the verb. Then, I will read the verb in three sentences, a simple present tense sentence, a simple past tense sentence and a present perfect tense sentence.

There will be time for you to repeat the verbs and sentences. Try it, it is good practice!

Base	Past	Past Participle	Sentences
Be	was / were	been	
	<i>Simple present tense</i>		I am in class now.
	<i>Simple past tense</i>		I was in class yesterday.
	<i>Present perfect tense</i>		I have been in class since 6:30pm.
Become	became	become	
	<i>Simple present tense</i>		Many people become U.S. citizens every year.
	<i>Simple past tense</i>		My sister became a U.S. citizen last month.
	<i>Present perfect tense</i>		My sister has just become a U.S. citizen.
Begin	began	begun	
	<i>Simple present tense</i>		We begin class at 8:30am every day.
	<i>Simple past tense</i>		We began class at 8:30am yesterday.
	<i>Present perfect tense</i>		We have just begun class.
Bend	bent	bent	
	<i>Simple present tense</i>		Maria always bends the straw.
	<i>Simple past tense</i>		Maria bent the straw and put it in the can of soda.
	<i>Present perfect tense</i>		Maria has bent the straw many times.
Bite	bit	bitten	
	<i>Simple present tense</i>		Some dogs bite people
	<i>Simple past tense</i>		A dog bit a man yesterday.
	<i>Present perfect tense</i>		Those dogs have bitten people a few times.