

Simple Past Tense

Regular

Add -ed to the end of the verb.

*In writing, the past tense is always -d or -ed.
When we speak, it sounds like -d, -ed, OR -t *

- Listen → _____ [sounds like:]
- Clean → _____ [sounds like:]
- Ask → _____ [sounds like:]
- Try → _____ [sounds like:]
- Talk → _____ [sounds like:]
- Study → _____ [sounds like:]
- Learn → _____ [sounds like:]
- Cry → _____ [sounds like:]
- Jump → _____ [sounds like:]
- Miss → _____ [sounds like:]
- Mop → _____ [sounds like:]
- Laugh → _____ [sounds like:]
- Cook → _____ [sounds like:]
- Walk → _____ [sounds like:]
- Argue → _____ [sounds like:]
- Play → _____ [sounds like:]
- Pay → _____ [sounds like:]
- End → _____ [sounds like:]
- Twist → _____ [sounds like:]

Irregular

There is no rule, you must memorize these verbs.

- Drive → _____
- Become → _____
- Begin → _____
- Forget → _____
- Write → _____
- Fight → _____
- Give → _____
- Sleep → _____
- Go → _____
- Have → _____
- Run → _____
- Choose → _____
- Meet → _____
- Send → _____
- See → _____
- Be → _____
- Think → _____
- Buy → _____
- Speed → _____