PAST Simple

USE

⭐ **Finished actions** in the **past**.

MY BROTHER **PLAYED GOLF** LAST SUNDAY

FORM

AFFIRMATIVE

REGULAR

⭐ **In general - end in -ed**

WORK - WORK**ED**

⭐ **Verbs ending in -e - add -d**

LIVE - LIVE**D**

⭐ **Verbs ending in consonant + y - end in -ied**

STUDY - STUD**IED**

⭐ **Short verbs ending in cons. + vowel + cons. - double the last cons. + -ed**

PLAN - PLA**NNED**

IRREGULAR

THERE IS A LIST TO STUDY

BEGIN - **BEGAN**

GO - **WENT**

Good News

ALL THE PERSONS HAVE THE SAME FORM

I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY - **STUDIED**
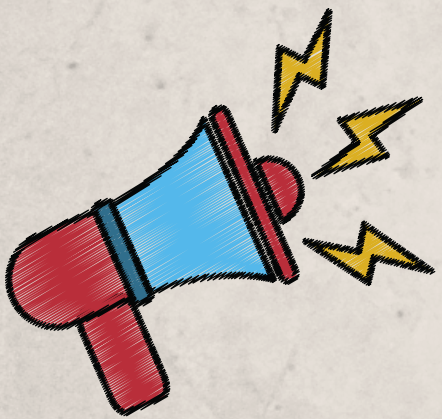
I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY - **WENT**

PAST Simple

NEGATIVE

Subject + did + not + infinitive

I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY - **DIDN´T** STUDY

I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY - **DIDN´T** GO

FOR ALL THE PERSONS

REGULARS AND IRREGULARS TAKE THE INFINITIVE FORM AFTER DIDN´T

INTERROGATIVE

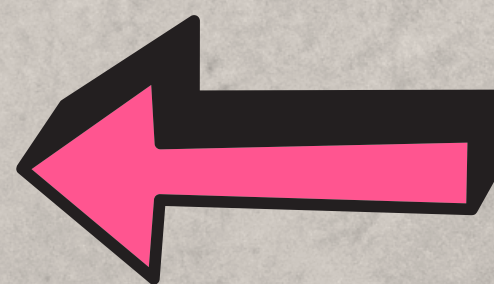**Did** + Subject + **infinitive** **?**

DID I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY **WORK?**

DID I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY **GO?**

YES, I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY **DID**

NO, I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY **DIDN´T**
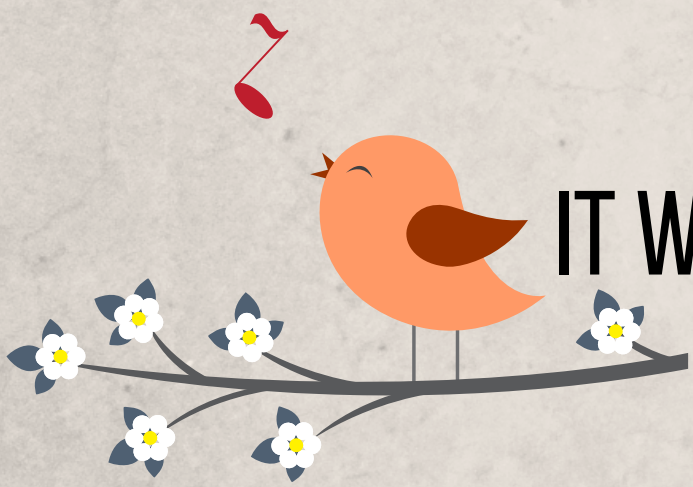
Short Answers

PAST Continuous

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USE

⭐ To show **what somebody was doing** at a **particular time in the past.**

YESTERDAY AT 6:00 PM ANNA WAS RUNNING IN THE PARK

⭐ To create **the context of an action in the past**

IT WAS MONDAY, THE SUN WAS SHINING AND THE BIRDS WERE SINGING

FORM

➕ Subject + **was/were** + **gerund** (-ing)

I/HE/SHE/IT WAS SLEEPING ON THE SOFA
YOU/WE/THEY WERE SLEEPING ON THE SOFA

➖ Subject + **was/were** + **not** + **gerund** (-ing)

I/HE/SHE/IT WASN´T SLEEPING ON THE SOFA
YOU/WE/THEY WERE N´T SLEEPING ON THE SOFA

❓ **was/were** + Subject + **gerund** (-ing) + **?**

WAS I/HE/SHE/IT SLEEPING ON THE SOFA?
WERE YOU/WE/THEY SLEEPING ON THE SOFA?

PAST Perfect

USES

An **action** that **happened** **before** **another** **action** **in the past**

WHEN I **GOT** HOME, HE **HAD LEFT**

Hypothesis in the **past**

IF I **HAD KNOWN** YOUR NUMBER, I **WOULD HAVE CALLED** YOU

3rd Conditional

FORM

➕ Subject + **had** + **past participle**

I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY **HAD** **LEFT** BEFORE IT STARTED TO RAIN
HAD **COOKED** DINNER WHEN MOM GOT HOME

REGULAR -ED

➖ Subject + **had** + **not** + **past participle**

I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY **HADN´T** **LEFT** WHEN IT STARTED TO RAIN
HADN´T **COOKED** DINNER WHEN MOM GOT HOME

IRREGULAR
LIST 3RD COLUMN

❓ **Had** + Subject + **past participle** + **?**

HAD I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY **LEFT** WHEN IT STARTED TO RAIN?
HAD I/YOU/HE/SHE/IT/WE/YOU/THEY **COOKED** DINNER WHEN MOM GOT HOME?