

Simple Past Tense

The simple past tense denotes an action or event that occurred in the past.

Example: David swam (swim) ten laps.

Complete each sentence with the simple past tense of the irregular verb in the parentheses.

- 1) We _____ (go) to the circus yesterday.
- 2) Timothy _____ (buy) fresh vegetables at the store.
- 3) Jade _____ (wake) up at dawn to go for a beautiful nature walk.
- 4) When Allan went beachcombing, he _____ (find) many shiny things.
- 5) Mom _____ (grind) some pepper for the Italian dish.
- 6) The boys _____ (drink) lemonade after playing basketball.
- 7) My little brother _____ (know) the way to his school.
- 8) The driver _____ (drive) the school bus slowly.
- 9) The birthday girl _____ (blow) the candles on the cake.
- 10) He _____ (say) he was coming.