

Important Information

Exercises to do this week Send answers here: gpa.ana@gmail.com

THEORY ABOUT REGULAR & IRREGULAR PAST FORMS:

Use of the Past Simple

The Past Simple is used to write and talk about completed actions that happened in a time before the present. It is the basic form of the past tense in English. Study the following information how to form the simple past and how to form the negation and questions.

Regular Verbs

How to form: **Infinitive + ed = 2nd form**

Examples: walk + **ed** walked
laugh + **ed** laughed
want + **ed** wanted

Note: cry - cried y » i
carry - carried y » i
love - loved **no e**
hope - hoped **no e**

stop - **stopped** if you speak a short vowel » **doubling**

drop - **dropped** if you speak a short vowel » **doubling**

Key words: **yesterday, last week (month, Monday, October,...), in 1984, ago**

Irregular Verbs

Some examples:

1 st form	2 nd form	1 st form	2 nd form
am, is	was	see	saw

PRACTICE:

1) Fill/ Complete in the past form.

1. Mammoths big animals, bigger than elephants. (be)
2. Mammoths 100 years ago. (not live)
3. Mammoths a long time ago. (live)
4. Mammoths meat. They grass. (not eat / eat)
5. They two large tusks about three metres long. (have)
6. I by credit card. I cash. (pay / not pay)
7. Hesome milk. He any water. (drink / not drink)
8. She only a pound. She 3 pounds. (spend / not spend)
9. I some elephants. I any lions. (see / not see)
10. They in the sea, but they in the lake. (swim / not swim)