

1 Write the verbs in the simple past.

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| 1. skate _____ <i>skated</i> _____ | 6. enjoy _____ |
| 2. ask _____ | 7. listen _____ |
| 3. visit _____ | 8. study _____ |
| 4. try _____ | 9. arrive _____ |
| 5. rent _____ | 10. dance _____ |

2 Rewrite the sentences in the simple past.

1. We play basketball in the park.
We played basketball in the park. _____
2. Leo cleans his room after school.

3. The students walk to school.

4. We shop at the mall on Oak Street.

5. Kathy calls her friends from the beach.

6. I stay at home on Monday night.

7. They race home after school.

8. You want to go to Venezuela.

9. She practices the piano.

10. He needs new sneakers.



3 Write sentences in the simple past about what you did last week.

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| 1. <i>I rented some DVDs.</i> _____ | 5. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 7. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 8. _____ |

1 Match the verbs to the correct simple past forms.

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| 1. answer <u>o</u> | 10. make _____ | a. gave | j. saw |
| 2. buy _____ | 11. meet _____ | b. made | k. bought |
| 3. drink _____ | 12. see _____ | c. ate | l. got |
| 4. eat _____ | 13. sleep _____ | d. took | m. slept |
| 5. fly _____ | 14. snorkel _____ | e. wrote | n. went |
| 6. get _____ | 15. stop _____ | f. had | o. answered |
| 7. give _____ | 16. take _____ | g. snorkeled | p. watched |
| 8. go _____ | 17. watch _____ | h. drank | q. flew |
| 9. have _____ | 18. write _____ | i. stopped | r. met |

2 Choose the correct forms of the verbs to complete the sentences.

- I love my new camera. I (take / took) pictures all the time.
- Carlita (meet / met) some cool people at the school dance last week.
- Mr. Stevens travels a lot. He (flies / flew) to a different place every month.
- They (buy / bought) a new house last summer.
- We went to the museum. We (see / saw) a lot of beautiful paintings.
- There's no juice in the refrigerator. I (drink / drank) it yesterday.

3 Complete the text about Laurie's trip to Mexico with the simple past.

My name's Laurie. I went (go) to Mexico with my family last summer. We _____ (fly) to Cancún and _____ (stay) in a hotel near the beach. We _____ (eat) at different restaurants every day. We _____ (try) different kinds of food. I _____ (like) the chicken mole. One day, we _____ (visit) the ruins at Chichén Itzá. The ruins are really beautiful, so I _____ (take) a lot of pictures to show my friends. My sister Tori _____ (buy) some pretty jewelry. In Cozumel, a guide _____ (give) us a tour of the island. My brother _____ (get) some cool T-shirts. We _____ (meet) a lot of nice people, and we _____ (have) a great time on our vacation.



Mini-review

1 Complete the chart with the simple past forms of the verbs in the box.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> arrive	<input type="checkbox"/> fly	<input type="checkbox"/> listen	<input type="checkbox"/> see	<input type="checkbox"/> try
<input type="checkbox"/> dance	<input type="checkbox"/> give	<input type="checkbox"/> meet	<input type="checkbox"/> shop	<input type="checkbox"/> visit
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> drink	<input type="checkbox"/> go	<input type="checkbox"/> plan	<input type="checkbox"/> sleep	<input type="checkbox"/> walk
<input type="checkbox"/> eat	<input type="checkbox"/> learn	<input type="checkbox"/> rent	<input type="checkbox"/> take	<input type="checkbox"/> write

Regular		Irregular	
<i>arrived</i>	_____	<i>drank</i>	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

2 Complete the sentences with the simple past forms of the verbs in the box.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> learn	<input type="checkbox"/> practice	<input type="checkbox"/> stay	<input type="checkbox"/> visit
<input type="checkbox"/> play	<input type="checkbox"/> race	<input type="checkbox"/> try	<input type="checkbox"/> watch

- Jerome learned how to surf.
- Alicia and her sister _____ a soccer game on TV.
- Simone _____ at a beautiful hotel.
- Hal _____ a museum on his vacation.
- Tomiko _____ a lot of new foods.
- Juan and Rosario _____ English.
- Lucy _____ volleyball on the beach.
- Mr. Parker _____ a dune buggy down the beach.

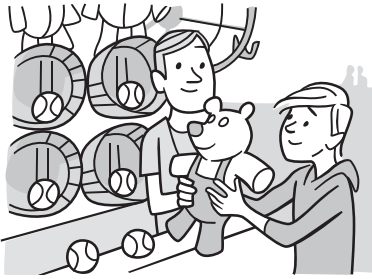


3 What did Candace do on her vacation? Write sentences.

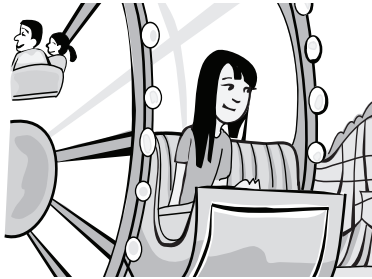
- (fly to Florida) *She flew to Florida.* _____
- (eat in many restaurants) _____
- (go to the beach) _____
- (buy souvenirs) _____
- (meet new people) _____
- (take pictures) _____
- (write postcards) _____
- (sleep late every day) _____



1 Look at the pictures. Then write questions and complete the answers.



1. A Did you win a prize?
B Yes, I did. I won a stuffed animal.



2. A _____
B _____ I went on a lot of rides.



3. A _____
B _____ I don't like fun houses!



4. A _____
B _____ I don't like to dance.



5. A _____
B _____ I played some fun games.



6. A _____
B _____ I don't like cotton candy.

2 Write questions and answers. Then match the questions to the answers.

1. exercise

Q: Did you exercise? f

a. yes / buy five raffle tickets

A: _____

2. study English

Q: _____

b. yes / win a stuffed animal

A: _____

3. buy any raffle tickets

Q: _____

c. no / join the drama club

A: _____

4. join the chess club

Q: _____

d. no / eat ice cream

A: _____

5. win any prizes

Q: _____

e. no / study science

A: _____

6. eat cotton candy

Q: _____

f. yes / run

A: Yes, I did. / ran. OR Yes. / ran.

1 Write negative simple past sentences.

1. Danielle / go to a concert

Danielle didn't go to a concert.

2. they / see a movie

3. Calvin / have fun on Friday

4. I / buy a new magazine

5. we / talk on the phone

6. Tony / go to a party

7. Cecilia / do a lot of homework

8. the students / go to the school festival

2 Look at Harvey's responses to a survey about weekend activities. Then write sentences about what he did and didn't do.

Check (✓) the things you did last weekend.	
<input type="checkbox"/> play video games	<input type="checkbox"/> talk on the phone
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> read magazines	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> listen to music
<input type="checkbox"/> go to the park	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> go to a party
<input type="checkbox"/> do homework	<input type="checkbox"/> eat at a restaurant
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> go downtown	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> sleep late

1. *He didn't play video games.*

6. _____

2. _____

7. _____

3. _____

8. _____

4. _____

9. _____

5. _____

10. _____

3 What did you do last weekend? Write four sentences about the things you did and four sentences about the things you didn't do.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____



Get Connected

UNIT 2

1 Read the Web site quickly. Check (✓) the animals the Web site talks about.

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|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> fish | <input type="checkbox"/> horse | <input type="checkbox"/> parrot | <input type="checkbox"/> tortoise |
| <input type="checkbox"/> frogs | <input type="checkbox"/> iguana | <input type="checkbox"/> sea lions | <input type="checkbox"/> whale |

Did you see any animals this summer? Tell us.

My friend and I saw a radiated tortoise at the Bronx Zoo yesterday. It wasn't a giant tortoise, but it was big. I also saw a lot of little red frogs. They're tomato frogs, and they're endangered. They're really beautiful.
- *Brian B., New York*

My family visited Mexico this summer. We went on a tour of the desert. I saw a lot of great scenery in the desert, but I didn't see any animals. Later at the hotel I saw an iguana in a tree in the garden. I was happy.
- *Jill C., Chicago*

In the summer I went to Raspberry Island in Alaska with my aunt, uncle, and cousins. We had a great time. We went on a boat tour around the island. We didn't snorkel - it was too cold. But we saw a lot of fish from the boat. We saw sea lions and a whale, too. I took pictures of the sea lions, but I didn't take any pictures of the whales. They were too far away.
- *Jim R., San Francisco*

2 Complete the conversation with the underlined words from Part 1.

- Tom** Where did you go this summer, Jane?
- Jane** I went to San Diego!
- Tom** Did you _____ in the ocean?
- Jane** Yes, I did. I saw a _____ fish. It was really big!
- Tom** Cool! Did you see any _____ animals on your trip?
- Jane** No, I didn't. But I saw some _____. They're really cute.
- Tom** Did you enjoy the _____ there?
- Jane** Yes. The water and the flowers were so beautiful there.

3 Read the Web site in Part 1 slowly. Who did these things? Write *Brian, Jill, or Jim*.

1. Visited a zoo: Brian
2. Saw an endangered animal: _____
3. Went to an island: _____
4. Took a picture: _____
5. Traveled with family: _____ and _____
6. Went on a tour: _____ and _____

1 Match the questions to the answers.

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|--|---|
| 1. Did Melvin go to a concert last night? <u> e </u> | a. Yes, she did. She had a great time at the party. |
| 2. Did you do your English homework? <u> </u> | b. No. She ate lunch at 1:00. |
| 3. Did Susanna eat lunch at 12:00? <u> </u> | c. No. He bought a new CD player. |
| 4. Did Gina have a good time at the party? <u> </u> | d. Yes, I did. I finished my report for English. |
| 5. Did Ann and Sid watch the fireworks? <u> </u> | e. No, he didn't. He went to a movie. |
| 6. Did Mr. Valdez buy a new camera? <u> </u> | f. Yes. They watched them on TV. |

2 Complete the sentences about Leah's vacation with the simple past.

- (go to London) I *went to London* _____.
- (fly there) My family and I _____.
- (take seven hours) It _____.
- (visit Buckingham Palace) We _____.
- (buy souvenirs) My sister _____.
- (take great pictures) My father _____.
- (meet some new people) I _____.
- (eat good food) We _____.



3 Steve and Flora went to a party last night. Look at the chart. Then write sentences about what they did and didn't do.

	eat pizza	dance	play games	go home early
Steve	X	X	✓	X
Flora	✓	✓	X	✓

Steve

- Steve didn't eat pizza.* _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Flora

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

