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Aprendamos como utilizar el pasado simple



Past simple (Pasado simple)

Afirmativa	Subject + verb (simple past) + complement	She played basketball yesterday with her sister. (Ella jugó baloncesto ayer con su hermana)
Negativa	Subject + did not + verb (base form) + complement	He did not play basketball with them. (Él no jugó baloncesto con ellas)
Interrogativa	Did + subject + verb (base form) + complement	Did you play basketball with them? ¿jugaste baloncesto con ellas?
Verb to be		
Afirmativa	Subject + was/were + complement	They were at the Cinema. (ellos estaban en el cine)
Negativa	Subject + was not / were not + complement	I wasn't at home. (Yo no estaba en casa)
Interrogativa	Was / were + subject + complement	Were they at the mall with you? ¿Estaban ellos en el centro comercial contigo?

Importante:

- Para los pronombres (I, he, she and it) se utiliza (was)
- Para los pronombres (We, you, they) se utiliza (were)
- La forma corta de was not es wasn't, para were not es weren't
- Cuando se utiliza el auxiliar did el verbo se deja normal, no se cambia a pasado.

Formar el pasado simple:

- A los verbos regulares se les agrega ED al final.
- Walk-walked Caminar-caminó / Play-played Jugar-jugó / Cook-cooked Cocinar-cocinó
- Los verbos irregulares cambian, algunos son:
- Drink-drank Tomar-tomó / Eat-ate Comer-comió / Speak-spoke Hablar-habló

Examples:

I went to the office last week. (Fui a la oficina la semana pasada)

I studied English yesterday. (Estudie inglés ayer)

She bought clothes last month. (Ella compró ropa el mes pasado)

Time to practice what you have learned

Practiquemos lo que has aprendido.

Write what did you do last weekend? ¿qué hiciste el fin de semana pasado?

Here is an example:

Last weekend, I went to the mall with my friends, and we played bowling. Then, we had pizza. At night, I went to a party and danced a lot. On Sunday, I slept and went shopping. In the evening, I watched a movie.

(El fin de semana pasado fui al centro comercial con mis amigos y jugamos bolos. Después comimos pizza. En la noche, fui a una fiesta y baile mucho. El domingo, dormí y fui de compras. En la noche vi una película)

It's your turn!