

PAST SIMPLE TENSE

Время **Past Simple** используется для обозначения действия, которое произошло в определенное время в прошлом и время совершения которого уже истекло.

1. При выражении фактов, свершившихся в прошлом, которые не связаны с настоящим. Чаще всего отношение действия или состояния к определенному периоду в прошедшем времени становится понятно из контекста (содержания предложения или соседних предложений).

I read this book in London — Я прочитал эту книгу в Лондоне. (Обстоятельство in London косвенно указывает на время совершения действия.)

I called for help, but no one answered — Я взывал о помощи, но никто не отвечал (Глаголы called, answered выражают последовательность действий.)

I'm sorry I was out when you called — Мне очень жаль, я отсутствовал когда вы звонили. (Придаточное предложение when you called указывает время.)

2. При выражении обычных или повторяющихся действий в прошлом, которые не связаны с настоящим:

Last summer I often swam in pool — Прошлым летом я часто плавал в бассейне.

When you were ill I went to see you every other day — Когда ты болел, я навещал тебя каждый день

3. При выражении свойства или действия, характеризовавшего подлежащее в прошлом.

She was very thin when she was a small girl — Она была очень худой, когда была маленькой девочкой.

4. В дополнительных придаточных предложениях в косвенной речи, с условием что глагол в главном предложении стоит в Past Simple Tense.

He said he lived in Moscow — Он сказал, что живет в Москве.

I told him I wasn't there — Я сказал ему, что не был там.

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Число	Лицо	Утвердительная форма	Вопросительная форма	Отрицательная форма
Ед. ч.	1 2 3	I walked You walked He/ She/ It walked	Did I walk? Did you walk? Did he/ she/ it walk?	I did not (didn't) walk You did not (didn't) walk He/ She/ It did not (didn't) walk
Мн. ч.	1 2 3	We walked You walked They walked	Did we walk? Did you walk? Did they walk?	We did not (didn't) walk You did not (didn't) walk They did not (didn't) walk

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Ед. ч.	1 2 3	I understood You understood He/ She/ It understood	Did I understand? Did you understand? Did he/ she/ it understand?	I did not (didn't) understand You did not (didn't) understand He/ She/ It did not (didn't) understand
Мн. ч.	1 2 3	We understood You understood They understood	Did we understand? Did you understand? Did they understand?	We did not (didn't) understand You did not (didn't) understand They did not (didn't) understand

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Ед. ч.	1 2 3	I was You were He/ She/ It was	Was I? Were you? Was he/ she/ it?	I was not (wasn't) You were not (weren't) He/ She/ It was not (wasn't)
Мн. ч.	1 2 3	We were You were They were	Were we? Were you? Were they?	We were not (weren't) You were not (weren't) They were not (weren't)

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Yesterday — вчера
last night — прошлой ночью
last week — на прошлой неделе
last month — в прошлом месяце
last year — в прошлом году
last summer — прошлым летом
the other day — в другой день
in 1945 — в 1945 году

А также словосочетания с наречием ago:

five minutes ago — пять минут назад
an hour ago — час назад
two years ago — два года назад

Where did you travel last year? — Где ты путешествовал в прошлом году?

I was born in 1982 — Я родился в 1982 году.

They were here ten minutes ago — Они были здесь десять минут назад.

Вопросительные наречия when и how также могут указывать на прошедшее время.

How did it happen? — Как это случилось?

When did you begin your studies? — Когда ты начал учебу?

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Verb	Past Simple	Past Participle	Verb	Past Simple	Past Participle
be	was/were	been	leave	left	left
become	became	become	let	let	let
begin	began	begun	lose	lost	lost
break	broke	broken	make	made	made
bring	brought	brought	mean	meant	meant
build	built	built	meet	met	met
buy	bought	bought	pay	paid	paid
can	could	been able	put	put	put
catch	caught	caught	read/read/	read/red/	read/red/
choose	chose	chosen	ride	rode	ridden
come	came	come	ring	rang	rung
cost	cost	cost	run	ran	run
dig	dug	dug	say	said	said
do	did	done	see	saw	seen
draw	drew	drawn	sell	sold	sold
drink	drank	drunk	send	sent	sent
drive	drove	driven	shine	shone	shone
eat	ate	eaten	show	showed	shown
fall	fell	fallen	sing	sang	sung
feed	fed	fed	sit	sat	sat
feel	felt	felt	sleep	slept	slept
find	found	found	speak	spoke	spoken
fly	flew	flown	spend	spent	spent
forget	forgot	forgotten	stand	stood	stood
get	got	got	steal	stole	stolen
give	gave	given	swim	swam	swum
go	went	gone/been	take	took	taken
grow	grew	grown	teach	taught	taught
have	had	had	tell	told	told
hear	heard	heard	think	thought	thought
hold	held	held	throw	threw	thrown
hurt	hurt	hurt	understand	understood	understood
keep	kept	kept	wear	wore	worn
know	knew	known	win	won	won
learn	learned/learnt	learned/learnt	write	wrote	written