


Past simple regular verbs

					
He	sailed	in a boat.	He	didn't sail	in a boat.
She	studied	Maths.	She	didn't study	Maths.

1 Write the past simple of these verbs.

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| 1 climb _____ | 4 discover _____ |
| 2 paint _____ | 5 play _____ |
| 3 invent _____ | 6 live _____ |

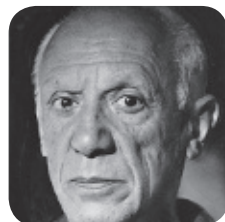
2 Complete the sentences with past simple verbs from Activity 1.

- Pelé was a footballer from Brazil. He _____ in four World Cups.
- Mary Shelley was a writer. She _____ the character of Frankenstein.
- Junko Tabei was a climber. She _____ Everest in 1975.
- Michelangelo was an artist. He _____ the Sistine Chapel in Rome.
- Shannon Lucid was an astronaut. She _____ on a space station for 8 months.
- William Herschel was an astronomer. He _____ the planet Uranus.

3 Read and complete.

Pablo Picasso was an artist from Spain.

- (+) Picasso studied Art in Barcelona and Madrid. (study)
 (-) He _____ the Mona Lisa. (paint)
 (+) He _____ in a big house in France. (live)
 (+) He _____ colourful pictures of people. (paint)

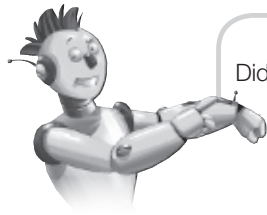


Neil Armstrong was an astronaut from the USA.

- (-) He _____ Science at university. (study)
 (-) He _____ on a space station. (live)
 (+) He _____ to the moon in a spaceship. (travel)
 (+) He _____ on the moon for two hours. (walk)



Past simple questions



Did	he	invent the radio?
	she	climb Everest?

Yes, he did./No, he didn't.
Yes, she did./No, she didn't.

1 Toby and Helen are talking about John Lennon. Read and complete.

Did he play any instruments?

Did he live in New York?

Was John Lennon a singer?

Did he study Music?

Toby: _____

Helen: Yes, he was. He was a singer in a famous group called the Beatles.

Toby: _____

Helen: Yes, he did. He played the guitar and the piano.

Toby: _____

Helen: No, he studied Art. He learned to play the guitar with his friends.

Toby: _____

Helen: Yes, he did. He lived in New York with his family.

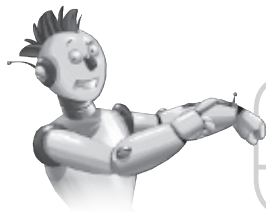


2 Look, then write questions and answer.

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| 1 Leonardo Da Vinci | a walk on Mars |
| 2 Edmund Hillary | b study French at university |
| 3 Cleopatra | c paint the 'Mona Lisa' |
| 4 JK Rowling | d climb Mont Blanc |
| 5 Neil Armstrong | e invent the television |
| 6 John Logie Baird | f live in Athens |

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| 1 Did Leonardo Da Vinci paint the 'Mona Lisa'? | (+) Yes, he did. _____ |
| 2 _____ | (-) _____ |
| 3 _____ | (-) _____ |
| 4 _____ | (+) _____ |
| 5 _____ | (-) _____ |
| 6 _____ | (+) _____ |

Past simple questions with Where...? Who...? What...?



Where did you go?

Who did you go with?

What did you do?

I

We

went to the planetarium.

went with some friends.

saw an exhibition about Mars.

1

Read and complete the dialogue.

Who did you go with? What did you see? Where did you go? What did you do?

Jade: I had a fantastic weekend!

Josh: Oh yes? _____

Jade: I went to the mountains.

Josh: _____

Jade: I went with my cousins.

Josh: _____

Jade: We went trekking and we camped in the forest.

Josh: _____

Jade: We saw lots of animals and an eagle. It was amazing!

2

Look at the picture and complete. Use *Who...?* *What...?* or *Where...?*

1 _____ did you go?

I went _____.

2 _____ animals did you see?

3 _____ did you go with?



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Write about your weekend.

Where did you go? _____

What did you do? _____

Who did you see? _____

Superlative adjectives



Blue whales	are	the biggest animals	in the world.
Giraffes	have got	the longest necks	

1 Complete the sentences and write T (*True*) or F (*False*). Then, check your answers.



- (fastest, Leopards) _____ are the _____ big cats.
- (Lions, loudest, got) _____ have _____ the _____ roar.
- (cats, the, are) Tigers _____ tallest _____.
- (tails, have, the) Cheetahs _____ got _____ longest _____.
- (teeth, longest, got) Tigers have _____ the _____.
- (smallest, Cheetahs) _____ are the _____ of the big cats.

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2 Look at the table and write about the animals. Use *tallest*, *shortest*, *fastest* or *slowest*.

	camel	hippo	rhino	lion
How tall? (metres)	2.15	1.5	2.0	1.20
How fast? (kilometres/hour)	65	30	50	80

- _____ are the tallest animals.
- _____
- _____
- _____

(1) F (cheetahs) (2) T (3) T (4) F (snow leopards) (5) T (6) T