

PAST SIMPLE

Il **past simple** traduce il **passato remoto** (*fui, andai, vidi...*), il **passato prossimo** (*sono stato, sono andato, ho visto*) o l'**imperfetto** (*ero, andavo, vedevo*) italiani.

Esprime un'azione avvenuta e conclusa in un momento del passato, anche recente, ormai completamente trascorso.

PAST SIMPLE di TO BE

Forma affermativa	Forma negativa	Forma interrogativa	Risposte brevi
I was	I was not (wasn't)	was I?	Yes, I was./No, I wasn't
You were	You were not (weren't)	were you?	Yes, you were/No, you weren't
He was	he was not (wasn't)	was he?	Yes, he was./No, he wasn't
She was	she was not (wasn't)	was she?	Yes, she was./No, she wasn't
It was	it was not (wasn't)	was it?	Yes, it was./No, it wasn't
We were	We were not (weren't)	were we?	Yes, we were/No, we weren't
You were	You were not (weren't)	were you?	Yes, you were/No, you weren't
They were	They were not (weren't)	were they?	Yes, they were/No, they weren't

PAST SIMPLE dei verbi lessicali

FORMA AFFERMATIVA - REGOLARI

Si forma aggiungendo **-ed all'infinito (senza il to)**:

I worked	Nell'aggiungere -ed possono intervenire alcune variazioni ortografiche : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • al verbo che termina in -e si aggiunge solo -d: love ⇒ loved • il verbo di una o due sillabe che termina con una sola consonante preceduta da una sola vocale, raddoppia la consonante: stop ⇒ stopped • la -y finale preceduta da consonante diventa -i: cry ⇒ cried
You worked	
He worked	
She worked	
It worked	
We worked	
You worked	
They worked	

FORMA AFFERMATIVA - IRREGOLARI

I verbi irregolari hanno ciascuno la sua forma propria che è la seconda voce del paradigma.

I drank	Come per i verbi regolari, il <i>past simple</i> è uguale per tutte le persone.
You drank	
he drank	
she drank	
it drank	
we drank	
you drank	
they drank	

Le frasi **interrogative e negative** si formano con l'ausiliare **did (il passato di do)** per tutte le persone più la forma **base** del verbo senza to

Forma negativa	Forma interrogativa	Risposte brevi
I did not (didn't) drink	Did I drink?	Yes, I did/No, I didn't
You did not (didn't) drink	Did you drink?	Yes, you did/No, you didn't
He did not (didn't) drink	Did he drink?	Yes, he did/No, he didn't
She did not (didn't) drink	Did she drink?	Yes, she did/No, she didn't
It did not (didn't) drink	Did it drink?	Yes, it did/No, it didn't
We did not (didn't) drink	Did we drink?	Yes, we did/No, we didn't
You did not (didn't) drink	Did you drink?	Yes, you did/No, you didn't
They did not (didn't) drink	Did they drink?	Yes, they did/No, they didn't