

SIMPLE PAST EXERCISE 1

1) Write the simple past (positive form) of these verbs:

hope:.....	change:.....	like:.....	behave:.....
Prefer:.....	Omit:.....	Control:.....	Drop:.....
Study:.....	Carry:.....	Worry:.....	Try:.....
Pray:.....	Enjoy:.....	Obey:.....	Play:.....

2) Write the simple past form of the verbs below:

I my mum in the kitchen. (help)

My sister in her room. (study)

My mum the green car. (wash)

My grandmother to the shop. (walk)

My brother to music. (listen)

My uncle a pretty woman. (marry)

My aunt her new notebook. (use)

My cousins very late. (arrive)

The baby a lot. (cry)

My dad his old bike. (fix)

The dogs in the garden. (play)

3) Write the verb in the simple past tense (positive form):

I (help) my friend with his homework yesterday.

My Mom (cook) bacon and eggs for breakfast this morning.

It was hot yesterday. The teacher (open) all the classroom windows.

We (walk) to school yesterday.

The man (close) his shop at 8:00 o'clock last night.

Last year I (travel) to London, England with my parents. My

friend (study) English for three hours last night.

Last night, I went to a party with my boyfriend. We..... (dance)a lot.

My friend_____ (live) in Rome for two years.

4) Write sentences in simple past (positive form):

you / cards / play

I/ a car / want

we / the game / lose

they / lemonade / very much / like

- he / the family car/ wash

5) Complete the table in simple past:

positive	negative	Question
The children played in the garden.		
Laura studied history at six o'clock.		
	Max didn't cook, yesterday.	
		Did they live in London five years ago?
		Was she ill?
	They weren't in the park.	
	She did not work in London.	

6) Put the sentences in order:

you – did – see – him – yesterday?

where – shoes? - did – you – your – find

did – what – you – about – the – think – meeting?

any – have – questions? – did – they

7) Read and complete with "don't" or "didn't":

They usually have breakfast.

Last summer they take the dog with them on holiday.

8) Write the right simple past below:

I (work) in a bank for ten years.

Where (you / live) when you were young?

She (not / study) French at university.

..... (they / visit) the Louvre in Paris?

She (not / watch) TV yesterday.

I (cook) steak last night.

We(not / play) tennis yesterday because it was raining.

9) Write ten sentences in the simple past form:

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