worked/got/went, etc. (simple past)

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They watch television every night.

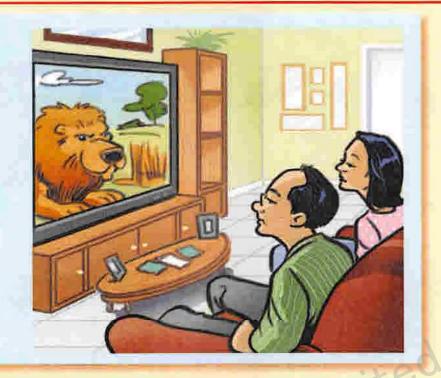
(simple present)

They watched television last night. (simple past)

watched is the simple past:

I/we/you/they he/she/it

watched



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B The simple past is often -ed (regular verbs). For example:

work → worked dance → danced clean → cleaned stay → stayed need → needed

- I brush my teeth every morning. This morning I brushed my teeth.
- Terry worked in a bank from 1996 to 2003.
- Yesterday it rained all morning. It stopped at lunchtime.
- We enjoyed the party last night. We danced a lot and talked to a lot of people. The party ended at midnight.

For spelling, see Appendix 5.

try → tried study → studied copy → copied stop → stopped plan → planned

Some verbs are irregular (= not regular). The simple past is not -ed. Here are some important irregular verbs (see also Appendixes 2-3):

begin -	→ began	fall -	→ fell	leave -	→ left	sell -	→ sold
break	broke	find	found	lose	lost	sit	sat
bring	brought	fly	flew	make	made	sleep	slept
build	built	forget	forgot	meet	met	speak	spoke
buy	bought	get	got	pay	paid	stand	stood
catch	caught	give	gave	put	put	take	took
come	came	go	went	read	read (red)*	tell	told
do	did	have	had	ring	rang	think	thought
drink	drank	hear	heard	say	said	win	won
eat	ate	know	knew	see	saw	write	wrote

*pronounced "red"

- I usually get up early, but this morning I got up at 9:30.
- We did a lot of work yesterday.
- Caroline went to the movies three times last week.
- James came into the room, took off his coat, and sat down.

C

11.1 Complete the sentences. Use a verb from the box.

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	2. It was hot					window				
	3. The movie								at 10:00	
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	6. It's a nice						ıv.			
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11.4	Write senten	ces abou	it the p	past (yes	terday / la	st week,	etc.).			
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	2. Rachel off			100						t week.
					She					
					day. Yesterday					
					ends. Last Su					
					orning. This					
	8. Our friend	ls often c	ome to	see us. Tl	ney				last	t Friday.
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