

Put in the correct past tense form 6e_sim_pas_01

to ask	.....	to show	.....
to stay	.....	to steer	.....
to arrive	.....	to jump	.....
to collect	.....	to write	.....
to fix	.....	to have	.....
to shout	.....	to leave	.....
to rush	.....	to eat	.....
to want	.....	to sing	.....
to start	.....	to drink	.....

Past Tense: was – were 6e_sim_pas_02

1. I in Spain last year.
2. We in Turkey last month.
3. A minute ago she in the kitchen.
4. and my father down in the cellar.
5. We in London this afternoon.
6. My brother in the garden this morning.
7. Our teacher in our classroom some minutes ago.
8. My sister at our grandma's yesterday.
9. At three o'clock I at the airport.
10. She outside the whole day.
11. Last weekend my friends in London for a holiday.
12. Our dog at the doctor's this morning.
13. You at home this afternoon.
14. My uncle in the army.
15. My cousins in Italy this summer.

Put into PAST TENSE

6e_sim_pas_03

1. I (see) your brother last night.
2. At midnight, we (hear) a terrible noise.
3. He (sleeps) till 10 o'clock yesterday.
4. Last night they (drink) all the wine.
5. We (fly) to Rome last weekend.
6. He (finds) my watch under the sofa.
7. My mother (buys) me a pullover yesterday.
8. I (give) you 10 pounds a week ago.
9. Tom (works) very hard last week.
10. He (loses) his money last night.
11. His son (writes) a book last year.
12. Mr Smith (falls) down the stairs yesterday morning.
13. I (send) him to the supermarket some minutes ago.
14. We (feed) the dog at 3 o'clock.
15. He suddenly (feels) sick.
16. Jack (puts) all his money under his bed.
17. Last week I (sell) my car to my neighbour.
18. We (forget) our shopping bags this morning.
19. At 10 o'clock Jean (rings) the bell.
20. The (boys) run home before lunch.
21. Mr Miller (shakes) the beer bottle before he opened it.
22. I (am) at home in the evening.
23. Our teacher (translates) the letter immediately.
24. Yesterday afternoon they (are) at the football match.
25. Last weekend she (visits) her aunt in Birmingham.
26. Last summer we (are) in Italy.
27. I (take) you home yesterday night
28. He (collects) her at the station at 2 o'clock.
29. She (meets) him at the bus stop at 8 o'clock.
30. Last Saturday I (go) to a Rolling Stones concert.

The first day after the holidays

6e_sim_pas_04

Fill in was, were, wasn't or weren't.

It's the first day after the summer holidays. Nigel meets Theresa in the classroom.

Nigel: How your holiday, Theresa?

Theresa: It great. We in Wales, at the seaside.

Nigel: the water warm enough?

Theresa: Well, it very warm, but it OK. But we on the beach all the time. And one day we in a small town. The houses very nice. But Jenny happy. She thought the town boring. But the best day the day when we went surfing in the waves.

Nigel: That's interesting. you excited?

Theresa: No, I excited. But my mother scared!

was – were – had

6e_sim_pas_05

Yesterday we in Dusseldorf. We in the Altstadt. It very interesting. The sun at the sky and it very warm. We there for three hours. We a nice afternoon. At the end we at MacDonald's and I a Big Mac; my sister a Doubledecker but my mother only an ice-cream. We back in Hilden at 6 o'clock. We a good day and so we very happy. My sister so full that she went to bed immediately. I a full stomach, too, but wanted to watch TV. I in the living room but after 5 minutes I asleep. My parents some problems to carry me upstairs. Because of the Big Mac I very heavy! I a wonderful dream about Big Macs all flying into my mouth.

Nigel's diary (Fill in the missing verbs. Use the simple past)

6e_sim_pas_06

In the morning the weather (to be) fine. So we (get up) early. We (to have) breakfast at 8 o'clock. Then we (to cycle) to the beach. It (to be) very hot. I (not - to wear) my sweat-shirt. There (not - to be) lots of people on the beach. But some of them (to go) to have a picnic. We (to go) swimming. Then we (to buy) an ice-cream. At 1 o'clock we (to have) lunch. In the afternoon it (to start) to rain. So we (to go) back home. We (to change) our clothes because we (to be) very wet. My parents (to watch) football on TV. I (to want) to read a book. But the match (to be) very exciting. So I (to watch) too. In the evening Sara and Monica (to come) to visit me. We (to hear) music and (to talk) about our friends.

Present and Past. - Put into the Past Tense

6e_sim_pas_07

1. He talks too much last night.
2. They have a cold shower every morning.
3. Every day he leaves his home at 7 o'clock.
4. They feel very cold yesterday morning.
5. For lunch they eat a lot of Frankfurters.
6. She spends all her pocket money on clothes last month.
7. I usually go to the bus stop at 7 o'clock.
8. We get up at 6.30 a.m.
9. He comes home at 5 o'clock.
10. In the summer he sleeps in the garden.
11. They buy a new house last year.
12. He always wears black pullovers.
13. My mother makes nice cakes for my birthday.
14. They have lunch at 1 o'clock.
15. You eat too much last night.
16. In the afternoon I take the dog to the park.
17. Our dog always barks at the postman.
18. You know what I want.
19. I usually give her 5 pounds a week.
20. I dream every night.
21. The police follow the thief, when he runs away.

Questions and answers

6e_sim_pas_08

Make questions. Use the **simple past**.

Did you help your mother in the kitchen yesterday? -
No, I didn't, I helped her in the garden.

help your mother in the kitchen
take my book this afternoon
sleep until 10 o'clock
read a comic in bed last night
buy an ice-cream after school
give a present to your father for his birthday
get up early this morning
tell a story to your sister, when you put her to bed

SIMPLE PAST

6e_sim_pas_09

1. They (get back) very late last night.
2. I (have) a letter from my friend last week.
3. Last week our headmaster (introduce) a new rule.
4. Yesterday the police (catch) a criminal.
5. I (speak) to him a minute ago.
6. He (ring) me this morning.
7. I (see) the bus some minutes ago.
8. It was last week when I (tell) you this story.
9. They (play) a computer game all night.
10. Our friends (visit) us in our new house.
11. My sister (sleep) very well last night.
12. Last year, we (buy) that nice old house.
13. Last Monday my father (fly) to Spain.
14. At the party, my sister (eat) all the sandwiches.
15. Ann (give) me a piece of cake, because it (be) my birthday.
16. I (make) a pizza for my party.
17. She (bring) her new friend to my party.
18. We (talk) all afternoon.
19. I (meet) my English friend at the airport.

Past Tense

6e_sim_pas_10

It is Saturday. My parents are out. I am alone at home. First I watch TV until ten o'clock, then I go to bed. But I clean my teeth first. In my room I sit on my bed. Suddenly my mobile rings. I take it immediately and answer it. I put it to my ear and say, 'Hello, who is speaking?' Nobody answers. The line is open all the time. I can hear voices and some noise at the other end but nobody is talking to me. Is it a bad line? I don't know. But after a minute or so I put down the mobile. I go down to the kitchen and get a drink. Then I go upstairs again. The minute I am upstairs the mobile starts ringing again. I put down my drink and rush down to answer it but again there is nobody. I am very much afraid and lock the door, take my clothes off and jump into my bed. I switch off the light

Put into the past tense and make negative sentences and ask questions!

6e_sim_pas_11

1. Jenny always wears black pullovers.
2. David writes books.
3. I usually give her 5 pounds a week.
4. Max thinks too much.
5. Every morning I go to the bus stop.
6. We get up at 6.30 a.m.
7. She understands me.
8. He comes home at 5 o'clock.

Make negative sentences!

6e_sim_pas_12

1. I saw your brother.
2. His son wrote a book.
3. She found my watch in her room.
4. She flew to New York last August.
5. My grandfather fell downstairs.
6. I lost my way in London.
7. We sold our old car.
8. My brother broke his arm.
9. We took him to hospital.
10. She heard a terrible noise outside.
11. I slept till 11 o'clock this morning.
12. They drank all the wine.
13. Tom thought about our problem.
14. I sent all my dirty shirts to the laundry.
15. She sent all her new clothes to the dry-cleaner's.
16. Peter talked to Nancy.
17. Mary worked very hard for her exam.
18. My sister sold her toys.
19. We slept on the floor.
20. Our butcher gave me an extra sausage.
21. My family visited your grandparents last year.
22. I swam across the river Rhine.
23. I went all the way to London by bike.
24. You began very late.
25. Our budgie started to speak German.
26. We followed the thief through the city.
27. You paid the bill.
28. We ran all the way from Neuss to Dusseldorf.
29. I left my glasses on the aeroplane.
30. I was so thirsty that I drank a whole bottle of water.