

SIMPLE PAST (IRREGULAR VERBS)



- 1.- I _____ (see) my grandparents last week.
- 2.- _____ (the children / go) to school yesterday?
- 3.- My daughter _____ (do) her homework yesterday evening.
- 4.- The Spanish team _____ (win) the match.
- 5.- We _____ (take) a lot of photographs on holiday last year.
- 6.- My brother _____ (begin) to work in 1985.
- 7.- He _____ (buy) some fruit and fish at the market.
- 8.- My niece _____ (learn) German and French last summer.
- 9.- It _____ (be) cold and rainy yesterday.
- 10.- John _____ (wake up) early but he _____ (not / get up) till 10.00 o'clock.
- 11.- I _____ (meet) the company manager two weeks ago.
- 12.- I _____ (be born) in 1964.
- 13.- Why are you crying? Because I _____ (cut) my finger.
- 14.- Have you got that letter John _____ (send) us last week?
- 15.- I'm afraid the last train _____ (leave) an hour ago.
- 16.- The children _____ (eat) all the sweets.
- 17.- In 2005 my parents _____ (make) a trip to Italy.
- 18.- Where _____ (you / go) on holiday?
- 19.- Susan _____ (teach) Spanish and German for twenty years.
- 20.- Who _____ (sing) the song called "Breakfast in America"?
- 21.- We _____ (take) a taxi from the airport to the city centre.
- 22.- I _____ (forget) the car keys at home so I _____ (catch) the bus.
- 23.- She _____ (leave) the party early. She _____ (not / feel) well.
- 24.- My sister _____ (break) her computer and now she can't use it.
- 25.- I _____ (find) 50€ in my coat pocket this morning.
- 26.- We _____ (have) coffee and toast for breakfast this morning.
- 27.- _____ (you / can) swim when you _____ (be) 5?
- 28.- Paul _____ (bring) me some flowers when I _____ (be) in hospital.
- 29.- The children _____ (sit) in a ring around the teacher.
- 30.- My cousin _____ (choose) to take a job in London as a chef in a famous restaurant.
- 31.- Susan and Mary _____ (grow) up together in Santander.
- 32.- My uncle _____ (give) me a couple of books for my birthday.
- 33.- I _____ (write) a letter to a friend yesterday.
- 34.- Peter _____ (not / understand) the teacher, so he _____ (not / do) the homework.
- 35.- _____ (you / tell) them about the party? Sorry, I _____ (forget) it





ANSWER KEY

- 1.- saw
- 2.- did the children go
- 3.- did
- 4.- won
- 5.- took
- 6.- began
- 7.- bought
- 8.- learnt
- 9.- was
- 10.- woke up / didn't get up
- 11.- met
- 12.- was born
- 13.- cut
- 14.- sent
- 15.- left
- 16.- ate
- 17.- made
- 18.- did you go
- 19.- taught
- 20.- sang
- 21.- took
- 22.- forgot / caught
- 23.- left / didn't feel
- 24.- broke
- 25.- found
- 26.- had
- 27.- Could you swim / were
- 28.- brought / was
- 29.- sat
- 30.- chose
- 31.- grew up
- 32.- gave
- 33.- wrote
- 34.- didn't understand / didn't do
- 35.- did you tell / forgot