

PAST TENSE CONJUGATION REFERENCE

1. Regular Verbs (Simple Past)

Ending Condition	Rule	Example
General	Add -ed	Walk → Walk ed
Ends in -e	Add -d	Like → Lik ed
Consonant + y	Change y to -ied	Study → Stud ied
Short Vowel + Consonant	Double consonant + -ed	Stop → Stopp ed

2. Common Irregular Verbs

Infinitive	Past Simple
Be	Was / Were
Go	Went
Do	Did
Have	Had
See	Saw
Take	Took

3. Auxiliary: "To Be"

Subject	Form
I / He / She / It	Was
You / We / They	Were

Subject**Form**

Negative

Wasn't / Weren't

4. Sentence Structure

Positive: Subject + Verb-ed / Irregular*I **worked** yesterday.***Negative:** Subject + did not + Base Verb*I **did not work** yesterday.***Question:** Did + Subject + Base Verb?***Did you work** yesterday?*