

Introduction

Verbs Quick Take Along® Mini-Book is a pocket-sized resource that contains regular and irregular past tense verbs. Speech-language pathologists, teachers, and parents can teach students of all ages to comprehend and produce 150 regular and 150 irregular past tense verbs. This 71-page book contains:

- 150 regular past tense verbs in sentences
- Regular past tense verbs practiced in stories
- 150 irregular past tense verbs in sentences
- Irregular past tense verbs practiced in stories
- Specific instructions for teaching do/does, is/are, has/have, was/were, lay/lie, and practice for each verb pair

The sturdy, laminated pages are tear resistant and easy to read.

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Verbs Quick Take Along® *Mini-Book* lies flat so you can show two pages at once.

Regular Verbs that Add -ed

1. Jessie likes to **accept** gifts. Yesterday, Jessie ____ the gift.
2. The clown **acts** funny. Last night, the clown ____ funny.
3. Mom **adds** milk to the cereal. This morning, Mom ____ milk to the cereal.
4. The teacher **allows** the students to play. Earlier, the teacher ____ the students to play.
5. Malik **asks** a question. Last Tuesday, Malik ____ a question.
6. The runner **attempts** to win the race. Earlier, the runner ____ to win.
7. The family **attends** the hockey game. Yesterday, the family ____ the game.
8. Sarah **borrow**s a pencil. Yesterday, Sarah ____ a pencil.
9. Isaac **brushes** the dog's fur. This morning, Isaac ____ the dog's fur.
10. Maya **calls** her best friend to talk. Last night, Maya ____ her best friend.

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11. Jack **cheers** when he wins a game. After winning the game, Jack ____.
12. The dog **chews** on the bone. Last Monday, the dog ____ on the bone.
13. Layla **cleans** her room. Last month, Layla ____ her room.
14. The squirrel **climbs** the tree. Yesterday, the squirrel ____ the tree.
15. Naomi **collects** shells at the beach. Last July, Naomi ____ shells.
16. Rafael **complains** about the traffic. Yesterday, Rafael ____ about the traffic.
17. I **contact** my doctor when I am sick. Last week, I ____ my doctor.
18. The chef **cooks** delicious food. Last Thursday, the chef ____ food.
19. The sick child **coughs**. Last night, the sick child ____.
20. The banker **counts** the money. Yesterday, the banker ____ the money.

Choose a verb activity. Have the student listen to or read each item. An answer key is located in the back of the book.

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Regular Past Tense Story Practice

Ana's Birthday

Ana had the best birthday yesterday! When she ____ (open) her presents, she was surprised to see she had ____ (receive) a new puppy. After thinking for a long time, Ana ____ (name) her puppy Coco. Coco ____ (love) Ana. He ____ (follow) her everywhere she went. Ana gave Coco a new ball, and they ____ (play) fetch. Ana took Coco outside and ____ (walk) him around the block. In the backyard, Coco ____ (chase) squirrels and ____ (try) to climb trees. When they went back inside, Coco sat down and ____ (chew) on a bone. Ana thought it was the best birthday ever!

Irregular Verbs

1. Cooper ***babysits*** his younger brother. Last night, Cooper ___ his younger brother.
2. Adrian ***beats*** me at the game. Yesterday, Adrian ___ me at the game.
3. The tadpole ***becomes*** a frog. Last week, the tadpole ___ a frog.
4. Marina ***begins*** a new job. Last month, Marina ___ a new job.
5. The wind ***bends*** the young tree. Last Thursday, the wind ___ the young tree.
6. Carlos ***bets*** his team would win. Last summer, Carlos ___ his team would win.
7. Jaxon ***bids*** to win the tickets. Last night, Jaxon ___ to win the tickets.
8. The farmer ***binds*** the hay together. Yesterday, the farmer ___ the hay together.
9. The crocodile ***bites*** with sharp teeth. Yesterday, the crocodile ___ .
10. Gus's knee ***bleeds*** after the bike crash. Gus's knee ___ after the bike crash.

Practice **Was/Were** with Pronouns

Fill in the blank with **was** or **were**.

1. I ____ late to work.
2. He ____ going to the baseball game.
3. You ____ telling a funny joke.
4. It ____ time for bed.
5. ____ she playing the board game?
6. They ____ walking in the park.
7. We ____ riding bikes.
8. He ____ eating at the restaurant.
9. ____ you tired after practice?
10. ____ it raining yesterday?