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Past Simple (Regular Verbs)

1 Write the *past simple* of the following verbs.

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| 1 watch <i>watched</i> | 6 walk | 11 cry |
| 2 clean | 7 shop | 12 water |
| 3 return | 8 look | 13 drop |
| 4 stop | 9 tidy | 14 call |
| 5 stay | 10 smile | 15 stay |

2  Write the verbs in the right column. Listen and check. Listen and repeat.

visit	love	look	shout	walk	play
clean	talk	want	wash	try	paint
/t/	/d/	/d/			
/k/, /s/, /ʃ/, /tʃ/, /dʒ/, /f/, /p/	after other sounds	/t/, /d/			
..... <i>visited</i>			
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| 1 I talked to Jane an hour last / ago . | 6 I walked the dog five hours ago / last . |
| 2 We played tennis last / ago Sunday. | 7 I listened to music last / ago night. |
| 3 He phoned me two hours last / ago . | 8 He worked in London last / ago year. |
| 4 It rained last / yesterday . | 9 We played tennis yesterday / ago . |
| 5 They travelled by plane last / ago month. | 10 Tim cooked dinner last / yesterday Monday. |

4 Complete the text with the *past simple*.



Yesterday my family and I 1) ... *visited* ... (**visit**) my grandparents. My mum 2) (**help**) my grandma with the housework. My dad 3) (**clean**) the windows. My brother and I 4) (**watch**) cartoons on TV. Later, we 5) (**play**) outside in the garden. We 6) (**climb**) up the tree to get to the treehouse. We 7) (**stay**) there all afternoon. Then our mum 8) (**call**) us because it was time to go. Our grandparents 9) (**kiss**) us goodbye and we 10) (**return**) home.