Bei regelmäßigen Verben werden die Vergangenheitsformen im *simple past* mit der Endung *-ed* gebildet.

(to) play → play**ed**
(to) call → call**ed**

Wie im Deutschen gibt es auch im Englischen **unregelmäßige Verben**. Jedes unregelmäßige Verb hat eine eigene Form für das *simple past*. Diese Formen musst du einzeln lernen.

Hier findest du eine Liste der gängigsten unregelmäßigen Formen (1. Lernjahr)

| infinitive | simple past | German |
|---|---|---|
| to be | I / he / she / it was<br>you / we / they were | sein |
| to begin | beg**a**n | beginnen, anfangen |
| to bite | bit | beißen |
| to break | broke | brechen; zerbrechen |
| to build | buil**t** | bauen |
| to buy | bought | kaufen |
| to catch | caught | fangen |
| to choose | chose | auswählen, aussuchen |
| to come | c**a**me | kommen |
| to cut | cut | schneiden |
| to do | did | machen, tun |
| to draw | dr**e**w | zeichnen |
| to drink | dr**a**nk | trinken |
| to drive | dr**o**ve | fahren |
| to eat | ate | essen |
| to fall | f**e**ll | fallen |
| to feed | fed | füttern |
| to feel | felt | fühlen |
| to fight | fought | kämpfen |
| to find | found | finden |
| to forget | forg**o**t | vergessen |
| to get | g**o**t | bekommen, erhalten |
| to give | g**a**ve | geben |

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|---|---|---|
| to go | went | gehen |
| to grow (sth.) | gr**e**w (sth.) | wachsen, etw. anbauen |
| to have | had | haben |
| to hear | heard | hören, verstehen |
| to hide | hid | verstecken |
| to hold | h**e**ld | festhalten, halten |
| to know | kn**e**w | wissen |
| to leave | left | verlassen |
| to let | let | lassen |
| to make | made | machen, herstellen |
| to meet | met | treffen |
| to put | put | legen, stellen |
| to read [ri:d] | read [rɛd] | lesen |
| to ride a bike | rode a bike | Rad fahren |
| to run | r**a**n | rennen |
| to say | said [sɛd] | sagen, meinen |
| to see | saw | sehen |
| to sell | sold | verkaufen |
| to send | sen**t** | (ver-) senden, (ver-)schicken |
| to sing | sang | singen |
| to sit | s**a**t | sitzen |
| to sleep | slept | schlafen |
| to speak | spoke | sprechen |
| to swim | sw**a**m | schwimmen |
| to take | took | nehmen |
| to tell | told | erzählen |
| to think | thought | denken |
| to throw | thr**e**w | werfen |
| to understand | understood | verstehen |
| to wake up | woke up | aufwachen |
| to wear | wore | Kleidung tragen |
| to win | w**o**n | gewinnen |
| to write | wr**o**te | schreiben |