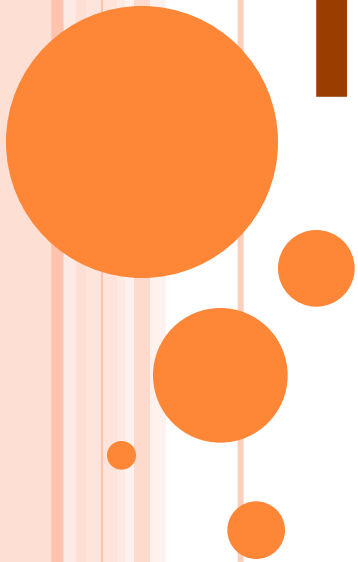


# PAST SIMPLE TENSE



- We use Past Simple Tense when we talk about completed actions in the past.



Example: I washed my car yesterday.

She ate pizza last night.



- Remember regular and irregular verbs.
- Turn regular verbs to the past by adding **-ed** or **-d**.

Regular Verb	Past Simple
walk	walk <b>ed</b>
want	want <b>ed</b>
help	help <b>ed</b>
decide	decid <b>ed</b>
agree	agre <b>ed</b>



## □ Affirmative sentences



Sally visited us last week.

I ran in the park.

## □ Negative sentences



Sally didn't visit us last week.

I didn't run in the park.



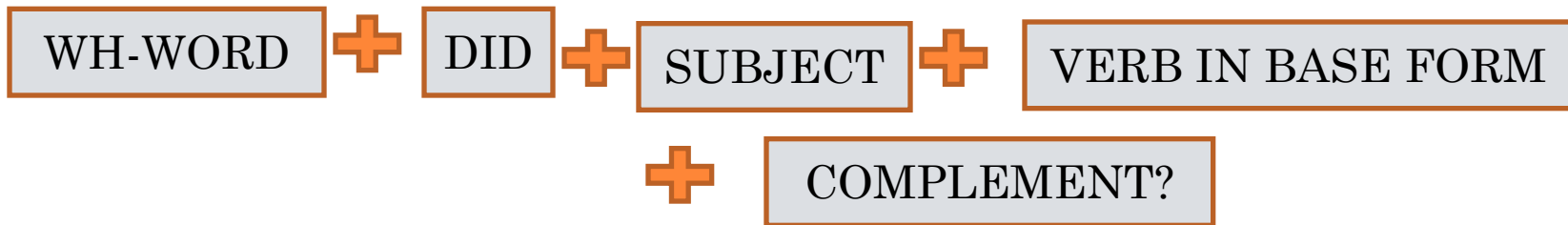
# KINDS OF QUESTIONS IN PAST SIMPLE

## □ Yes/No Questions



**Did** Tom visit you last week?

## □ Informative Questions



Where **did** you run last year?



# WHAT HAPPENS WHEN WE USE THE VERB TO BE?

- Recall its past tense

WAS

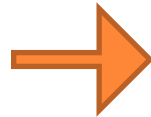
WERE

- Negative Sentences

Use the negative form or the contractions.

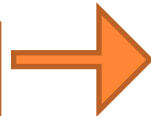
**Never** use **didn't**.

WAS NOT



WASN'T

WERE NOT



WERENT



## □ Yes/No Questions



Was Irene in the house?

Were they at the Mall?

## □ Informative Questions



Why was Irene in the house?

Where were you last night?



# READY FOR DOING AN ACTIVITY?

- Complete the following sentences with the past simple tense of the verb give.
- 1. I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the movies with Ed.
- 2. She \_\_\_\_\_ (decide) to read the story.
- 3. We \_\_\_\_\_ (hurry) up doing the quiz.
- 4. They \_\_\_\_\_ (walk) to school.
- 5. Sue \_\_\_\_\_ (play) soccer.
- 6. My dog \_\_\_\_\_ (bury) its bone outside.





□ Read the sentences, and rewrite them as negative sentences.

1. My mom baked cookies for the party.

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2. Jim understood the exercise.

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3. We were at the concert.

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4. I was in the room with her.

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