



Lesson 13

Verb tenses: Past Simple

= Actions which
FINISHED in the past

“**I**
lived”

Time expressions

- Earlier, this morning
- Yesterday
- Last week, month, year, etc.
- In 1989, 18th century, etc.
- 2 years, days, hours, etc. ago

“To live” (regular)

– Positive form

I, you, He, she, it we, they	!	lived
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– Question form

Did I, you, He, she, it we, they	?	live?
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– Negative form

I, you, He, she, it we, they	X	did not live	Inf. ("I didn't live")
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“To be” (irregular)

– Positive form

I, He, she, it	!	was
You, we, they		were

– Question form

Was	?	I, he, she, it?
Were		you, we, they?

– Negative form

I, He, she, it	X	wasn't	Inf. ("I wasn't")
You, we, they		weren't	("You weren't")

Example sentences

- Shakespeare wrote 38 plays
- Emily was born in 1984
- We sold our house last week

