P A S T S I M P L E

1. A FINISHED PAST ACTION

I woke up at 7 o'clock.

I bought a book yesterday

I didn't do my homewosk

When did you see her?

1. TO TELL A STORY
2. ACTIONS WITCH FOLLOWED EACH OTHER IN A STORY

Yesterday he came home, he made himself dinner, he watched TV, then he called his girlfriend and finally went to bed.

1. A PAST HABITS

When I was a child, I always had breakfast at 8 o'clock.

When he was a small boy, he went to the park every day

! USED TO !

When I was a child, I used to have breakfast at 8 o'slock

! SPELLING CHANGES !

The normal rule is to add –ed to the base of form of the verb

work – worked, walk – walked

Verbs eninh in an –e add –d (smoke – smoked, like – liked)

One syllable verbs enidng in a vowel + a consonant, double the final consonant (stop – stopped, rob – robbed)

The consonant is not doubled if it is a y or w (play – played)

Verbs in a consonant + y change into –ied (try – tried)

P A S T C O N T I N U O U S

1. AN ACTIVITY THAT WAS GOING ON IN A DEFINITE PERIOD OF TIME IN THE PAST

Anita was reading yesterday.

Andrej was playing computer games for 5 hours.

1. AN ACTIVITY THAT WAS INTERRUPTED

Andrej was playing computer games, when his mum called him for supper.

I was having a bath, when the phone rang.

! SPELLING CHANGES !

1.) THE NORMAL RULE IS TO ADD -ING TO THE BASE OF THE VERB

go – going, wear – wearing, visit - visiting, eat – eating

2.) VERBS THAT END IN ONE –E LOSE THE -E

smoke – smoking, come – coming, hope – hoping

BUT VERBS THAT END IN -EE DON'T LOSE AN -E

agree – agreeing, see – seeing

3.) IN VERBS OD ONE SYLLABLE, WITH ONE VOWEL AND ONE CONSONANT, THE CONSONANT IS DOUBLED

stop – stopping, get – getting, run – running

BUT THE FINAL CONSONANT IS -Y OR -W, IT IS NOT DOUBLED

play – playing, show - showing