

Be – **was/were**: They **were** happy. The boy **was** tired.
Become – **became**: They **became** very angry.
begin – **began**: He **began** work at seven.
bend – **bent**: He **bent** over to pick up the newspaper.
bet – **bet**: He **bet** all of his money.
bite – **bit**: The dog **bit** the postman.
bleed – **bled**: My finger **bled** for a while.
blow – **blew**: She **blew** some bubbles.
break – **broke**: She **broke** her pencil.
bring – **brought**: The waiter **brought** my order to the table.
build – **built**: The boy **built** a sandcastle.
buy – **bought**: She **bought** many things at the shopping mall.
catch – **caught**: He **caught** a small fish.
choose – **chose**: He **chose** something from the menu.
come – **came**: She **came** to my birthday party wearing a costume.
cost – **cost**: It **cost** me a lot of money.
cut – **cut**: She **cut** the paper with a pair of scissors.
deal – **dealt**: She **dealt** the cards to the other players.
dig – **dug**: The dog **dug** a hole in the backyard.
do – **did**: She **did** her homework.
draw – **drew**: He **drew** another cartoon.
drink – **drank**: He **drank** a glass of water.
drive – **drove**: The clown **drove** a small car.
eat – **ate**: She **ate** all of the cake.
fall – **fell**: The bowling ball **fell** on his foot.
feed – **fed**: She **fed** the pigeons.
feel – **felt**: She **felt** cold.
fight – **fought**: They **fought** with pillows.
find – **found**: She **found** a coin on the ground.
fly – **flew**: The pilot **flew** to another city.
forget – **forgot**: I **forgot** what I had to do.
forgive – **forgave**: She **forgave** him.
freeze – **froze**: He **froze** outside in the blizzard.
get – **got**: He **got** the high score.
give – **gave**: My children **gave** me a birthday present.
go – **went**: The kids **went** to the local park to play.
grow – **grew**: Flowers **grew** under the hammock.
hang – **hung**: The monkey **hung** from the branch.
have – **had**: I **had** pancakes for breakfast.
hear – **heard**: She **heard** a sound coming from the box.
hide – **hid**: He **hid** his face.
hit – **hit**: The ball **hit** the back of her head.
hold – **held**: She **held** an egg in her hand.
hurt – **hurt**: You **hurt** my feelings.
keep – **kept**: He **kept** his tools in a toolbox.
know – **knew**: She **knew** the answer.
lead – **led**: He **led** his pet along the street.
leave – **left**: They **left** the office at 5 o'clock.
lend – **lent**: He **lent** me some money.
let – **let**: My boss **let** me leave work early.
light – **lit**: He **lit** a match.
lose – **lost**: He **lost** the match.

make – **made**: She **made** a chocolate cake.
mean – **meant**: I don't know what you **meant**.
meet – **met**: We **met** for the first time yesterday.
pay – **paid**: She **paid** her taxes.
put – **put**: He **put** his suggestion in the box.
quit – **quit**: He **quit** his job last month.
read – **read**: I **read** the book in three days.
ride – **rode**: She **rode** her horse.
ring – **rang**: He **rang** the doorbell.
rise – **rose**: Profits **rose** considerably last year.
run – **ran**: He **ran** in the marathon.
say – **said**: He **said** that he liked flowers.
see – **saw**: The pirate **saw** another ship in the distance.
sell – **sold**: He **sold** lemonade in front of his house.
send – **sent**: He **sent** a postcard.
set – **set**: He **set** the table.
shake – **shook**: Everything in the house **shook** during the earthquake.
shine – **shone**: He **shone** a flashlight to see where he was going.
shoot – **shot**: He **shot** at the target.
shut – **shut**: The boy **shut** his eyes.
sing – **sang**: She **sang** very well.
sink – **sank**: He slowly **sank** in the quicksand.
sit – **sat**: They **sat** on the park bench.
sleep – **slept**: He **slept** in the armchair.
slide – **slid**: She **slid** to second base.
speak – **spoke**: He **spoke** about how to be successful in life.
speed – **sped**: He **sped** along the road.
spend – **spent**: He **spent** all of his money on a new bicycle.
spin – **spun**: The dancer **spun** around very quickly.
spread – **spread**: I **spread** a lot of jam on the bread.
stand – **stood**: A guard **stood** at the entrance.
steal – **stole**: The thief **stole** a painting from the museum.
stick – **stuck**: Some chewing gum **stuck** to the bottom of his shoe.
sting – **stung**: A bee **stung** my arm.
strike – **struck**: He **struck** the ball well.
sweep – **swept**: The man **swept** the path.
swim – **swam**: The boy **swam** to the edge of the pool.
swing – **swung**: He **swung** on a vine.
take – **took**: She **took** her medication.
teach – **taught**: He **taught** geography at a local high school.
tear – **tore**: She **tore** the paper in half.
tell – **told**: I **told** you to be careful.
think – **thought**: He **thought** about a possible solution to the problem.
throw – **threw**: She **threw** the can into the bin.
understand – **understood**: He **understood** the lesson.
wake – **woke**: He **woke** up at 6 o'clock.
wear – **wore**: She **wore** a blue hat and a blue dress.
win – **won**: He **won** three medals.
write – **wrote**: The teacher **wrote** a message on the board.