Grammar

Past Tense

• When you talk about something that happened **before now**, you change the verb to **past tense**.

Verb	Past Tense Verb
watch play help start finish	watched played helped started finished

Verb	Past Tense Verb	
go	went	
eat	ate	
see	saw 	
have	had	
sit	sat	

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We played basketball for two hours yesterday.

("Yesterday" is before now.)

Jane had a birthday party last month.

("Last month" is before now.)

My mother went to Japan three days ago.

("Three days ago" is before now.)

Write your own past tense sentences:

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