

The **simple past tense** expresses an action that has happened.

**Complete each sentence by changing the verb in () to past tense.**

- ➔ My dad (craft)       **crafted**       a boat.
- ➔ He (mow)       **mowed**       the grass.
- ➔ I (watch)       **watched**       television in the morning.
- ➔ Sam (pick)       **picked**       up his journal every day.
- ➔ We (serve)       **served**       lunch at 12:30.
- ➔ I (pack)       **packed**       my bags.
- ➔ Grandma (bake)       **baked**       the best cookies.
- ➔ He (paint)       **painted**       the house.
- ➔ Emma (hike)       **hiked**       up the mountain.
- ➔ The train (stop)       **stopped**       in New York.
- ➔ I (wave)       **waved**       to my sister.
- ➔ Sara (cook)       **cooked**       breakfast every morning.
- ➔ Laura (live)       **lived**       in Florida.
- ➔ Paul (play)       **played**       the piano at the concert.
- ➔ Every night I (open)       **opened**       my book.