

## Spelling list: Irregular Verbs: Past Simple Form (b words)

Irregular verbs in English, beginning with the letter b. Learn the verbs in their past simple form in column one. See the verbs used in context in column two.

was	Last week, I <b>was</b> late for school. (be - <b>was</b> - been)
were	Last week, you <b>were</b> late for school. (be - <b>were</b> - been)
bore	Until I got married last year, I <b>bore</b> the surname Smith. (bear - <b>bore</b> - borne)
beat	Last month, we <b>beat</b> them at football three times. (beat - <b>beat</b> - beaten)
became	It <b>became</b> clear in last week's meeting that we will need more time to finish the project. (become - <b>became</b> - become)
began	Yesterday's lesson <b>began</b> on time. (begin - <b>began</b> - begun)
bent	The force of yesterday's storm <b>bent</b> the telephone poles. (bend - <b>bent</b> - bent)
bet	Last week, I <b>bet</b> on the game. (bet - <b>bet</b> - bet)
bought	Last Christmas, she <b>bought</b> toys for her daughters. (buy - <b>bought</b> - bought)
bound	Last Sports Day, we <b>bound</b> ourselves together for the three-legged race. (bind - <b>bound</b> - bound)
bit	Yesterday, I <b>bit</b> my tongue. (bite - <b>bit</b> - bitten)
bled	Last week, my nose <b>bled</b> . (bleed - <b>bled</b> - bled)
blew	Last week, in the P.E. lesson, the teacher <b>blew</b> her whistle. (blow - <b>blew</b> - blew)
broke	Last year, I <b>broke</b> my arm. (break - <b>broke</b> - broken)
bred	Last year, the farmer <b>bred</b> lambs for the first time. (breed - <b>bred</b> - bred)
brought	I <b>brought</b> my project into school last week. (bring - <b>brought</b> - brought)

built We **built** sandcastles on the beach last summer. (build - **built** - built)

burnt Last night, we accidentally **burnt** our dinner. (burn - **burnt** - burnt)

burst At the end of yesterday's party, we **burst** all the balloons. (burst - **burst** - burst)