

## **Common Irregular Verbs**

Below, you will find a list of the most **common irregular verbs in English**. You should know these by heart. They have been listed alphabetically to help you look up a particular verb more quickly.

Remember that the **base form** is used with the simple present tense. (Example: "I often forget my umbrella.") The **simple past** form is used with the simple past tense. (Example: "I forgot my umbrella yesterday.") The **past participle** is used with the perfect tenses, such as present and past perfect. (Example: "Oh no! It's raining and I've forgotten my umbrella.")

$\checkmark$	Base Form	Simple Past	Past Participle
	arise	arose	arisen
	awake	awoke	awoken
	be	was, were	been
	beat	beat	beaten
	become	became	become
	begin	began	begun
	bend	bent	bent
	bet	bet	bet
	bite	bit	bitten
	bleed	bled	bled
	blow	blew	blown
	break	broke	broken
	bring	brought	brought
	build	built	built
	burn	burnt / burned	burnt / burned
	burst	burst	burst
	buy	bought	bought
	catch	caught	caught
	choose	chose	chosen
	come	came	come
	cost	cost	cost
	cut	cut	cut
	dig	dug	dug
	do	did	done
	draw	drew	drawn
	dream	dreamed / dreamt	dreamed / dreamt
	drink	drank	drunk
	drive	drove	driven

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$\checkmark$	Base Form	Simple Past	Past Participle
	eat	ate	eaten
	fall	fell	fallen
	feed	fed	fed
	feel	felt	felt
	fight	fought	fought
	find	found	found
	fly	flew	flown
	forget	forgot	forgotten
	get	got	got / gotten
	give	gave	given
	go	went	gone
	grow	grew	grown
	have	had	had
	hear	heard	heard
	hide	hid	hidden
	hit	hit	hit
	hold	held	held
	hurt	hurt	hurt
	keep	kept	kept
	know	knew	known
	lead	led	led
	learn	learnt / learned	learnt / learned
	leave	left	left
	let	let	let
	lie	lay	lain
	lose	lost	lost
	make	made	made
	meet	met	met
	рау	paid	paid
	put	put	put
	read	read	read
	ride	rode	ridden
	ring	rang	rung
	run	ran	run
	say	said	said
	see	saw	seen
	sell	sold	sold

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V	Base Form	Simple Past	Past Participle
	send	sent	sent
	shoot	shot	shot
	show	showed	shown
	shut	shut	shut
	sing	sang	sung
	sit	sat	sat
	sleep	slept	slept
	speak	spoke	spoken
	spend	spent	spent
	stand	stood	stood
	steal	stole	stolen
	swim	swam	swum
	take	took	taken
	teach	taught	taught
	tear	tore	torn
	tell	told	told
	think	thought	thought
	throw	threw	thrown
	understand	understood	understood
	wear	wore	worn
	win	won	won
	write	wrote	written

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