The preterit is formed by taking the infinitive (raw verb), dropping the last two letters, and then adding one of these two new sets of endings!

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| **for*-*ar ending verbs add...** | **for *-*ir and *-*er ending verbs add...** |
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|  | ***-é -amos******-aste -asteis*** ***-ó -aron*** |   | *-****í -imos*** ***-iste -isteis*** ***-ió -ieron*** |

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|   | **Hablar-** |  |

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| *yo* | hablé |
| *tú* | hablaste |
| *Ud./él/ella* | habló |
| *nosotros* | hablamos |
| *vosotros* | hablasteis |
| *Uds./ellos/ellas* | hablaron |

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|   | **Comer-** |  |

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| *yo* | comí |
| *tú* | comiste |
| *Ud./él/ella* | comió |
| *nosotros* | comimos |
| *vosotros* | comisteis |
| *Uds./ellos/ellas* | comieron |

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|   | **Vivir-** |  |

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| *yo* | viví |
| *tú* | viviste |
| *Ud./él/ella* | vivió |
| *nosotros* | vivimos |
| *vosotros* | vivisteis |
| *Uds./ellos/ellas* | vivieron |

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**Some preterit forms undergo spelling changes in JUST the YO form:**

**Irregular YO (-car, -gar-zar)**

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|   | **Buscar-** |  |

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|   | **Empezar-** |  |

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|   | **Pagar-** |  |

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|  *yo* | bus**qu**é |
| *tú* | buscaste |
| *Ud./él/ella* | buscó |
| *nosotros* | buscamos |
| *vosotros* | buscasteis |
| *Uds./ellos/ellas* | buscaron |

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| --- | --- |
| *yo* | pa**gu**é |
| *tú* | pagaste |
| *Ud./él/ella* | pagó |
| *nosotros* | pagamos |
| *vosotros* | pagasteis |
| *Uds./ellos/ellas* | pagaron |

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| *yo* | empe**c**é |
| *tú* | empezaste |
| *Ud./él/ella* | empezó |
| *nosotros* | empezamos |
| *vosotros* | empezasteis |
| *Uds./ellos/ellas* | empezaron |

**And some are just Totally Irregular!**

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|   | **Ser- & Ir-** |  |

**Both verbs are conjugated the exact same way. And there are no accents with these forms**

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| *yo* | fui |
| *tú* | fuiste |
| *Ud./él/ella* | fue |
| *nosotros* | fuimos |
| *vosotros* | fuisteis |
| *Uds./ellos/ellas* | fueron |

**Hacer** is our WiLd card verb. It is used all the time to ask questions! Remember these in the present tense?

 ¿Qué haces? ¿Qué te gusta hacer?

**In the preterite it is irregular**:

Yo **hice** nosotros **hicimos**

Tú **hiciste** vosotros **hicisteis**

Ud. **hizo** Uds**. hicieron**

el, ella ellos, ellas

¿Qué hiciste ayer? ¿Qué te gustó más (most) hacer cuando **fuiste** al parque?

Yo\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Me gustó más \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ cuando **fui** al parque.

**Remember to respond using a different verb!**

Write these questions in Spanish Now answer these questions

1. What did you do on Saturday?

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1. What did your mom do yesterday?

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1. What did you do last night? p

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1. What did your friends do last month?

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1. What did you and your friend do last Friday?

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