

### A. USE

1. The **Simple Past** tense is used to talk about completed actions in the past:

**Simple Past, geçmişte belirli bir zamanda yapılmış eylemleri ifade etmek için kullanılır. "Yesterday, last night, two weeks ago, in 2002" gibi zarflar kullanılabilir.**

**I graduated from the university in 2003.**

**He came from Berlin last night.**

2. The **Simple Past** is used to describe situations which existed for a period of time in the past.

**Geçmişte belirli bir süre içerisinde devam etmiş olayları, eylemleri anlatmak için kullanılır.**

**Millions of years ago, dinosaurs inhabited the earth.**

**They talked to each other during the lesson.**

**He lived in England for a long time.**

3. It is also used to talk about habits in the past:

**Geçmişteki alışkanlıkları ifade etmek için yine Simple Past kullanılır. I always wore a khaki cap in the summer.**

**He never drank tea.**

**They generally read several novels in the winter.**

4. It is used to talk about events that happened one after the other:

**Hikaye anlatırken olayları ard arda sıraladığımızda kullanırız.**

**He jumped out of bed, ran into the bathroom and slammed the door.**

### B. STRUCTURE

**Positive Structure:**

**I**

You  
He  
She    work                ed  
It  
We  
They

Note: *Use second form of Irregular verbs in positive structure of the Past Simple Tense..*  
(Geçmiş zaman olumlu cümlelerde, düzensiz fiillerin 2. hali kullanılır.)

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**Negative Structure:**

I  
You  
He  
She    didn'twork  
It  
We  
They

**Question structure:**

I

Did You  
Didn't He work?  
She  
It  
We  
They