## Past Participles

## WHEN TO USE PAST PARTICIPLES:

Present Perfect Tense
subject + have (present) + past participle
Paul has authored four books about physics and philosophy.
Past Perfect Tense
subject + have (past) + past participle
When I saw her for the second time, I had forgotten her name.
Passive Voice
Subject + be + past participle
These kites are designed by local artists.
Participial Adjectives
past participle + noun
The shattered car window needs to be repaired.

## HOW TO FORM PAST PARTICIPLES:

REGULAR VERBS
Add "-ed" to the base form of the verb. Here are some examples:
Work $\rightarrow$ Worked
Play $\rightarrow$ Played
Talk $\rightarrow$ Talked

## IRREGULAR VERBS

Memorize the past participle form. Refer to table below.
IRREGULAR PASTE PARTICIPLES:

| arise - arisen | be - been | begin - begun | bet - bet |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| bend - bent | break - broken | bring - brought | broadcast - <br> broadcast |
| build - built | buy - bought | cast - cast | choose - chosen |
| cling - clung | come - come | deal - dealt | dig - dug |
| dive - dove | do - done | draw - drawn | dream - dreamt |
| drive - driven | eat - eaten | fall - fallen | feed - fed |


| feel - felt | find - found | flee - fled | fly - flown |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| forbid - <br> forbidden | forget - <br> forgotten | forgive - <br> forgiven | freeze - frozen |
| get - gotten | give - given | hane | grow - grown |
| hang - hung | hold - held | keep - kept | know - known |
| hit - hit | let - let | lie - lain | lose - lost |
| lend - lent | mean - meant | meet - met | pay - paid |
| make - made | read - read | ride - ridden | ring - rung |
| put - put | run - run | say - said | see - seen |
| rise - risen | send - sent | set - set | shake - shaken |
| sell - sold | shoot - shot | show - shown | shut - shut |
| shine - shone | sleep - slept | speak - spoken | spend - spent |
| sing - sung | steal - stolen | swim - swum | take - taken |
| stand - stood | tell - told | think - thought | throw - thrown |
| teach - taught | wake - woken | wear - worn | win - won |
| understand - <br> understood | wring - wrung | withdraw - | withhold - |
| write - written | withheld |  |  |

