# 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 → Worked

Play → Played

Talk → 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 - broadcast
build - built	<b>buy</b> - 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 - forbidden	forget - forgotten	forgive - forgiven	freeze - frozen
get - gotten	give - given	<b>go</b> - gone	grow - grown
hang - hung	have - had	hear - heard	hide - hidden
hit - hit	hold - held	keep - kept	know - known
lend - lent	let - let	lie - lain	lose - lost
make - made	mean - meant	meet - met	pay - paid
put - put	read - read	ride - ridden	ring - rung
rise - risen	run - run	say - said	see - seen
sell - sold	send - sent	set - set	shake - shaken
shine - shone	shoot - shot	show - shown	shut - shut
sing - sung	sleep - slept	speak - spoken	spend - spent
stand - stood	steal - stolen	swim - swum	take - taken
teach - taught	tell - told	think - thought	throw - thrown
understand - understood	wake - woken	wear - worn	win - won
write - written	wring - wrung	withdraw - withdrawn	withhold - withheld