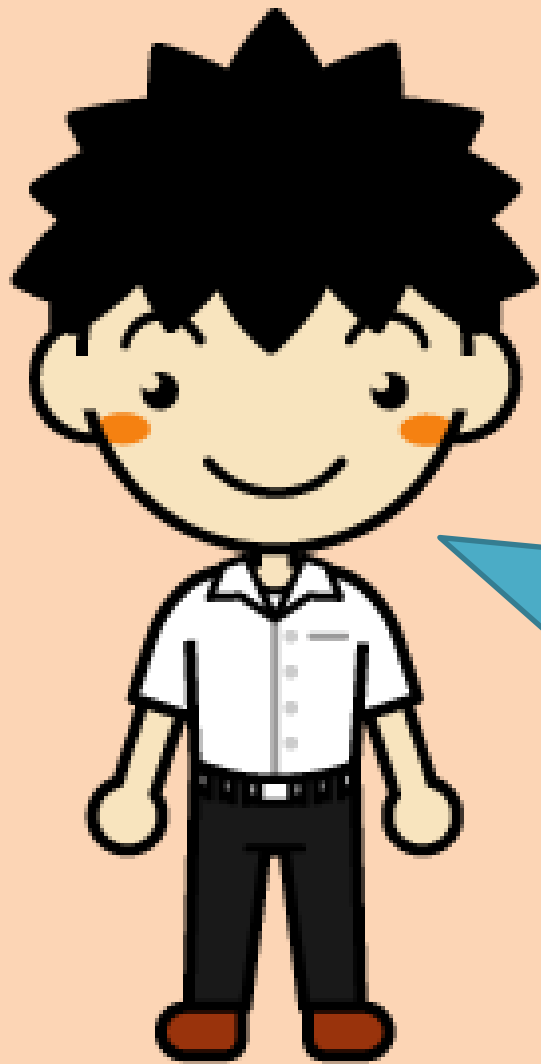


Simple Past Tense

Primary 3





Let's have a
quick revision
on Past Tense!

Simple Past Tense

When



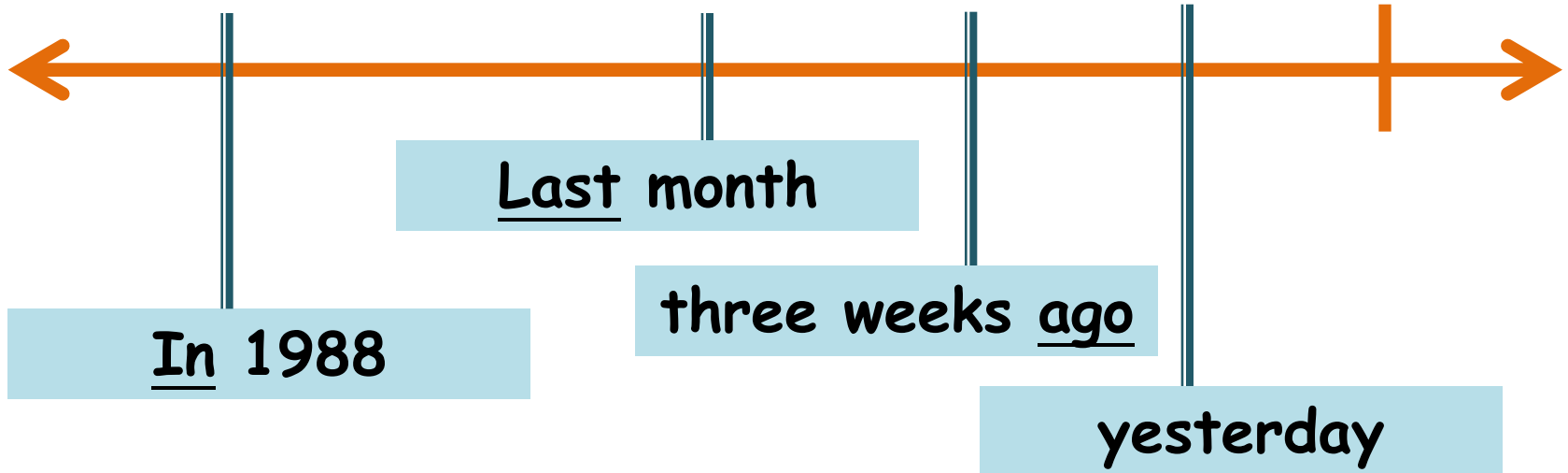
Simple Past Tense

When



Actions that happened in the **past**

Now



Hints

(words that tell you the time)

- yesterday
- in this morning
- _____ ago
- last _____
- in (year) e.g. in 1985



Simple Past Tense

- form



be



was

I



was



He



She



It



be



were

You



we



were



They



verb +ed

climb	→	climbed
play	→	played
talk	→	talked
walk	→	walked
wash	→	washed
watch	→	watched

verb +d

close → closed

like → liked

live → lived

verb +ied

carry → carried

cry → cried

study → studied

try → tried

no change

cost → cost

cut → cut

hit → hit

read → read

shut → shut

put → put

Examples



1) A past truth



They were in an office
yesterday.

1) A past truth



I **was** a football
player **in 1992.**

2) A past action



I played with my good friend yesterday.

2) A past action



We closed the door
three minutes ago.

2) A past action



You **cried** **this morning**.

2) A past action



She cut her finger last night.



Let's practice
some more!

Try your best!

Exercise 1

1. I was (be) a baby
in 1991.

2. John was (be) at
home yesterday.

3. The children were
(be) happy last night.

4. You were (be) hot
four hours ago.

Exercise 2

1. I walked (walk) to school this morning.
2. Helen read (read) three books last week.

3. They phoned (phone)
their friends
yesterday.

4. It climbed (climb) up
the tree ten minutes
ago.

See you! 😊

