



4<sup>th</sup> GRADE  
2020



# HELLO 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE!!

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❖ **Step 1:** Read the texts 1 and 2 and  
highlight all the differences you can find.

1

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NOW THINK...

❖ **Step 2:** Discover what is the main difference between the two texts



❖ If you think the main difference in the texts 1 and 2 was that one of them is in **present time** and the other one in **past**



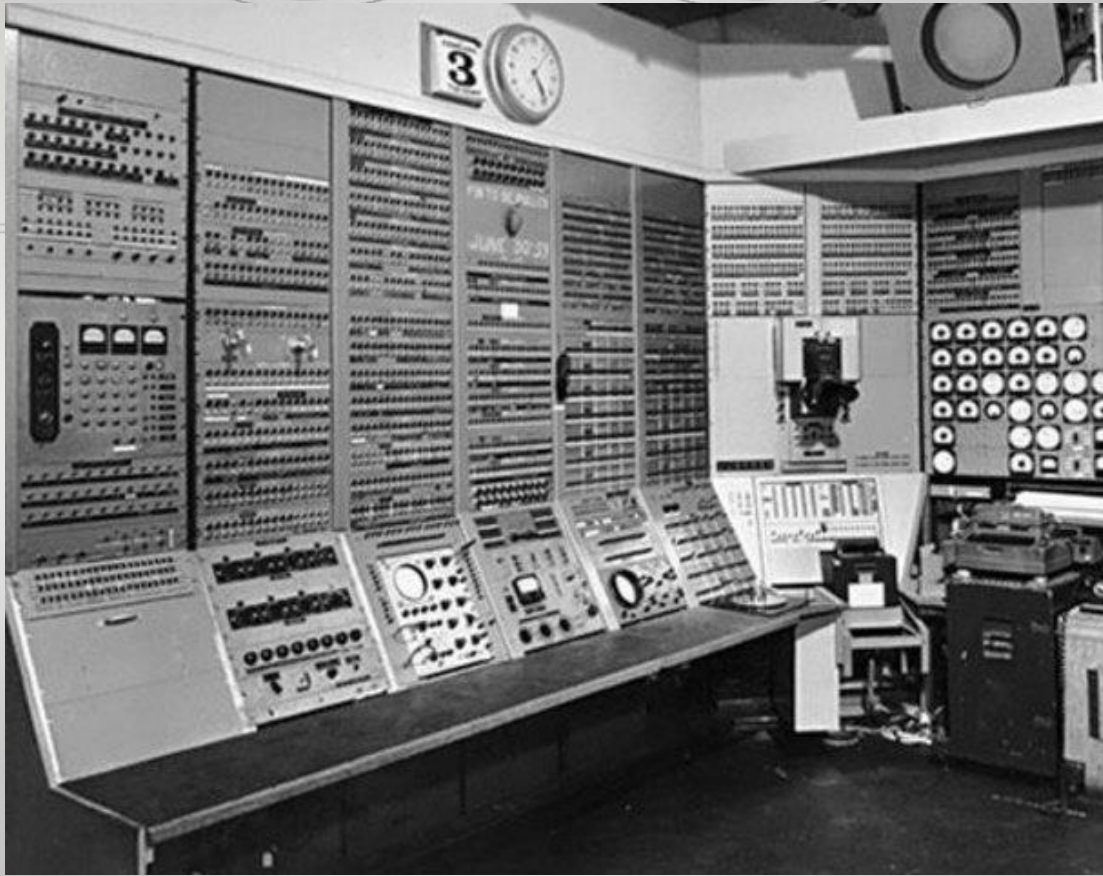
Now, let's take a look at the PAST



**WELCOME TO  
THE PAST...**



People rode these big bicycles



This was the first computer





People watched these TV series



People played these video games



People wrote letters



People drove these cars

# PAST

❖ To express situations that happened in the past we have to change the form of the **verb**. There are two types of verbs to express situations that happened in the past. These are .....

REGULAR VERBS

add **ed** to the verb

Yesterday, I played soccer

IRREGULAR VERBS

end up **different**

Yesterday, I went to the cinema

# EXAMPLES

Sentence 1

Today, **I play** Xbox.

Sentence 2

Yesterday , **I played** Xbox

Can you see the difference?

Sentence 2 is in past. **Play** is a regular verb, so you only have to add **ed** to the end and .... CHANCHANCHAN!! You have a sentence in past.

# REGULAR VERBS

Present	Past
accept	accepted
close	closed
invite	invited
jump	jumped
open	opened
play	played
need	needed
want	wanted

# IRREGULAR VERBS

Present	Past
be (am – is – are)	was/were
buy	bought
drink	drank
eat	ate
read	read
ride	rode
sing	sang
swim	swam




# REMEMBER



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❖ To talk about past, you have to change the form of the verb. The verb can be REGULAR or IRREGULAR. For regular verbs, you add ED but irregular verbs are all different!! You have to use your **memory**.



❖ Step 4: Now SCAN the text again and complete the chart with the verbs in present, past and classify regular or irregular.

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# COMPLETE

Present	Past	Regular or Irregular
live	lived	regular

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