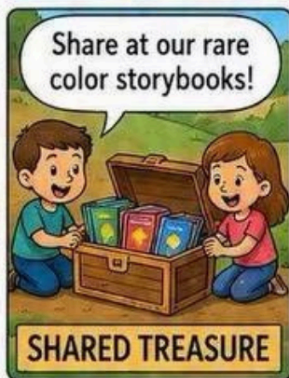
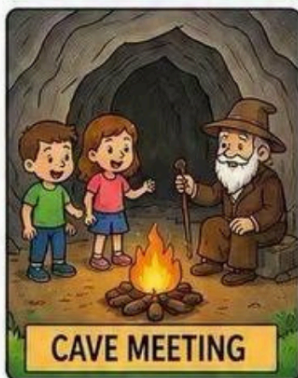
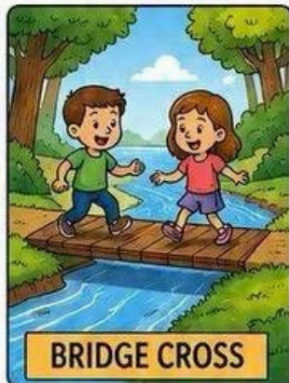
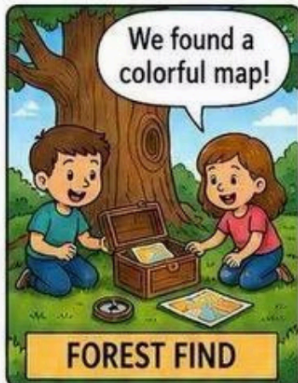


Past Simple Irregular Verbs – Reading & Practice

The Secret of the Old Oak Tree



One sunny afternoon, Leo and Mia **went** for a walk near the quiet forest. They **saw** a colorful, wooden box hidden under an old oak tree. Inside the box, they **found** a small, shining map. The map **showed** a path to a hidden treasure near the river.

They **ran** excitedly through the trees and **crossed** a narrow wooden bridge. Soon, they **came** to a big cave and **met** a wise old traveler. He **sat** by the fire and **gave** them a golden key. He said, "The real treasure belongs to those who work together and stay honest."

They **opened** the chest and **found** a collection of rare, wonderful storybooks. They **felt** very happy because they **shared** everything together!

A. Choose the correct past simple irregular verb:

- Leo and Mia _____ a colorful box under the tree.
(a) see (b) saw (c) seen
- They _____ a path to a hidden treasure.
(a) find (b) found (c) finds
- The kids _____ through the forest.
(a) ran (b) run (c) running
- The wise traveler _____ them a golden key.
(a) give (b) gave (c) given
- They _____ very happy at the end.
(a) feel (b) felt (c) feeling

B. Answer the following questions:

- Where did Leo and Mia find the wooden box? _____
- What did they find inside the box? _____
- Who did they meet near the cave? _____
- What was the real treasure in the chest? _____

C. Match the present verb to its irregular past form:

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| 1. see | (a) felt | (b) saw | (c) gave |
| 2. find | (a) found | (b) ran | (c) came |
| 3. give | (a) gave | (b) sat | (c) went |