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The Irregular Verb Maze

Only correct verb forms lead to the exit

1 The verb maze. Start at the top left. You may only step on fields with three **correct** forms (infinitive – simple past – past participle). Move up, down, left or right – not diagonally. Colour your way to the exit.

START ↓

fall fell fallen	**see** seen saw	**break** broke broke	**ride** rode rode	**sleep** sleeped slept	**bring** brang brought
take took taken	**take** took took	**buy** buyed bought	**wear** weared worn	**throw** throwed thrown	**give** gived given
drive drove driven	**teach** teached taught	**begin** begun began	**hold** held held	**see** saw seen	**think** thought thought
speak spoke spoken	**tell** told told	**meet** meeted met	**throw** threw thrown	**lose** losed lost	**ride** rode ridden
write wrote wrote	**lose** lost lost	**think** thinked thought	**begin** began begun	**eat** eated eaten	**break** broke broken
tell telled told	**swim** swam swum	**give** gave given	**feel** felt felt	**choose** choosed chosen	**leave** left left

↓ EXIT

2 Verb patterns. Write the three forms of each verb into the right column.

go cut buy come sell put eat run find let take become

A – A – A	A – B – B	A – B – C	A – B – A

A – A – A: all forms the same · A – B – B: simple past = past participle · A – B – C: three different forms · A – B – A: infinitive = past participle

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The Irregular Verb Maze – Lösung

START ↓

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take **took** **taken**	**take** took took	**buy** buyed bought	**wear** weared worn	**throw** throwed thrown	**give** gived given
drive **drove** **driven**	**teach** teached taught	**begin** begun began	**hold** **held** **held**	**see** **saw** **seen**	**think** **thought** **thought**
speak **spoke** **spoken**	**tell** **told** **told**	**meet** meeted met	**throw** **threw** **thrown**	**lose** losed lost	**ride** **rode** **ridden**
write wrote wrote	**lose** **lost** **lost**	**think** thinked thought	**begin** **began** **begun**	**eat** eated eaten	**break** **broke** **broken**
tell telled told	**swim** **swam** **swum**	**give** **gave** **given**	**feel** **felt** **felt**	**choose** choosed chosen	**leave** **left** **left**

↓ EXIT

Der Weg hat 17 Felder und ist eindeutig: Jedes richtige Feld hat genau zwei richtige Nachbarn (Start und Ziel einen), alle anderen Felder enthalten einen Fehler. Typische Fehler auf den Irrwegen: -ed an unregelmäßigen Verben (buyed, choosed, eated, gived), vertauschte Formen (begin – begun – began, see – seen – saw), gleiche Form an falscher Stelle (break – broke – broke, ride – rode – rode) und erfundene Formen (brang).

Die falschen Felder – richtig

begin – began – begun · break – broke – broken · bring – brought – brought · buy – bought – bought · choose – chose – chosen · eat – ate – eaten · give – gave – given · lose – lost – lost · meet – met – met · ride – rode – ridden · see – saw – seen · sleep – slept – slept · take – took – taken · teach – taught – taught · tell – told – told · think – thought – thought · throw – threw – thrown · wear – wore – worn · write – wrote – written

Aufgabe 2

A – A – A	A – B – B	A – B – C	A – B – A
cut – cut – cut	buy – bought – bought	go – went – gone	come – came – come
put – put – put	sell – sold – sold	eat – ate – eaten	run – ran – run
let – let – let	find – found – found	take – took – taken	become – became – become

Die Gruppen helfen beim Lernen: Viele A-B-B-Verben enden auf -ought/-aught (bought, caught, taught). Weitere Beispiele: A-A-A hit, cost, hurt · A-B-B keep, sleep, send · A-B-C drive, speak, write · A-B-A nur wenige (come, run, become).

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