

elaborate

verb

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Write it: elaborate

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Meaning

to give more details about something

Synonyms: develop, expand

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Example

The police officer wasn't sure what the missing cat looked like, so he asked the owner to elaborate.



Present:

I/You/We/They
He/She/It

elaborate
elaborates

Past:

elaborated

- **Noun:** elaboration
- **Adjective:** elaborate
- **Adverb:** elaborately

- decline to elaborate
- refuse to elaborate

The actress declined to elaborate on her reasons for quitting the film.
My dad said I couldn't borrow the car on Saturday, but when I asked him why, he refused to elaborate.

Verbal Practice

Read each sentence and think about how you would complete it.

Discuss your idea with your partner using the sentence frame.

Listen carefully to your partner's and classmates' ideas.

Write your favorite idea in the blank.



- 1 My teacher asked me to elaborate on my description of the book I read because I didn't include enough emphasis
- 2 If someone I didn't know well asked me for more information about myself, I would refuse to elaborate because I don't know them

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Writing Practice

Work with your partner to complete the sentence using the correct form of elaborate and appropriate content.

If I had to elaborate on why I like my neighborhood, I would say that I enjoy listening to Travis Scott and playing my 2K.

Work independently to complete the sentence using the correct form of elaborate and appropriate content.

I really wanted to know why my friend mean, but she declined to elaborate.

Work independently to write two sentences. In your first sentence, use elaborate in the simple past tense. In your second sentence, use elaborate with the word partner refuse to elaborate.

- 1 I elaborated my taste in music to my mom because she doesn't like it.
- 2 I refuse to elaborate to anyone that is mean to me.

Grammar

To make the simple past tense of regular verbs, add *-ed* or *-d*.

She elaborated on the points in her essay.

I played tennis today.

Complete the paragraph using the correct form of elaborate and original content.

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Work independently to complete the sentence using the correct form of **elaborate** and appropriate content.

I really wanted to know why my friend was upset but she declined to elaborate.

Work independently to write two sentences. In your first sentence, use **elaborate** in the *simple past tense*. In your second sentence, use **elaborate** with the word partner *refuse to elaborate*.

1 My friend and I elaborated on why we need multiple microwaves in the cafeteria.

2 I asked for them to elaborate on the lesson but they refused to elaborate.

GRAMMAR TIP
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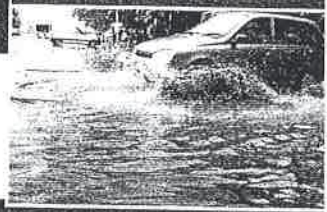
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Meanings

Examples

1. to begin to happen

1. A flood developed after several days of rain.



Synonym: start

2. to change into something bigger, stronger, or more advanced

2. A young boy will eventually develop into a grown man.



Synonym: grow

Present:

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develop
develops

Past:

developed

• **Noun:** development

• **Adjectives:** developed, developing, developmental

- develop skills
- develop the ability to do something
- help develop

An internship can help you **develop** skills in the workplace.
 After a lot of practice, I **developed** the ability to walk on my hands.
 Running **helps develop** endurance and muscle mass.

Verbal Practice

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- 1 After Kevin stayed out in the snow for several hours, he developed

a cold

- 2 learning is a problem that can **develop** at school if students don't do anything about it.

- 3 I lift weights and exercise to **develop** muscles.

- 4 If you work hard, you can **develop** the ability to be the smartest person.

develop
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Writing Practice

Collaborate: Work with your partner to complete the sentences using the correct form of develop and appropriate content.

- 1 The best way to handle a disagreement that has developed in class is to talk it out.
- 2 In the future, scientists will probably develop technology that allows people live for many more years than expected to.

Work independently: Work independently to complete the sentences using the correct form of develop and appropriate content.

- 1 A problem developed between my sister and me when we argue a lot.
- 2 Over the past year, I have developed my survival skills.

Go on Academic: Work independently to write two sentences. In your first sentence, use develop in the *simple past tense*. In your second sentence, use develop in the *present perfect tense*.

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- 1 I have developed the skill to overcome my anger issues
 - 2 during the times with my dad I can develop a bond with him

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She has developed her acting skills in the last year.
You have received a letter.

Write: Complete the paragraph using the correct form of develop and original content.

When you develop ¹ from a child ² into an adolescent, and eventually an adult, every year is physically different than the year before. Compare yourself now to how you were five years ago. Can you run ³ faster and lift heavier objects? Over time, your muscles and bones develop ⁴ making you stronger. Another important part of your body that ⁵ also developed is your brain. For instance, you are now able to have articulate conversations about life ⁶ topics because your brain grew and develop ⁷

Present Perfect Tense

Sample Sentences

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Collaborate Work with your partner to complete the sentences using the present perfect form of each verb and original content.

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heard of college?

③ live How long have you lived in
your home?

④ finish I have just finished reading
Pathfinder; it's an amazing book.

⑤ be Where is Mr. Potatoman? He has
been absent a lot recently.

Your Turn Work independently to complete the sentences using the present perfect form of each verb.

① work My mother has worked for the
same company since 2005.

② go I have already gone to the
principal's office many times.

③ live Martin has lived in California
for four years.

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your home? *Swan*

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⑤ be Where is bob? He has
been absent a lot recently. *3.9*

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