

Important STRONG VERBS

INFINITIVE	PAST	PAST PART.	
be	was/were	been	.....
become	became	become	.....
begin	began	begun	.....

PRESENT (Gegenwart):
They never write letters.

PAST (Imperfekt, Präteritum):
He wrote five letters yesterday.

PERFECT (=PRESENT PERFECT):
She has written a lot of letters.

PLUPERFECT (=PAST PERFECT, Plusquamperfekt)
He had written the letter long before I phoned him.

break	broke	broken	.....
bring	brought	brought	.....
buy	bought	bought	.....
choose	chose	chosen	.....
come	came	come	.....
cost	cost	cost	.....
do	did	done	.....
dream	dreamt	dreamt	.....
drink	drank	drunk	.....
drive	drove	driven	.....
eat	ate	eaten	.....
fall	fell	fallen	.....
feel	felt	felt	.....
find	found	found	.....
fly	flew	flown	.....
get	got	got	.....
give	gave	given	.....
go	went	gone	.....

have	had	had	.....
hear	heard	heard	.....
hide	hid	hidden	.....
keep	kept	kept	.....
know	knew	known	.....
learn	learnt	learnt	.....
leave	left	left	.....
lose	lost	lost	.....
make	made	made	.....
meet	met	met	.....
pay	paid	paid	.....
put	put	put	.....
read	read	read	.....
ride	rode	ridden	.....
run	ran	run	.....
say	said	said	.....
see	saw	seen	.....
sell	sold	sold	.....
send	sent	sent	.....
sing	sang	sung	.....
sleep	slept	slept	.....
speak	spoke	spoken	.....
stand	stood	stood	.....
steal	stole	stolen	.....
swim	swam	swum	.....
take	took	taken	.....
tell	told	told	.....
think	thought	thought	.....
throw	threw	thrown	.....
write	wrote	written	.....

PAST oder PERFECT?

Bei fortlaufender Erzählung in der Vergangenheit: PAST

Wenn Bezug auf die Gegenwart: PERFECT

Im Zweifelsfall: PAST



He has lost something.