



THESE WORDS ARE LIKE SIGNALS

DO or DON'T
DOES or DOESN'T
DID or DIDN'T

(These are "helping verbs")

When you see one of these words, they signal you to use the **BASE FORM OF VERB** with it.

Present Simple: Do or Does + Base Verb

Do you usually **drive** to work?
When **do** you usually **drive** to work?
Does she usually **walk** to school?
When **does** she usually **walk** to school?

In Present Simple, the helping verb "Do" changes to "Does" in 3rd person singular (she, he, it)
Do I, Do you, Do y'all, Do they, Do we
Does she, Does he, Does it

Simple Past: Did + Base Verb

Did you **walk** to school?
When **did** you **walk** to school?
Did she **drive** to work?
When **did** she **drive** to work?

In Simple Past, the helping verb "Did" is used for all persons.
Did I, Did you, Did y'all, Did they, Did we
Did she, Did he, Did it

Do and Does can be used to:

- 1) Form questions
- 2) Form negative statements
- 3) Give orders
- 4) To emphasize something

**HELPING
VERB**

**BASE
VERB**

	Do	you	like	cheese?
I	do not		like	cheese.
	Do not		eat	the cheese.
I	do		like	cheese!

Where	did	you	hike	last	weekend?
When	did	you	hike	last	weekend?
Why	did	you	walk	to	work?
What	did	you	play	at	the party?
	Did	you	hike	last	weekend?
	Did	he	walk	to	work?
	Did	you	like	the	movie?
I	did not		like	the	movie. (I didn't like the movie.)
	Did	she	like	the	movie?
She	did not		like	the	movie. (She didn't like the movie.)