## "Daily English"

5-week course Week 3 Day 1

## The Simple Past

The Simple Past is a simple idea, really:

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"I ate lunch with my friend, yesterday."

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"I'm eating lunch with my friend."

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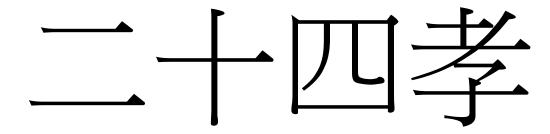
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...but English has to make things a little difficult:

- regular forms: '-ed':
  - believe → believed
  - discover → discovered
  - show → showed
- *irregular* forms:
  - eat  $\rightarrow$  ate
  - sit  $\rightarrow$  sat
  - have → had

## Let's tell stories using the Simple Past

You should know these pictures, right?



(the Twenty-four Filial Pieties)



