



# PERDER CONJUGATIONS & USES

## TO LOSE

SYNONYMS: **EXTRAVIAR**

| Type | Irregular | Infinitive               | Gerund                     | Past Participle        |
|------|-----------|--------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| -ER  | NO        | Perder<br><i>To lose</i> | Perdiendo<br><i>Losing</i> | Perdido<br><i>Lost</i> |

|              | Indicative  | Subjunctive   | Imperative  |
|--------------|---|---|---|
| Stem Changes | <b>Present:</b> <i>pierd</i> for all subjects except 'nosotros' and 'vosotros'. | <b>Present:</b> <i>pierd</i> for all subjects except 'nosotros' and 'vosotros'. | <b>Affirmative:</b> <i>pierd</i> for all subject pronouns except 'vosotros'.<br><b>Negative:</b> <i>pierd</i> for all subject pronouns except 'vosotros'. |

## DEFINITION & EXAMPLES

## PERDER

To describe losing or missing something  
(*To lose / To get lost / To miss [something]*)

### Formula

(*Pronoun in Spanish*) + [perder conjugated] + (*noun*)

Ese equipo **perderá** el partido.  
That team **will lose** the game.

Mis primos **se perdieron** en el bosque.  
My cousins **got lost** in the forest.

Nunca **se nos habían perdido** los pasaportes.  
We **had never lost** our passports before.

No encuentro mis llaves, creo que las **perdí**.  
I can't find my keys, I think I **lost** them.

**Take Note:** [The pronoun se](#) works as a reflexive pronoun when being alone. But when combined with [indirect object pronouns](#), it's known as [accidental se](#). Notice that you can use [Spanish direct object pronouns](#) to replace the things you lost.

# INDICATIVE CONJUGATIONS



## SIMPLE INDICATIVE TENSES

## PERDER

| Pronoun                  | Present                  | Preterite                  | Imperfect                               | Future                         | Conditional                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Yo                       | Pierdo<br>I lose         | Perdí<br>I lost            | Perdía<br>I lost / used to lose         | Perderé<br>I will lose         | Perdería<br>I would lose         |
| Tú                       | Pierdes<br>You lose      | Perdiste<br>You lost       | Perdías<br>You lost / used to lose      | Perderás<br>You will lose      | Perderías<br>You would lose      |
| Él / Ella<br>Usted       | Pierde<br>He/She loses   | Perdió<br>He/She lost      | Perdía<br>He/She lost / used to lose    | Perderá<br>He/She will lose    | Perdería<br>He/She would lose    |
| Nosotros                 | Perdemos<br>We lose      | Perdimos<br>We lost        | Perdíamos<br>We lost / used to lose     | Perderemos<br>We will lose     | Perderíamos<br>We would lose     |
| Vosotros                 | Perdeís<br>You lose      | Perdisteis<br>You lost     | Perdíaís<br>You lost / used to lose     | Perderéis<br>You will lose     | Perderíaís<br>You would lose     |
| Ellos / Ellas<br>Ustedes | Pierden<br>They/You lose | Perdieron<br>They/You lost | Perdían<br>They/You lost / used to lose | Perderán<br>They/You will lose | Perderían<br>They/You would lose |

## PERFECT (COMPOUND) INDICATIVE TENSES

## PERDER

| Pronoun                  | Present                           | Past                                | Future                                    | Conditional                                 |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|
| Yo                       | He perdido<br>I have lost         | Había perdido<br>I had lost         | Habré perdido<br>I will have lost         | Habría perdido<br>I would have lost         |
| Tú                       | Has perdido<br>You have lost      | Habías perdido<br>You had lost      | Habrás perdido<br>You will have lost      | Habrías perdido<br>You would have lost      |
| Él / Ella<br>Usted       | Ha perdido<br>He/She has lost     | Había perdido<br>He/She had lost    | Habrá perdido<br>He/She will have lost    | Habría perdido<br>He/She would have lost    |
| Nosotros                 | Hemos perdido<br>We have lost     | Habíamos perdido<br>We had lost     | Habremos perdido<br>We will have lost     | Habríamos perdido<br>We would have lost     |
| Vosotros                 | Habéis perdido<br>You have lost   | Habíaís perdido<br>You had lost     | Habréis perdido<br>You will have lost     | Habríaís perdido<br>You would have lost     |
| Ellos / Ellas<br>Ustedes | Han perdido<br>They/You have lost | Habían perdido<br>They/You had lost | Habrán perdido<br>They/You will have lost | Habrían perdido<br>They/You would have lost |

# INDICATIVE & SUBJUNCTIVE



## PROGRESSIVE (INDICATIVE) TENSES

## PERDER

| Pronoun                  | Present                                | Preterite                                    | Imperfect                                 | Future  | Conditional                                   |
|--------------------------|--|--|---|---|---|
| Yo                       | Estoy perdiendo<br>I am losing         | Estuve perdiendo<br>I was losing             | Estaba perdiendo<br>I was losing          | Estaría perdiendo<br>I will be losing         | Estaré perdiendo<br>I would be losing         |
| Tú                       | Estás perdiendo<br>You are losing      | Estuviste perdiendo<br>You were losing       | Estabas perdiendo<br>You were losing      | Estarías perdiendo<br>You will be losing      | Estarás perdiendo<br>You would be losing      |
| Él / Ella<br>Usted       | Está perdiendo<br>He/She is losing     | Estuvo perdiendo<br>He/She was losing        | Estaba perdiendo<br>He/She was losing     | Estaría perdiendo<br>He/She will be losing    | Estará perdiendo<br>He/She would be losing    |
| Nosotros                 | Estamos perdiendo<br>We are losing     | Estuvimos perdiendo<br>We were losing        | Estábamos perdiendo<br>We were losing     | Estaríamos perdiendo<br>We will be losing     | Estaremos perdiendo<br>We would be losing     |
| Vosotros                 | Estáis perdiendo<br>You are losing     | Estuvisteis perdiendo<br>You were losing     | Estabais perdiendo<br>You were losing     | Estaríais perdiendo<br>You will be losing     | Estaréis perdiendo<br>You would be losing     |
| Ellos / Ellas<br>Ustedes | Están perdiendo<br>They/You are losing | Estuvieron perdiendo<br>They/You were losing | Estaban perdiendo<br>They/You were losing | Estarían perdiendo<br>They/You will be losing | Estarán perdiendo<br>They/You would be losing |

## SUBJUNCTIVE MOOD TENSES

## PERDER

| Pronoun                  | Present                  | Present Perfect                     | Imperfect (Castilian)      | Imperfect (Latin American) | Past Perfect                           |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| Yo                       | Pierda<br>I lose         | Haya perdido<br>I have lost         | Perdiese<br>I lost         | Perdiera<br>I lost         | Hubiera perdido<br>I have lost         |
| Tú                       | Pierdas<br>You lose      | Hayas perdido<br>You have lost      | Perdieses<br>You lost      | Perdieras<br>You lost      | Hubieras perdido<br>You have lost      |
| Él / Ella<br>Usted       | Pierda<br>He/She loses   | Haya perdido<br>He/She has lost     | Perdiese<br>He/She lost    | Perdiera<br>He/She lost    | Hubiera perdido<br>He/She has lost     |
| Nosotros                 | Perdamos<br>We lose      | Hayamos perdido<br>We have lost     | Perdiésemos<br>We lost     | Perdiéramos<br>We lost     | Hubiéramos perdido<br>We have lost     |
| Vosotros                 | Perdáis<br>You lose      | Hayáis perdido<br>You have lost     | Perdieseis<br>You lost     | N/A                        | Hubierais perdido<br>You have lost     |
| Ellos / Ellas<br>Ustedes | Pierdan<br>They/You lose | Hayan perdido<br>They/You have lost | Perdiesen<br>They/You lost | Perdieran<br>They/You lost | Hubieran perdido<br>They/You have lost |

# IMPERATIVE CONJUGATIONS



## IMPERATIVE MOOD TENSES

## PERDER

| Pronoun  | Affirmative Commands | Negative Commands        |
|----------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Tú       | Pierde<br>Lose       | No pierdas<br>Don't lose |
| Usted    | Pierda<br>Lose       | No pierda<br>Don't lose  |
| Vosotros | Perded<br>Lose       | No perdáis<br>Don't lose |
| Ustedes  | Pierdan<br>Lose      | No pierdan<br>Don't lose |

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