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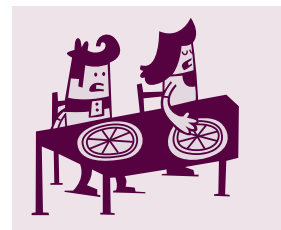
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Verb tenses



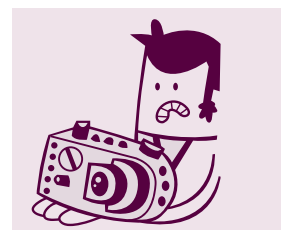
PRESENT SIMPLE

I **know** the answer.
Jane **walks** to school.
I **don't cook** very well.
She **doesn't like** pizza.
Do you **like** Indian food?
Does John **drive** to work?



PRESENT CONTINUOUS

I'm **writing** a letter.
They're **playing** football.
It **isn't working**.
We **aren't using** it at the moment.
Am I winning?
What **are** you **cooking**?



PAST SIMPLE

I **cooked** the dinner last night.
They **arrived** on Tuesday.
They **didn't have** a holiday last year.
She **didn't enjoy** the film.
Did you **see** John yesterday?
What **did** you **do** in Paris?



PAST CONTINUOUS

She **was watching** the TV.
We **were talking** to the doctor.
The fridge **wasn't working**.
They **weren't enjoying** the film.
Was it **raining**?
Where **were** you **staying**?



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PRESENT PERFECT

I've **lost** my car keys.
He's **found** a new job.
We **haven't paid** the bill.
It **hasn't rained** for weeks.
Have you heard the news?
Has the train **arrived** yet?



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PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS

We've **been staying** with some friends.
He's **been saving** his money for a holiday.
You **haven't been doing** well at school.
He **hasn't been running**.
Have you been waiting long?
What **have you been doing**?



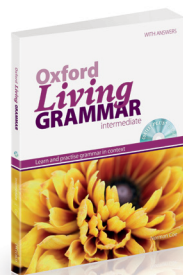
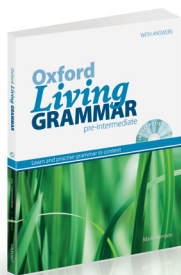
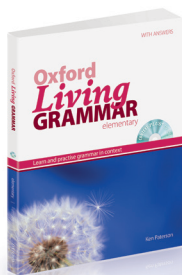
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PAST PERFECT

I **had posted** the letter.
We **had sat** down when she arrived.
She **hadn't finished** painting.
He **hadn't made** any mistakes.
Had it stopped?
What **had he stolen**?



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