

English Tenses: Present and Past

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1. What are the three main tenses mentioned?

- A) Present, Past, Future**
- B) Simple, Continuous, Perfect
- C) Active, Passive, Mixed
- D) Indicative, Imperative, Subjunctive

2. In the Present Simple affirmative, what is added to the verb for 'He, She, It' or any name?

- A) -s**
- B) -es
- C) -ing
- D) no change

3. What is the negative form for 'He, She, It' in the Present Simple?

- A) does not + verb**
- B) do not + verb
- C) is not + verb
- D) has not + verb

4. Which tense is described as 'Present Continuous/Progressive'?

- A) am, is, are + verb-ing**
- B) have, has + verb-ed
- C) did + verb
- D) will + verb

5. What auxiliary verbs are used in the Present Continuous tense?

- A) am, is, are**
- B) do, does
- C) have, has
- D) will, shall

6. In the Present Perfect tense, what is the structure for affirmative sentences?

- A) Subject + has/have + MV (main verb) 3rd form**
- B) Subject + is/am/are + verb-ing
- C) Subject + did + verb
- D) Subject + verb (past tense)

7. Which subjects use 'has' in the Present Perfect tense?

A) He, She, It (any name)

- B) I, You, We, They
- C) All subjects
- D) Only 'I'

8. What is the negative form for the Present Perfect tense?

A) Subject + has/have + not + MV 3rd form

- B) Subject + does not + verb
- C) Subject + did not + verb
- D) Subject + is/am/are + not + verb-ing

9. Which tense uses 'did' in its negative and interrogative forms?

A) Past Simple

- B) Present Simple
- C) Present Continuous
- D) Present Perfect

10. What is the affirmative structure for the Past Simple tense?

A) Subject + MV (past tense)

- B) Subject + has/have + MV 3rd form
- C) Subject + is/am/are + verb-ing
- D) Subject + will + verb

11. In the Past Simple, what is used for the negative form?

A) Subject + did + not + verb

- B) Subject + does not + verb
- C) Subject + do not + verb
- D) Subject + was/were + not + verb-ing

12. What is the auxiliary verb used in interrogative sentences for the Past Simple tense?

A) Did

- B) Do
- C) Does
- D) Is

13. The Present Perfect Continuous tense uses 'been' after which auxiliary verbs?

A) has/have

- B) is/am/are
- C) do/does
- D) did

14. Which word is used for a specific point in time in the Present Perfect Continuous tense?

- A) Since**
- B) For
- C) From
- D) At

15. Which word is used for a period of time in the Present Perfect Continuous tense?

- A) For**
- B) Since
- C) During
- D) While

16. The Present Perfect Continuous uses 'been' and the verb in which form?

- A) verb-ing**
- B) verb (past tense)
- C) verb (base form)
- D) verb (past participle)

17. What is the negative structure for the Present Perfect Continuous tense?

- A) Subject + has/have + not + been + verb-ing**
- B) Subject + has/have + been + not + verb-ing
- C) Subject + not + has/have + been + verb-ing
- D) Subject + has/have + been + verb-ing + not

18. What is the interrogative structure for the Present Perfect Continuous tense?

- A) Has/Have + Subject + been + verb-ing**
- B) Subject + Has/Have + been + verb-ing
- C) Been + Has/Have + Subject + verb-ing
- D) Has/Have + been + Subject + verb-ing

19. The text mentions 'Mohan' as an example for which tense?

- A) Past Simple**
- B) Present Simple
- C) Present Perfect
- D) Present Continuous

20. What is the base form of the verb 'went'?

- A) go**
- B) goes
- C) going
- D) gone

21. What is the structure for interrogative sentences in the Present Simple tense?

A) Do/Does + Subject + verb

B) Subject + Do/Does + verb

C) Verb + Do/Does + Subject

D) Do/Does + verb + Subject

22. The example 'I am going to market' belongs to which tense?

A) Present Continuous

B) Present Simple

C) Past Simple

D) Present Perfect

23. What is the correct auxiliary verb for 'I' in the Present Continuous tense?

A) am

B) is

C) are

D) be

24. The example 'He has gone to school' belongs to which tense?

A) Present Perfect

B) Present Continuous

C) Past Simple

D) Present Simple

25. What is the main verb form used in the Present Perfect tense?

A) 3rd form (past participle)

B) base form

C) verb-ing

D) past tense

26. The example 'Mohan did...' is related to which tense?

A) Past Simple

B) Present Simple

C) Present Perfect

D) Present Continuous