

Verb Tenses: Present Perfect, Past Perfect, and Future Perfect

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1. Which tense indicates an action that happened in the present and is still continuing?

- A) Past Perfect Tense
- B) Future Perfect Tense
- C) Present Perfect Tense**
- D) Simple Past Tense

2. What is used with 'since' in the Present Perfect Tense to indicate the starting point of an action?

- A) The ending point
- B) The duration
- C) The starting point**
- D) The frequency

3. In the Present Perfect Tense, what form of the verb is used when the subject is singular?

- A) Base form
- B) Past participle**
- C) Present participle
- D) Infinitive

4. Which auxiliary verb is used with a singular subject in the Present Perfect Tense?

- A) were
- B) are
- C) is**
- D) was

5. Identify the Present Perfect Tense sentence from the options.

- A) Sheila had cleaned her room.
- B) They will have explored the cave.
- C) Sheila has cleaned her room.**
- D) They explored the cave yesterday.

6. What is used with 'have' in the Present Perfect Tense when the subject is plural?

- A) Present participle
- B) Past participle**
- C) Base form
- D) Infinitive

7. Which auxiliary verb is used with a plural subject in the Present Perfect Tense?

- A) has
- B) is
- C) was
- D) have**

8. Example: 'They have explored Igbalang Cave'. What tense is this sentence?

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

9. The Past Perfect Tense indicates an action that had already happened at a specific time in the past.

- A) True**
- B) False
- C) Partially True
- D) Cannot be determined

10. What is the structure of the Past Perfect Tense?

- A) will have + past participle
- B) had + past participle**
- C) has/have + past participle
- D) verb + -ed

11. Which of these words are often used with the Past Perfect Tense to express time relations?

- A) now, soon
- B) before, after, when**
- C) yesterday, tomorrow
- D) always, never

12. Example: 'When he left the city, they realized the value of nature.' What tense is 'left' used in this context?

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

13. Example: 'Sheila had worked as a nurse before.' What tense is used here?

A) Present Perfect

B) Past Perfect

C) Future Perfect

D) Simple Past

14. The Future Perfect Tense is used to describe an action that will be completed before a specific point in the future.

A) True

B) False

C) Sometimes

D) Only for past actions

15. What is the structure of the Future Perfect Tense?

A) had + past participle

B) has/have + past participle

C) will have + past participle

D) will be + present participle

16. The Future Perfect Tense indicates an action that will have happened in the future before another future action.

A) True

B) False

C) Only if the second action is in the past

D) Only if the first action is in the past

17. Which of the following is an example of the Present Perfect Tense?

A) He had gone to the store.

B) She will have finished by then.

C) They have visited Paris.

D) We are going home.

18. Which of the following is an example of the Past Perfect Tense?

A) I have eaten.

B) They had already left.

C) She will have completed the task.

D) We are learning.

19. Which of the following is an example of the Future Perfect Tense?

- A) He had studied.
- B) She has arrived.
- C) They will have traveled extensively.**
- D) We went out.

20. The word 'since' in Present Perfect Tense refers to:

- A) A period of time
- B) A specific point in time**
- C) A repeated action
- D) An ongoing action

21. The phrase 'past participle form of the verb' is crucial for which tenses?

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

22. In the sentence 'A tourist guide has accompanied them since the first day of their tour,' what does 'has accompanied' indicate?

- A) An action completed in the past
- B) An action happening now
- C) An action that started in the past and continues to the present**
- D) An action that will happen in the future