

TENSES

1- Simple Present or Present Continuous?

Choose the right tense

- a) I **am attending** ~~attend~~ school now.
- b) Where is Sam?
He **is having** ~~has~~ dinner.
- c) Brad **leaves** ~~is leaving~~ work at the same time every day.
- d) **Don't the politicians agree**
Aren't the politicians agreeing about this issue?
- e) Ashley **knows** ~~is knowing~~ the truth
- f) Alex and Jane **act** ~~are acting~~ in the school play this year

2- Join with arrows:

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B

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| a) They're studying | 1) for yesterday's test |
| b) We haven't studied | 2) before you arrived |
| c) We had studied | 3) at this moment |
| d) I study | 4) yet |
| e) She studied | 5) at this time tomorrow |
| f) I will be studying | 6) one hour a day |

3- Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets. Use the Past Simple, Present Perfect or Past Perfect:

- a) We _____ (FORGET) to call you last night
- b) We _____ (SEE) our uncle since 2015
- c) Last year they _____ (HIRE) 30 employees
- d) The rain _____ (STOP) by the time we reached home
- e) I _____ (not TRY) parachuting yet.
- f) We _____ (LEAVE) after they had arrived
- g) He _____ already _____ (SEND) the letters
- h) She _____ (WEAR) her hair in the same style since she _____ (BE) a teenager
- i) What time _____ you _____ (ARRIVE)?

4- Rephrase these sentences:

- a) I am finishing my degree next month.
I haven't
- b) First I phoned her and then I went to bed
After
- c) The last time I saw her was 2 weeks ago
I haven't
- d) We haven't played together for 3 years
We last played together
- e) She was shot in the head while travelling home
While she
- f) I still haven't bought a new car
I haven't