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## Using Helping Verbs

Use the **helping verbs has, have**, and **had** to help main verbs show action in the past. Both the main verb and the helping verb must agree with the subject of the sentence.

Rule	Example
Use <b>has</b> with a singular subject and <i>he, she, or it.</i>	Pam <b>has</b> visited the bakery. She <b>has</b> talked to the baker.
Use <b>have</b> with a plural subject and with <i>I, you, we, or they.</i>	The children <b>have</b> talked about food. I <b>have</b> asked questions.
Use <b>had</b> with a singular or plural subject.	The baker <b>had</b> baked bread. The bakers <b>had</b> baked bread.

Choose the correct helping verb to complete each sentence.

1. The chefs baked bread.
  2. They picked the spices.
  3. One man added the salt.
  4. I tasted the soup.
  5. You written the recipe.
  6. Tony and Tina baked a birthday cake.
  7. Tony measured the flour.
  8. Tina added two eggs.
  9. They mixed everything together.
  10. The children frosted the cake.