REVISION: VERB TENSES

1. Recognizing tenses

Read the text. Use the verb forms in *italics* to complete the chart.

LONDON – FRANCE'S SIXTH-BIGGEST CITY

There are over 300,000 French people living in London today. It has a larger French population than towns such as Lille. Why do they come to the British capital?



ALAIN GATIMEL, 30, *works* in the City. He says 'I *love* living in London. It's dynamic and extremely international. People *come* here to find work, but then realize that it's really exciting. My company *is owned* by an American bank, and I'*m going out* with an American girl. I'*ll stay* here for another five or six years.'



ANNE-MARIE DUBOIS, 21, *came* to London three years ago to learn English, and *has been* here ever since. 'I *met* my boyfriend while I *was working* in the Savoy Hotel. I *was employed* in Accounts. I now think of London as my home. We're *going to get* married next year.'



CÉLINE ABADIE, 28, *found* a job in two weeks. 'Unemployment is high in France, especially for young people. I *know* friends in Paris who *have been looking* for work for six months,' she said. 'There is a sense of freedom and opportunity here in England. Everything is possible.'

Present simple (x4)		**Present Continuous (x1)**	
Past Simple (x3)		**Past Continuous (x1)**	
Present Perfect (x1)		**Present Perfect Cont. (x1)**	
Future forms (x2)		**Present Simple passive (x1)**	
Past Simple passive (x1)			

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