

The Community Garden Grammar Matching Activity

Match the verb tenses with their rules.

Then, match three example sentences from the text to each verb tense.

Verb Tense	Rule	Examples in The Community Garden	Rule	Examples in The Community Garden
Simple Past			was/were + -ing verb	Willow noticed a tiny weevil.
				Forest Edge School is already becoming a better place.
				We will be organizing and cooperating all week long.
Simple Present			verb + -ed or irregular	The student council helps make decisions for the school.
				The students were working peacefully.
				We will talk about roles and responsibilities.
Simple Future			verb or verb + -s for he/she/it	Flora wrinkled her nose.
				The gerbil looks calm and tranquil.
				All of you will have important roles.
Past Continuous			am/is/are + -ing verb	A bug is making tiny holes in the leaves!
				Next week, Willow and I will be watering the plants.
				They were developing a plan to design a community garden.
Present Continuous			will be + -ing verb	Leaf raised his hand respectfully.
				You will be working together to build a real garden.
				We all share this world as our home.
Future Continuous			will + verb	The student council was busy planning a special project.
				We will see how we can use teamwork.
				I am designing planters for herbs.