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Reading and Writing Unit 5

Shifts between the past and present time frames

Instructions: Read the sentences and correct the inappropriate shifts in verb tense. Rewrite the sentences correctly. Click on the verb(s) that are in the wrong tense.

1. I walked home from the swimming pool, and later I eat a large dinner with some pie for dessert.

2. People were willing to wait in a long line for tickets all the time, but Jackson orders his tickets online.

3. About noon the sky darkened, a breeze approaches, and a low rumble announced the coming storm.

4. "It was getting dark soon, Jenna, so I think you better start walking home before the rain begins."

5. Yesterday, Willow caught the ball and then throws it to the catcher for the third out of the inning.

6. At night, when the children turned on the TV, they hear a loud buzzing sound.

7. Two hours ago, the two children run from the room because they wanted to be first in line at the water fountain.
