

Verb Tenses Review

Match the highlighted verbs below with the tenses a) - f)

1. We decided to order some food before we started watching that new Netflix show.
2. John wasn't here last summer. He was travelling around Africa.
3. Carry always studies for three hours every day, including on the weekends.
4. Listen! The dogs are barking! Do you think someone is trespassing?
5. I've never played tennis before moving here.
6. Ella's been working for the company for a year now.

a) present simple

b) present continuous

c) past simple

d) past continuous

e) present perfect

f) present perfect continuous

Complete the rules with the correct tenses A - F.

❖ We use for actions, events or situations that are finished.

❖ We use for situations which started in the past and continue into the present.

- ❖ We use for things that are happening at a particular moment in the present.
- ❖ We use for habits, routines and things that are always true.
- ❖ We use to emphasize that an action has continued for a long time or is repeated.
- ❖ We use when someone was in the middle of an action at a particular moment in the past.