

## UNIT 1 - VERB TENSES

1. You look really great! \_\_\_\_\_ **(exercise)** at the fitness centre lately?
2. What \_\_\_\_\_ **(do)** when the accident happened? - I \_\_\_\_\_ **(try)** to change a light bulb that had burned out.
3. I \_\_\_\_\_ **(have)** the same car for more than ten years. I am thinking about buying a new one.
4. If it \_\_\_\_\_ **(snow)** this weekend we can go to Lake Tahoe for a skiing holiday.
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ **(come)** to England six months ago. I started my economics course three months ago. When I return to Australia I \_\_\_\_\_ **(study)** for nine months and I will have been in England for exactly one year.
6. Sam \_\_\_\_\_ **(arrive)** in San Diego a week ago.
7. Samantha \_\_\_\_\_ **(live)** in Berlin for over twenty years. In fact, she \_\_\_\_\_ **(live)** there when the Berlin Wall came down.
8. If Vera keeps drinking she \_\_\_\_\_ **(lose)** her job.
9. The Maya established a civilized culture in the jungles of Yucatan, however their culture disappeared by the time the first Europeans \_\_\_\_\_ **(arrive)** in the New World.
10. Before Isabel started the semester, she \_\_\_\_\_ **(buy)** the textbook.

Try it again:



1. \_\_\_\_\_ John ever \_\_\_\_\_ **(win)** a prize at a race?
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ **(fall)** asleep yesterday when I \_\_\_\_\_ **(watch)** TV.
3. George \_\_\_\_\_ never \_\_\_\_\_ **(be)** to Canada.
4. Tom is not in England. He \_\_\_\_\_ **(travel)** in Italy at the moment.
5. We \_\_\_\_\_ **(do)** a lot on Sundays.
6. James \_\_\_\_\_ **(teach)** at the university for more than a year before he left to go to Asia.
7. I sometimes \_\_\_\_\_ **(go)** to the cinema.
8. Nick \_\_\_\_\_ **(work)** hard yesterday.
9. I finally \_\_\_\_\_ **(find)** the ring that Suzy \_\_\_\_\_ **(lose)** a few days ago.
10. They \_\_\_\_\_ **(tell)** us that it \_\_\_\_\_ **(rain)** the next few days, so I guess we \_\_\_\_\_ **(not go)** to the zoo this week.
11. They \_\_\_\_\_ **(build)** this castle in 1762.
12. When he \_\_\_\_\_ **(arrive)**, we \_\_\_\_\_ **(have)** dinner.
13. Would you like to have something to eat? No, thank you. I \_\_\_\_\_ **(just have)** dinner.
14. While Tom \_\_\_\_\_ **(play)** tennis, Ann \_\_\_\_\_ **(take)** a shower.
15. I'm not sure if we \_\_\_\_\_ **(visit)** her tomorrow.
16. I \_\_\_\_\_ **(not see)** his dog since yesterday morning.
17. Mike \_\_\_\_\_ **(play)** on his computer for the last 5 hours. When will he start his homework?