

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 <i>The Community Garden</i>	Rule	Examples in <i>The Community Garden</i>
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.