YLE Flyers Grammar Practice Test – Tenses

Part 1: Choose the correct answer (Present Simple vs Present Continuous)

Circle the correct answer.

1. My sister usually _____ to school by bus.

   a. go

   b. goes

   c. is going

2. Look! The dog _____ in the garden.

   a. runs

   b. is running

   c. run

3. We _____ lunch at the moment.

   a. have

   b. has

   c. are having

4. Tom _____ TV every evening.

   a. watches

   b. is watching

   c. watch

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5. Listen! Someone _____ the piano.

   a. plays

   b. is playing

   c. play

Part 2: Fill in the blanks (Present Simple)

Use the correct form of the verb.

1. She _____ (like) ice cream.
2. They _____ (play) football after school.
3. My father _____ (work) in an office.
4. We _____ (have) English lessons on Monday.
5. The baby _____ (cry) a lot.

Part 3: Fill in the blanks (Present Continuous)

Use **am / is / are + verb-ing**.

1. I _____ (read) a book now.
2. They _____ (watch) a movie at the moment.
3. She _____ (cook) dinner in the kitchen.
4. We _____ (do) our homework right now.
5. The boys _____ (play) in the park.

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Part 4: Past Simple (Regular & Irregular Verbs)

Write the past form of the verbs.

1. go → _____
2. eat → _____
3. play → _____
4. have → _____
5. visit → _____

Part 5: Complete the sentences (Past Simple)

1. Yesterday, I _____ (go) to the zoo.
2. She _____ (buy) a new dress last week.
3. We _____ (see) a movie last night.
4. They _____ (play) basketball yesterday afternoon.
5. He _____ (eat) breakfast at 7 a.m.

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Part 6: Future – "going to"

Complete the sentences using **going to**.

1. I _____ (visit) my grandparents this weekend.
2. They _____ (play) soccer tomorrow.
3. She _____ (study) for the test tonight.
4. We _____ (have) a party on Saturday.
5. He _____ (watch) TV later.

Part 7: Mixed Tenses Challenge

Choose the correct form of the verb.

1. I _____ (am / was / is) very happy yesterday.
2. She _____ (is reading / reads / read) a book now.
3. They _____ (went / go / going) to the park last Sunday.
4. We _____ (are going to / go / went) travel next month.
5. He _____ (plays / played / is playing) football every day.
6. Look! The cat _____ (is climbing / climbed / climbs) the tree.

THE END

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