

Tuesday – Verbs

A verb is an action word. It tells you what the noun is doing.
Verbs can be in the **present tense** – they are happening right now.
Or verbs can be in the **past tense** – they have already happened.
Most past tense verbs end in –ed.

1. Can you change the verbs from **present tense** to **past tense**?

Today the lion **roars**.

Yesterday the lion **roared**.

Today there **is** a huge bear that **lives** in the cave.

Last week there **was** a huge bear that **lived** in the cave.

2. Can you change the verbs from **past tense** to **present tense**?

Right now my sister **likes** her ice-cream.

Yesterday my sister **liked** her ice cream.

Today there **are** two birds in the garden.

Yesterday there **were** two birds in the garden.

3. Can you change these verbs into the past?

| Present – Today... | | | Past – Yesterday... | | |
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| jump | start | go | jumped | started | went |
| catch | eat | wait | caught | ate | waited |
| shout | grow | bring | shouted | grew | brought |
| work | sit | think | worked | sat | thought |

4. Can you write 2 sentences in the present tense and 2 sentences in the past tense?

Present tense: Right now I

Past tense: Yesterday I