



Tenses: Practice Activity

Direction: Determine which of the 12 tenses each sentence contains.

1. I will be on the basketball team next year.

Tense:

2. I have been playing tennis for 9 years now, and I have been playing basketball for 12 years.

Tense:

3. I go on a 30 to 45 minute walk everyday because I know I need to get more exercise these days.

Tense:

4. I had made those cupcakes for my relatives who came over to my house this week.

Tense:

5. I was reading this book for 4 hours yesterday.

Tense:

6. I will have arrived in Chicago by the time you wake up tomorrow.

Tense:

7. I am eating my lunch and dinner at the same time.

Tense:

8. I had been preparing this surprise for 3 weeks now.

Tense:

9. I will be practicing my ice skating all day tomorrow.

Tense:



10. I have just finished learning how to make ice sculptures.

Tense:

11. I am going to buy a dog tomorrow.

Tense:

12. I watched TV for 10 hours yesterday.

Tense:



Answers:

1. Future: Will
2. Present Perfect Progressive
3. Simple Present
4. Past Perfect
5. Past Progressive
6. Future Perfect
7. Present Progressive
8. Past Perfect Progressive
9. Future Progressive
10. Present Perfect
11. Future: Going to
12. Simple Past