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**ASSIGNMENT -16** 

CLASS- 3 SUBJECT- ENGLISH DATE -10.08.2020

Tenses refer to the time at which the action indicated by the verb takes place .

1. Present tense - The present tense refers to something that takes place in the present .

# a)Simple present tense (S+ V1/V5 +O)

\*Used to express regular habitual or repeated action .

\*To express universal truth.

\*To express possession.

\*To express future action .

Example: We get up at 6 o'clock every day.

The sun rises in the east.

I have a bicycle.

School reopens in June.

## b)Present continuous tense (S+is/am/are+V-ing+O)

\*It indicates a specific action that is going on at the time of speaking.

\*To indicate future action

Example: I am reading a book now.

She is going to buy a car.

2.Past tense - The past tense refers to something that took place in the past.

## a)Simple past tense (S+V2+O)

\*It is used to indicate an action completed in the past at a definite time.

\*It is used to indicate a habitual action in the past.

**Example: I went to Patna yesterday.** 

They always helped me.

## b)Past continuous (S+was/were+V-ing+O)

\*It is used to show an action in progress in the past.

You were flying kite. 3. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of verbs in the simple present tense. a)He always <u>calls</u> his friends in the evening. (call) b)Monali cooks food for everyone . (cook) c)They work very hard for their class test .(work) d)Neeta buys book whenever she travels .(buy) e)They usually come late to school . (come) 4.Complete the sentences given below using the present continuous tense of the verbs given in brackets. a) Fatima is acting in the play . (act) b) Tina is listening to music .(listen) c) The telephone is ringing. (ring) d) They are returning from school .(return) e) Mother is baking a cake for me .(bake) 5. Change the verbs to simple past tense and rewrite the sentences . a) I like ice cream. I liked ice cream. b) I walk to school. I walked to school. c) Sonali buys flowers for her mother. Sonali bought flowers for her mother. d) Jyoti rides a bicycle. Jyoti rode a bicycle. e) She writes a letter to her father. She wrote a letter to her father.

**Example: My mother was cooking.** 

## 6. Write a paragraph on Independence Day.

## **Independence Day**

The Independence Day of India is celebrated on 15th August annually. It is a national festival of India. Independence Day is a celebration of freedom achieved by India. India got freedom on 15th August 1947. It is a festival for every citizen of India. On this day in the year 1947, India became independent from British colonial rule. The Prime Minister of our country hoists our national flag on the Red Fort on this occasion. This day we celebrate by unfurling the flag, singing the national anthem, remembering our freedom fighters, etc. It is a day of merriment for every Indian.

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