

LESSON - 13

TENSES

Exercise 1 - Fill in the blanks with the correct option from the verbs given in the brackets.

- a. My mother is (be/is) a teacher.
- b. Jhelum paints (paint/paints) a better picture than sangeeta.
- c. We want (want/wants) the best team to win.
- d. Amit never goes (go/goes) to school on time.
- e. I am (am/are) never late for breakfast.
- f. They are (is/are) very rude to their teacher.
- g. Milk is (is/are) good for health.
- h. Birds are (is/are) in their nests.

Exercise 2- Circle the correct option.

- a. Fishwrmen catch/ catches fish with their nets.

Ans. Catch

- b. She watches /watch television in the evening.

Ans. Watches

- c. My mother write/ writes to my aunt once a month.

Ans. Writes

- d. I is/am busy at work.

Ans. Am

- e. Manas leads/ lead a team of ten journalists.

Ams. Leads

- f. You should drink /drinks a lot of water.

Ans. Drink

- g. He throw / throws a party on Saturdays.

Ans. Throws

- h. Sleila listen/ listens to her father.

Ans. Listens

Exercise 3- Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

- a. She grows (grow) cabbages in their garden.
- b. Krishan makes (make) tea for his family.
- c. I love (love) to eat fruits.
- d. We play (play) football in the court.
- e. The tailor stitches (stitch) clothes.
- f. He sleeps (sleep) during the day.

Exercise 4- Look at the picture carefully complete the passage using the correct form of the verbs given in brackets.

Our family is on the beach in Goa .My father is sitting (sit) on a mat. He is eating (eat) a bun .My mother is sleeping (sleep)on a chair . Taruna and Taniya are playing (play). I am playing (build) a sandcastle .A boat is sailing (sail) in the sea.

Exercise- 5 Fill in the blanks with the present continuous form of the verbs given in the brackets.

- a. Mother is going to office .(go)
- b. I am washing my clothes .(wash)
- c. Dilip is getting late for school.(get)
- d. They are waiting for the truck.(wait)
- e. It is raining outside.(rain)
- f. We are praying for your safety .(pray)
- g. The typist is typing letters for his boss.(type)
- h. My sister is typing a book.(write)

COPY WORK

Q1. What is tense ?
place .

Ans. A tense tells us when an action has taken

Q 2. How many types of tenses are there ? Name them.

Ans. There are three types of tenses.

Present tense

Past tense

Future tenses