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Past or Present?

Cut out and read the sentences.

Decide if the sentences are past or present.

past

present

Extension: Organise the sentences into simple past, simple present, past progressive and present progressive.

simple past

simple present

past progressive

present progressive

Simple Past

Stig flew his red kite.

The crab walked sideways.

Klara spotted a large ship.

The boat sailed far away.

Past Progressive

The children were paddling in the sea.

The boys were building a sandcastle.

The fish was swimming in the rock pool.

The seaweed was floating on the sea.

Present Progressive

The seals are playing on the beach.

The gulls are searching for food.

Manu is collecting seashells.

The girl is digging around.

Simple Present

Manu goes to the beach every weekend.

The sharks return each year.

Emma packs her towel.

The tide comes in twice a day.

Challenge:

Add some of your own examples to each group.



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Turn over a verb card and then a tense card.

e.g. 'sleep' and 'past progressive'
Think of a sentence using the verb in the correct tense.

Verb cards

swim	talk	laugh	run
push	shout	play	see
cry	sleep	jump	made

Tense cards

simple	past	simple	present
past	progressive	present	progressive

