

Regular Verbs

Verbs tell what a subject **does** or **is**.

- Ben **yelled** at his sister.
- Jen **grabs** the rope.

There can be more than one verb in a sentence, a **main verb** and a **helping verb** (*is, was, are, were, did, would, can*).

- He **is waiting** for the bus.
- She **was writing** a letter.

An **action verb** is a word that tells an action.

- Sarah **climbs** the stairs.
- Beth **likes** watermelon.
- Andrew **thinks** about his party.

The **tense** of a verb tells **when** the action happens. This table explains the verb tenses.

Present Tense Verbs	Past Tense Verbs	Future Tense Verbs
Tell about an action that happens now	Tell about an action that already happened	Tell about an action that will happen
Add -s or -es to most verbs Sam collects rocks.	Add -ed to most verbs Sam collected rocks.	Add the helping verb will to most verbs Sam will collect verbs.

Fill in the missing verb in each column:

Present Tense Verbs	Past Tense Verbs	Future Tense Verbs
talk		will talk
	whispered	will whisper
yell	yelled	
shout		will shout
	shared	