

EXERCISE 4

Fill in the following blanks with correct tense (present) of the verbs given in brackets :

1. It outside for half an hour. (hail)
2. The storm since 4 O'clock. (howl)
3. I for the bus since morning. (wait)
4. Since when you in this school ? (read)
5. It not since midnight. (rain)
6. She midnight oil for five years. (burn)
7. I for the examination for one year. (prepare)
8. Malaria in this city since July. (rage)
9. How long you for me ? (wait)
10. The washerman our clothes since 1985. (wash)

EXERCISE 5

(Miscellaneous)

I. Fill in the blanks with correct present tense form of the verbs given in brackets :

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| 1. Water at 100°C. | (boil) |
| 2. We a hockey match tomorrow. | (play) |
| 3. your brother his account ? | (clear) |
| 4. The cattle in the field. | (graze) |
| 5. She meat several times. | (taste) |
| 6. You a losing game. | (play) |
| 7. Everybody with the rising sun. | (rise) |
| 8. They football for two hours. | (play) |

II. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs (present tense) given in brackets :

1. There (go) the bell !
2. If you not (obey), you will be punished.
3. you (go) for a walk daily ?
4. The players (warm) themselves up at the moment.
5. The train just (arrive).
6. Where you (put up) these days ?
7. He (not pass) his B.A. yet.
8. Asha (suffer) from fever since Monday.
9. He (wait) for me for the last three hours.
10. you (write) letters for one hour ?

CHAPTER 31: IRREGULAR VERBS

Verbs can be regular or irregular.

Regular verbs form their past tense and past participle by adding *ed*.

<i>Base Form</i>	<i>Past Tense</i>	<i>Past Participle</i>
walk	walked	walked
laugh	laughed	laughed
paint	painted	painted

Irregular verbs form their past tense and past participle in a different way from adding *ed*.

<i>Base Form</i>	<i>Past Tense</i>	<i>Past Participle</i>
sit	sat	sat
ring	rang	rung
come	came	come
cut	cut	cut

We distinguish three types of irregular verbs:

- (1) Verbs in which all three forms are the same (e.g. cut - cut - cut)
 - (2) Verbs in which two of the three forms are the same (e.g. sit - sat - sat)
 - (3) Verbs in which all three forms are different (e.g. ring - rang - rung)
- Below is a list of irregular verbs divided into the three types mentioned above. Some of them can also be regular. In such cases the regular forms are also given.

Type (1) – All three forms are the same; as,

<i>Base Form</i>	<i>Past Tense</i>	<i>Past Participle</i>
bet	bet	bet
burst	burst	burst
cost	cost	cost
cut	cut	cut
hit	hit	hit
hurt	hurt	hurt
let	let	let
put	put	put
read	read	read
set	set	set
shut	shut	shut
split	split	split
spread	spread	spread

Type (2) – Two of the forms are the same; as,

<i>Base Form</i>	<i>Past Tense</i>	<i>Past Participle</i>
beatbeat	beaten	become
become	became	bent
bend	bent	bled
bleed	bled	bred
breed	bred	brought
bring	brought	built
build	built	burnt/burned
burn	burnt/burned	

buy
catch
come
creep
deal
dig
dream
feed
feel
fight
find
get
hang
have
hear
hold
keep
lay
lead
lean
learn
leap
leave
lend
light
lose
make
mean
meet
pay
run
say
sell
send
shine
shoot
sit
sleep
smell
spell
spend
spill
speed
spell
spit
spoil
stand
stick
sting
strike
sweep
swing
teach
tell
think
understand
win
wind

bought
caught
came
crept
dealt
dug
dreamt/dreamed
fed
felt
fought
found
got
hung
had
heard
held
kept
laid
led
lent/leaned
learnt/learned
leapt/leaped
left
lent
lit
lost
made
meant
met
paid
ran
said
sold
sent
shone
shot
sat
slept
smelt/smelled
spelt
spent
spilt/spilled
sped
spelt/spelled
spat
spoilt/spoiled
stood
stuck
stung
struck
swept
swung
taught
told
thought
understood
won
wound

bought
caught
come
crept
dealt
dug
dreamt/dreamed
fed
felt
fought
found
got
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had
heard
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laid
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lent/leaned
learnt/learned
leapt/leaped
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meant
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paid
run
said
sold
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shone
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sat
slept
smelt/smelled
spelt
spent
spilt/spilled
sped
spelt/spelled
spat
spoilt/spoiled
stood
stuck
stung
struck
swept
swung
taught
told
thought
understood
won
wound

Type (3) - All three forms are different; as,

<i>Base Form</i>	<i>Past Tense</i>	<i>Past Participle</i>
be	was/were	been
begin	began	begun
bite	bit	bitten
blow	blew	blown
break	broke	broken
choose	chose	chosen
do	did	done
draw	drew	drawn
drink	drank	drunk
drive	drove	driven
eat	ate	eaten
fall	fell	fallen
fly	flew	flown
forbid	forbade	forbidden
forget	forgot	forgotten
forgive	forgave	forgiven
freeze	froze	frozen
give	gave	given
go	went	gone
grow	grew	grown
hide	hid	hidden
know	knew	known
lie	lay	lain
mistake	mistook	mistaken
ride	rode	ridden
ring	rang	rung
rise	rose	risen
see	saw	seen
sew	sewed	sewn/sewed
shake	shook	shaken
show	showed	shown
shrink	shrank	shrunk
sing	sang	sung
sink	sank	sunk
speak	spoke	spoken
spring	sprang	sprung
steal	stole	stolen
stink	stank	stunk
swear	swore	sworn
swim	swam	swum
take	took	taken
tear	tore	torn
throw	threw	thrown
wake	woke	woken
wear	wore	worn
write	wrote	written

CLASS - VII

ENGLISH HOLIDAY HOME WORK.

1. Eng. Literature - Revise the 1st Chapter. Learn the spellings and word-meanings. Practise the quest- and answers.
2. Comprehension Book :
Complete Comprehension No: 1 and 2 in the book only.
3. Eng. Language : Practise 1. TENSES and ADJECTIVES and Degrees of Comparison.

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