



Tenses and Signal Words

present simple

always, every, never, normally, often, seldom, sometimes, usually

present continuous

at the moment, just, just now, now, right now, Listen!, Look!, currently, presently

present perfect

already, ever, just, never, not yet, so far, till now, up to now, for how long...?

present perfect continuous

all day, for four years, since 1993, how long?, the whole week

past simple

yesterday, two minutes ago, in 1979, the other day, last Friday, last week, ...ago

past perfect

already, just, never, not yet, once, until that day

past perfect continuous

for, since, the whole day, all day

past continuous

while, as long as, when, as

future (going to)

in one year, next week, tomorrow

future simple (will)

in one year, next, tomorrow, if, think, probably, perhaps

future continuous (will be)

in one year, next week, tomorrow

future perfect (will have been)

by Monday, in one week, in five years

future perfect continuous

for....., the last couple of hours, all day long



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