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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- every
- never
- normally
- often
- seldom
- sometimes
- usually

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

**Past Perfect**
- already
- just
- never
- not yet
- until that day

- for
- since
- the whole day
- all day

**Past Continuous**
- while
- as long as

- all day
- for four years
- since 1993
- how long?

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- just
- just now
- now
- right now
- Listen!
- Look!
- currently
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- already
- ever / never
- just
- not yet
- so far / till now
- up to now
- for how long...?

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- in five years