

Tenses revision

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Name: _____ Datum: _____

1 Name the tense.

Simple / progressive; present / past / future; perfect forms with have.

- a) She has been working here since May.
- b) By 2030 the bridge will have been finished.
- c) They had left before we arrived.
- d) I am seeing the doctor tomorrow.
- e) He was reading when the phone rang.
- f) Water freezes at zero degrees.

2 Fill in the correct tense.

Two actions in the past — the earlier one in the past perfect. Duration up to now — present perfect (progressive). Visible future — going to. Ongoing at a future point — future progressive.

- a) When I ... (arrive) at the station, the train ... (already / leave).
- b) She ... (study) English for six years now and still ... (make) the same mistakes.
- c) Look at the sky — it ... (rain) any minute.
- d) This time next week we ... (lie) on the beach.
- e) I ... (never / see) such a bad film before I ... (watch) this one.
- f) He ... (work) in the garden all morning, that's why he is so tired.

3 Correct the mistakes and explain in a few words.

Typical German interference: seit -> for/since with present perfect; no will after when/if; state verbs without -ing.

- a) I know him since ten years.
- b) When she was young, she has lived in Rome.
- c) I will call you when I will arrive.
- d) He is knowing the answer.
- e) We have gone to the cinema yesterday.

4 Write a paragraph (eight sentences) about a place you know well: how it used to be, how it has changed, how it is now and how it will be in ten years.

used to, past perfect, present perfect, present simple, present progressive, will / going to, future perfect

- a) Use at least six different tenses and mark them.