

VERB-TENSE REVIEW

This matrix is designed for class use. Each student or group of students is assigned a column (from A to G) and must reply to questions deriving from the numbered list. Initially the questions will be asked by the teacher, but as soon as the pattern is established and understood, a student can take over the inquisition.

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		A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	You live in:	Austin	Delhi	Agra	New York	London	Mumbai	Jaipur
2	You speak:	English, Hindi, Spanish	Hindi, English Gujarati	Hindi, Punjabi, Urdu	English, Hindi	Hindi, Punjabi, English	Marathi, Hindi, English	Hindi, Gujarati, English
3	You study at university:	languages	history इतिहास m.	science विज्ञान m.	math गणित m.	science & languages	geography भूगोल m.	history & English
4	Since when?	1 year	2 years	6 months	6 weeks	10 years	Monday	1.5 years
5	You have a job in/at:	shop	library	friend's office दफ्तर m.	pharmacy	hotel	govt (सरकारी) office	clothes shop
6	You work:	evenings	Sat-Sun nights	Monday evenings	Tuesday mornings	Saturdays	daily 08.00-10.00	twice a week
7	When you'll marry:	not now at least	in the summer	next year	after 2 years	never	next month	when parents say
8	Right now you're:	reading	watching TV	cooking	cleaning house	writing a letter	resting	eating
9	An hour ago you were:	listening to music	talking to someone	sleeping	dreaming about India	driving the car	studying Hindi	watching a movie
10	What you like doing:	watching Hindi movies	traveling	meeting friends	being alone	writing poetry	reading	playing chess शतरंज m.
11	You need:	more money	bigger house	husband/wife	new teacher	new car	passport	more time
12	You want to:	live in India	learn Spanish	buy an apartment फ्लैट	stay right here	sell car	buy car	sleep
13	Today, you have:	watched TV	cooked food	bought some stuff	phoned someone	drunk liquor	driven car	gone to library
14	When will you:	go to India?	buy a new car?	visit your parents?	give me a present?	invite your friends over?	teach me Marathi?	stop working?
15	Last week, you:	saw a film	went to a wedding	wrote 10 letters	bought a new computer	gave a friend a present	sang a song	read a novel
16	Yesterday you saw:	a ghost भूत m.	a cute dog	a very bad movie	your neighbor's new car	a new clothes shop	a beautiful lake	3 monkeys in garden
17	2 days ago you bought:	1 bicycle	2 bottles of milk	3 newspapers	4 books	5 kurtas	6 saris	7 chairs
18	Today you will make:	Indian food	pizza for some friends	pakorras पकोड़ा m.	something for yourself	lots of things	some light food	nothing at all
19	Outside:	children are playing	a radio is playing	someone is singing	kids are making a noise	it's raining	two people are shouting	a man's speaking Hindi
20	After one hour you'll:	go out	read the news	write a story	clean the room	phone a friend	buy a newspaper	go to meet someone
21	Today you got up:	at 5.00 o' clock	at 7.00 o' clock	with difficulty	late	early	neither late nor early	at the right time
22	Tonight you'll sleep:	at 11.00 o' clock	at midnight	well	the whole night	after finishing work	in the upstairs room	in the car
23	Your brother may have:	gone home	sold his house	made coffee	arrived late	asked some questions	made a movie	bought a picture

