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Past, Present, and Future Tenses

Directions Identify the tense of each underlined verb. Write *past*, *present*, or *future*.

1. A play differs from a story in several ways. _____
2. Stories have narrative and description. _____
3. Plays consist almost entirely of dialogue. _____
4. Shakespeare wrote some wonderful plays. _____
5. Who were other great playwrights? _____
6. One day I will act on the stage. _____
7. Meanwhile, my dad encourages me. _____
8. He tells me I have great stage presence. _____
9. Once I took a drama class. _____
10. We performed *A Charlie Brown Christmas*. _____

Directions Rewrite each sentence twice. First, change the underlined verb to past tense. Then change it to future tense.

11. Hot air balloons are a unique way to fly.

Past: _____

Future: _____

12. We go on a ride in a hot air balloon.

Past: _____

Future: _____

13. The houses and cars below us look like toys.

Past: _____

Future: _____



Home Activity Your child reviewed past, present, and future tenses. With your child, list verbs that describe what your family does each day. Challenge your child to write the present, past, and future tenses of the verbs and use them in sentences.