

12 ENGLISH TENSES

WHEN TO USE TENSES

Match tenses to their usage.

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| 1 Present Simple | A actions happening now |
| 2 Past Simple | B actions in progress at a specific time in the past |
| 3 Future Simple | C actions which had finished by the specific time in the future |
| 4 Present Continuous | D on-the-spot decisions |
| 5 Past Continuous | E to emphasize the duration of past action which started and finished in the past before another past action |
| 6 Future Continuous | F actions started in the past and continuing at up present |
| 7 Present Perfect | G repeated actions |
| 8 Past Perfect | H finished past actions |
| 9 Future Perfect | I to emphasize the duration of action up to a specific time in the future. |
| 10 Present Perfect Continuous | J finished actions which have a present result |
| 11 Past Perfect Continuous | K actions which had finished by the specific time in the past |
| 12 Future Perfect Continuous | L actions in progress at a specific time in the future |

Fill in the table with the right answers:

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ANSWERS

1. G.
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12. I.