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Tenses: Exercises:

**Exercise 1 – Identify the type of tenses**

Go through the sentences provided below and identify the type of tenses.

1. Damon drinks coffee every morning.
2. The boy got up late and missed the bus.
3. My mother goes to pray in the temple.
4. The team is playing very well.
5. The school will be closed for winter break.
6. Leonard graduated from college last year.
7. Sam was going to school.
8. When I went there, Bucky was playing video games.
9. I will move to Delhi soon.
10. Mr Samuel will be staying in New York next week.

**Exercise 2 – Change the tense**

Go through the sentences and change their tenses as directed.

1. The boy speaks the truth. (Present Continuous Tense)
2. The boat sailed yesterday. (Simple Present Tense)
3. Amy went to school yesterday. ( Future Continuous Tense)
4. Dev saw the Prime Minister yesterday. (Future Continuous Tense)
5. Priya shall finish her stitching by then. (Future Perfect Tense)

**Exercice 3 :**

1. What does he do? He (teach) Spanish in a secondary school.   
  
2. I (write) an essay right now.

3. Someone knocked on the door while they (have) breakfast.   
  
4. Her lips are trembling, look, she (cry) in a minute.   
  
5. My brother (work) in that firm since November 2008.   
  
6. This orange (taste) bitter! don't eat it.   
  
7. You are very lazy! That is sure, you (get) bad marks for the next exam.   
  
8. I (talk) to him the day before yesterday.   
  
  
9. I (stay) at home tonight.