

MORE PRACTICE

N. Circle the correct verbs in the boxes to complete these sentences.

1. Each child **has** **have** been given a task to complete in one hour.
2. Nobody **have** **has** been asked to leave the laboratory yet.
3. Neither of the boys **have** **has** completed their projects.
4. Each of these flowers **have** **has** been picked from the garden. They had fallen the tree.
5. Everyone **has** **have** been told to bring their favourite storybooks to class.
6. None of the shops **sell** **sells** musical instruments.
7. Each one of these boys **are** **is** able to play the sitar.
8. **Is** **Are** anybody willing to help me carry this trunk up the stairs?
9. Everybody **were** **was** asked to leave the tarmac before the plane landed.
10. Each artist of the art college **paint** **paints** a picture for the annual art ex
11. Nobody **were** **was** aware that the front door of the house was open,
12. Every house **have** **has** been given a fresh coat of paint.

P. Complete the following dialogues with the correct forms of the verbs.

ANNA: Daddy, can I join the sports club? **joined** **join**

FATHER: Which activities does the club offer? **offer** **offering**

ANNA: The members can play volleyball, cricket, tennis and **played**
also use the swimming pool and the gym. **used** **use**

FATHER: Which sport would you like to take up? **took** **take**

ANNA: I am learning to play tennis in school. I want to **learning** **learnt**
learn swimming. **learn** **learnt**

I would also like to use the gym. **use** **used**

FATHER: How will you find **found** **find** the time to do so much?

ANNA: I am planning **planned** **planning** to go to the club only on the
weekends.

FATHER: Good! I will pay **paying** **pay** the fee by this weekend. Y

start going **go** **going** to the club from next week.

Q. Fill in the blanks with the correct forms of the verbs in the boxes.

- 1. In the morning, the curator realized that a painting had been stolen from the museum. **steal**
- 2. The sun had risen before we reached the top of the hill. **rise**
- 3. Mrs Singh spoke to Mrs Paul about giving clothes to an NGO called Seedlings. **speak**
- 4. We forgot to wish Nancy on her birthday. **forget**
- 5. Stephen Hawking had overcome many obstacles to become a great scientist. **overcome**
- 6. All the birds seem to have flown from their nests. **fly**
- 7. Vijay threw the ball over the hedge to the boys. **throw**
- 8. The vase had broken when it slipped and fell from my hand. **break**
- 9. As the years went by, the colt became a strong horse. **become**
- 10. We were not told to have a bath with cold water during winter. **tell** Add 'were'
- 11. No one had foreseen that snow would block all the roads to Nainital. **foresee**
- 12. Hasan had frozen with fear when he saw a huge elephant near his hut. **freeze**

R. Tick the correct verbs. ✓

- 1. A black woollen coat _____ on the peg. **hanged** **hung** **hang**
- 2. Arun had drawn a beautiful picture of a leopard.
drew **drawn** **draw**
- 3. Our church choir is singing many hymns on Christmas eve.
singing **sing** **sang**
- 4. Anmol could not wear the shirt. It had shrunk
shrank **shrink** **shrunk**
- 5. The table has been laid for breakfast. **lay** **laid** **laying**
- 6. Those machines have been lying idle since the factory closed down.
lay **lie** **lying**
- 7. The sun shone brightly on the day of the picnic.
shining **shone** **shine**
- 8. The bees stung the boy when he tried to touch the hive.
stinging **sting** **stung**
- 9. Manoj rang the school bell this morning. **rings** **rang** **ringin**
- 10. We see many interesting sights in Mumbai. **saw** **seen** **see**

11. I drew a picture of a snake in my book. draw drew drawn

12. Jayesh yelled with joy when he heard that he had won the first prize.
yell is yelling yelled

S. Complete this dialogue with the correct verbs.

LALITA: I want to be a pilot when I grow grown grow up.

My father can also fly fly flown planes.

VINEET: I think the most exciting job must be that of a ship's captain.

It must be tough to steer steer steered

the ship through a storm.

LATA: When I grow up I want to be a diver. I want to

dive dive dived deep into the Indian

Ocean and discover discovered discover

treasures that might have sink sink sunk

to the ocean bed centuries ago!

VINAY: I want to be an engine driver and drive drive driving across the

country. My uncle is an engine driver. He has driven drive driven

almost every part of the country.



TENSES