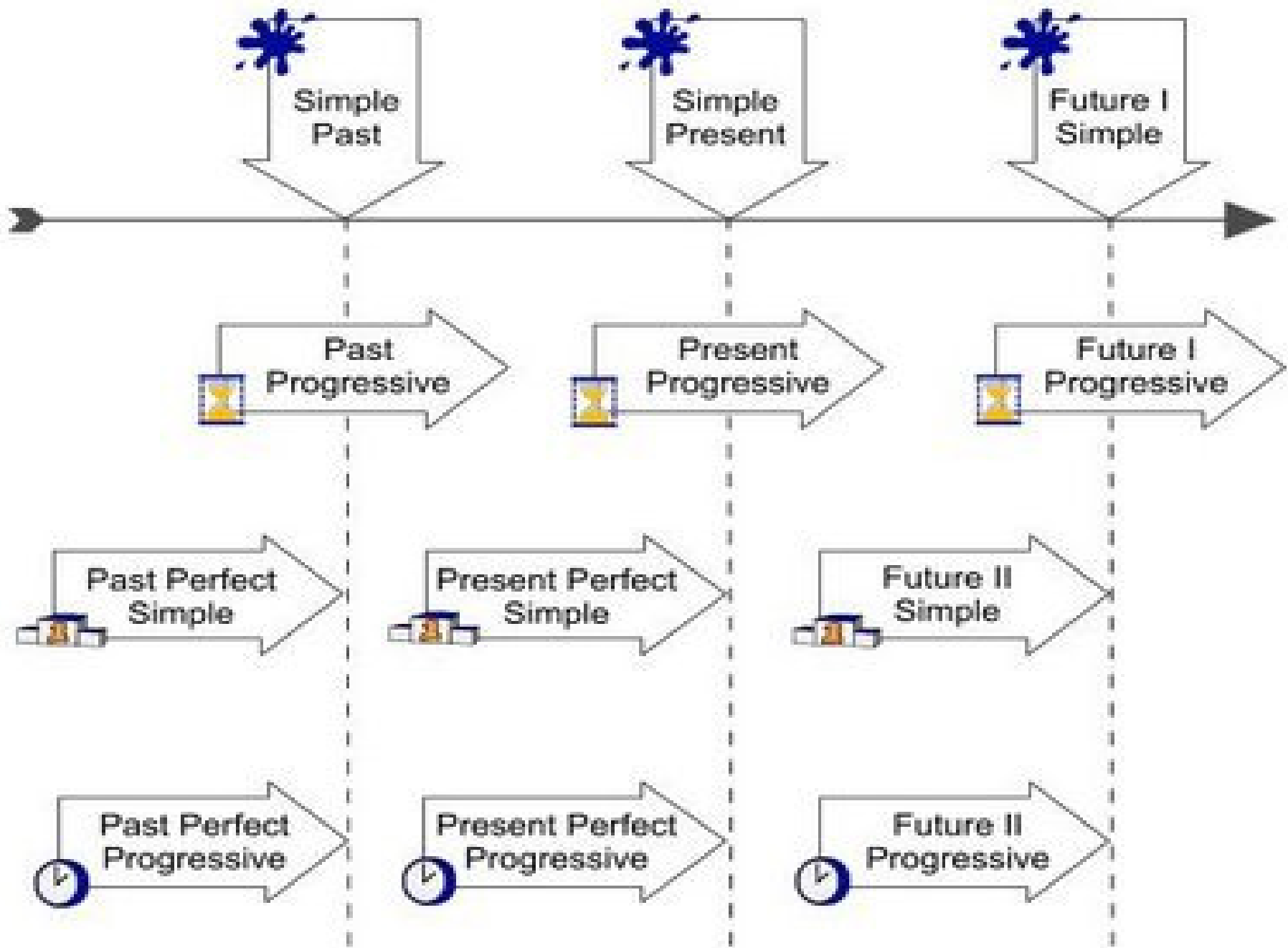


# TENSES-ii

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# Simple Present (Present Indefinite)

If the subject is

**First person singular/plural; I, we.**

**Subject + V1 + object**

Examples:

1. I write a letter.
2. We read newspaper.
3. I eat an apple.
4. We watch T.V. programmes.

# Simple Present (Negative)

**If the subject is**

**First person singular/plural; I, we.**

**Subject + do not + V1 + object**

Examples:

1. I do not write a letter.
2. We do not read newspaper.
3. I do not eat apple.
4. We do not watch T.V. programmes.

# Simple Present (INTERROGATIVE)

**If the subject is**

**First person singular/plural; I, we.**

**Do + Subject + V1 + object**

Examples:

1. Do I write a letter?
2. Do We read newspaper?
3. Do I eat an apple?
4. Do We watch T.V. programmes?

# Simple Present (Present Indefinite)

If the subject is

**Second person singular/plural; you.**

**Subject + V1 + object**

Examples:

1. You hit him with a ball.
2. You play hockey.
3. You go for a walk.

# Simple Present (Negative)

If the subject is

**Second person singular/plural; you.**

**Subject + do not + V1 + object**

Examples:

1. You do not hit him with a ball.
2. You do not play hockey.
3. You do not go for a walk.

# Simple Present (INTERROGATIVE)

If the subject is

Second person singular/plural; you.

Do + Subject + V1 + object

Examples:

1. Do you hit him with a ball?
2. Do you play hockey?
3. Do you go for a walk?



# Simple Present (Present Indefinite)

If the subject is

**Third person plural (They, plural names)**

**Subject + V1 + object**

Examples

1. They **play** football.
2. They **cook** food.
3. Baljeet and Manjeet **check** the papers.
4. Navneet and Ravneet **bake** cakes.

# Simple Present (NEGATIVE)

**If the subject is**

**Third person plural (They, plural names)**

**Subject + do not + V1 + object**

Examples

1. They do not **play** football.
2. They do not **cook** food.
3. Baljeet and Manjeet do not **check** the papers.
4. Navneet and Ravneet do not **bake** cakes.

# **Simple Present (INTERROGATIVE)**

**If the subject is**

**Third person plural (They, plural names)**

**Do + Subject + V1 + object**

Examples

1. Do they play football?
2. Do they cook food?
3. Do Baljeet and Manjeet check the papers?
4. Do Navneet and Ravneet bake cakes?

# Simple Present (Present Indefinite)

**If the subject is**

**Third person singular (He, She, It, name)**

**Subject + V1+ s/es + object**

**Examples**

1. She goes to school daily.
2. He loves painting.
3. Swami solves the sums.
4. It rains heavily.

# Simple Present (NEGATIVE)

- Use of **does not**
  - Third person singular (He, She, It)
  - Examples
    - She does not ***go*** to school daily.
    - He does not ***love*** painting.
    - Swami does not ***solve*** the sums.
    - It does not ***rain*** heavily.

# Simple Present (INTERROGATIVE)

If the subject is

Third person singular (He, She, It, name)

**Does + Subject + V1 + Object**

Examples

- Does she go to school daily.
- Does he love painting.
- Does swami solve the sums.
- Does it rain heavily.

# Specific Cases

- Used in **specific** cases also
  - To express a **habitual** action

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# Habitual Action

He *goes* for a *walk*.

He always **speaks**  
the truth.

He never **tells** a lie.





# Habitual Action

They *play*  
football daily.

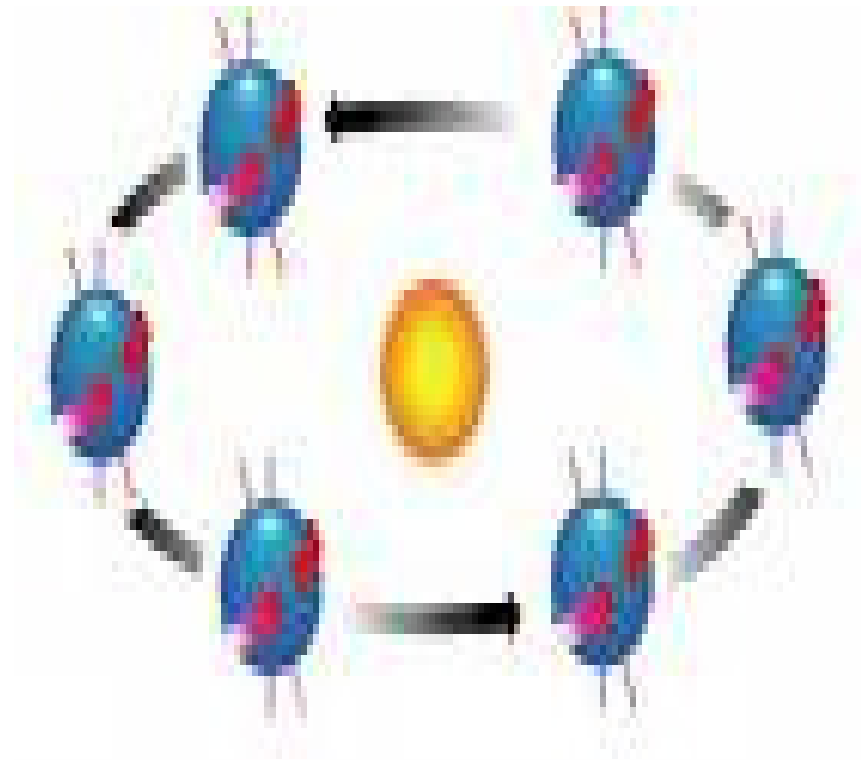


# Specific Cases

–To express a **Universal truth**

# Universal truth

The earth  
**moves**  
around the sun.



# Universal truth

1. The sun **rises** in the east.
2. The sun **sets** in the west.



# Specific Cases

- To quote authors
  - Keats *says*, “A thing of beauty is a joy for ever.”
  - Pope *writes*, “A little knowledge is a dangerous thing.”

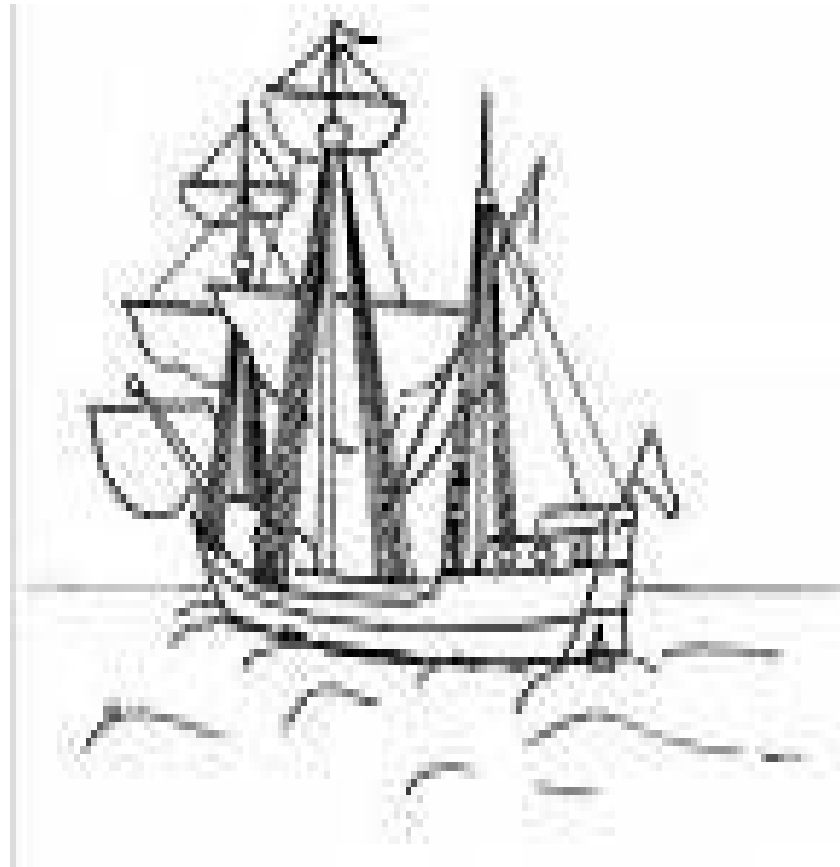


# Specific Cases

- To express a future event which is already arranged

# Future Event

The ship *sails* for  
England next  
week.



# Future Event

The meeting *starts*  
at 10:00 am.





# Conditional sentences

1. If you *work* hard, you will pass.
2. If he **runs** fast he can catch the train.
3. If she **dances** well she will get a prize.

# Specific Cases

If I *go* to Delhi,  
I shall bring a  
camera for you.



# Specific Cases

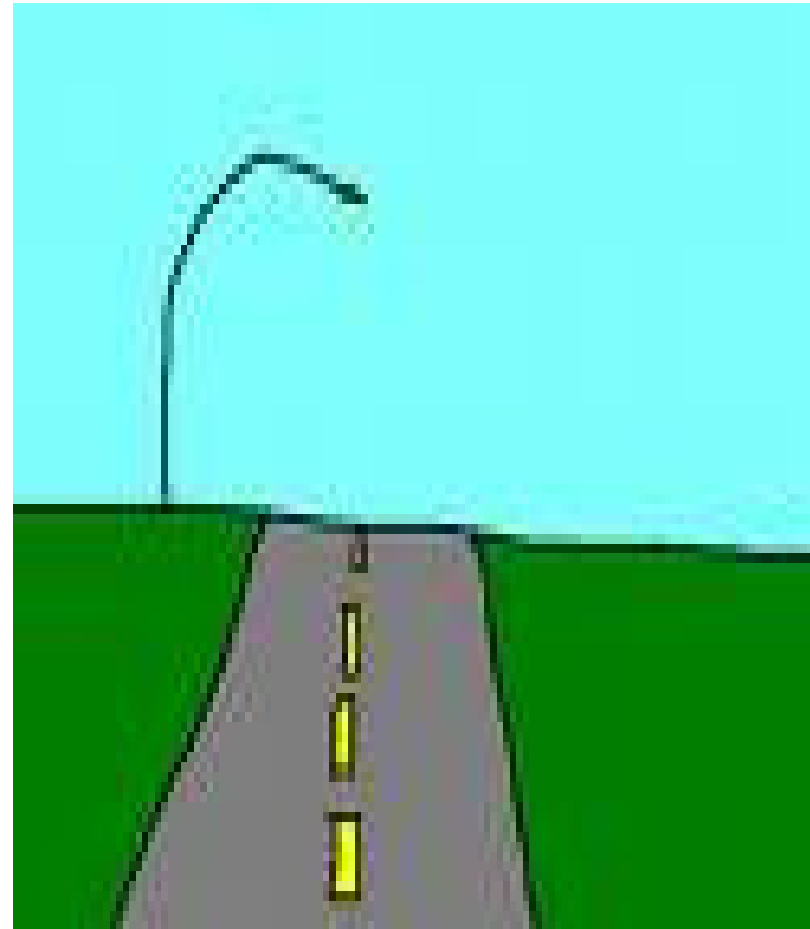
- To express the **past tense** in narrating **past events** in an exciting or a vivid manner
  - The plane *takes* off. Suddenly a young man in black clothes *rushes* into the cockpit. He *carries* a revolver in his hand. Two more young men and a young girl *appears* on the scene with rifles in their hands. They *shout*:  
“Hands up or we shall shoot.”

# Specific Cases

- To express a situation or a fact that is permanent.

# Permanent Fact

This road *leads*  
to Delhi



# Permanent Fact

The Taj *stands*  
on the bank of  
Yamuna



# Simple Past (Past Indefinite)

- Formed by using the **Second form** of the verb.
- Subject + V2 + object

# Simple Past

The teacher  
*punished*  
the student.





# Simple Past

He *stole* his  
purse.



# Simple Past

- Negative sentences
  - Subject + **Did not** + V1 + Object
  - Example
    - She *did not attend* the class
    - You *did not help* me.

# Simple Past

- In case of **interrogative** Sentences
  - **Did** + Subject + **V1** + Object + ?
  - Example
    - **Did** you **go** to market yesterday?
    - **Did** she **finish** her work in time?

# Specific Cases

- Used in **specific** cases also
  - To express an **action completed in the Past** with reference to the time of speaking

# Specific Cases

- I *met* my teacher in the park yesterday.
- We *visited* Jaipur last year.

# Specific Cases

- To express a **habitual** or **regular action** in the past.
  - When he was in school, he always **stood** first in the class.
  - I **visited** the temple every evening to offer my prayers.

# Specific Cases

- To express an event which occurred at a particular point in the past.
  - Baird **invented** the television.
  - A truck **hit** the car and **killed** its driver.

# Specific Cases

- To express an action which occupied a period of time in the past, but has ended now.
- He **worked** for eight hours.
- I **stayed** at Shimla with my uncle for ten days.



