

Topic: Tenses

The term 'Tense' denotes the form of a verb which shows the time at which an action happened. So, the tense shows two things :

(i)the time of the action(ii) state expressed by the verb.

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs given in the brackets.

1. The police..... four thieves last night, (catch)
2. I was..... food when he came in. (cook)
3. It..... at 9 o'clock, (rain)
4. I certainly..... my colleague if I had been there, (help)
5. Stars..... in the sky at night, (twinkle)
6. All the students..... the classwork when the teacher came in. (do)
7. Mahesh..... tomorrow from Patna, (come)
8. The patient..... before the doctor came, (die)
9. I saw that the policemen..... the thieves, (chase)
- 10.He is a very rude person, I him. (not help)
11. Arjun (be) a good friend of Lord Krishna
12. He never (want) to fight with his brother Duryodhan.
13. It was Krishna who (inspire) Arjun by giving him Upadesas of Gita.
14. Arjun (bow) before his Guru and then he started fighting.
15. The Mahabharata (write) by Ved Vyasji.
16. The Mahabharata (be) an epic.
17. Mrs Talwar (live) in a village.
18. She (be) three children.
19. Her hobby.....(be) singing and praying in solitude.
20. She (love) to look after the poor children.
21. She (be) a staunch devotee of Lord Krishna.

A new study has (a) (find) that birds living in cities (b)
(be) larger brains while species with smaller brains (c) (find) almost
exclusively in rural locations. Researchers at Sweden's Uppsala University (d)
..... (look) at 82 bird species in central. European cities and in the surrounding
countryside and (e) (found) that birds with relatively large brains, such as
crows and magpies (f) (inhabit) urban areas.

Peddacheppalli (a) (become) a habitation after Pakistani Kapu brothers who
(b) (come) from Northern India, (c) (cut) down a forest and
(d) (level) it, and hence the village (e) (name)

Peddacheppalli after the eldest of the brothers. Sage Agastya (f) (live) here for some time.