

## 12 Verb Tenses

<u>Tenses</u>	<u>Examples</u>
Present	I <i>work</i> . Jill <i>works</i> .
Past	John <i>worked</i> on the lawn.
Future	You <i>will work</i> overtime
Present perfect	Gail <i>has worked</i> hard on the puzzle. They <i>have worked</i> hard on the puzzle.
Past perfect	They <i>had worked</i> eight hours before their shift ended.
Future perfect	The volunteers <i>will have worked</i> many days.
Present progressive	I <i>am not working</i> today. You <i>are working</i> the night shift. The washing machine <i>is working</i> today.
Past progressive	She <i>was working</i> outside. The plumbers <i>were working</i> here earlier.
Future progressive	The DVD player <i>will be working</i> by tonight.
Present perfect progressive	Married life <i>has not been working</i> for them.
Past perfect progressive	I <i>had been working</i> overtime until recently.
Future perfect progressive	My sister <i>will have been working</i> at the mall for 11 months by the time she takes her vacation next week.