

Grammar Homework 03.12.2021

Please complete the page below all about the present and past progressive verb forms. You can write your answers into your homework book.

Present and Past Progressive

To write about something that's **still happening**, use the **present form of 'to be'** plus the **main verb with 'ing' on the end**. This is called the **present progressive**.

are / am / is + verb + ing → Chloe is chatting.

The **past progressive** is formed like the present progressive, but **'to be'** has to be in the **past tense**. → Leo was frying an egg.

- 1 Cross out the incorrect words to form the past progressive tense.

We (are / is / were) (plant / planting / plants) seeds.

I (am / was / were) (looking / look / looks) for my dad.

He (is / were / was) (ride / ridden / riding) a horse.

- 2 Form the present and past progressive by using the correct form of 'to be' and the 'ing' form of each verb.

verb	present progressive tense	past progressive tense
to go	Bob out.	Bob out.
to win	We the race.	We the race.
to drive	I to France.	I to France.
to shut	She a door.	She a door.
to knit	They hats.	They hats.

- 3 Write a sentence about what you were doing one hour ago.

"I can use the present and past progressive tenses."

