



## Past and present tense

### Grade 3 Verbs Worksheet

If the sentence is in the past tense, rewrite it in the present tense.  
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*Hint:  
Most verbs form their past tense  
by adding “-ed” to the end.  
call – called*

1. Lucy plays the piano.

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2. They covered their ears.

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3. The players passed the ball around.

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4. We want to visit Chicago.

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5. You watch the cat sleeping.

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6. I colored the pumpkin orange.

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## Answers

1. Lucy plays the piano.  
Lucy **played** the piano.
2. They covered their ears.  
They **cover** their ears.
3. The players passed the ball around.  
The players **pass** the ball around.
4. We want to visit Chicago.  
We **wanted** to visit Chicago.
5. You watch the cat sleeping.  
You **watched** the cat sleeping.
6. I colored the pumpkin orange.  
I **color** the pumpkin orange.