

Time expressions for tenses

	Simple	Continuous	Perfect	Perfect Continuous
Present	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> every day/ week/ month/year every Monday/Tuesday/Friday every July/march/ April every Christmas/easter every summer/winter/fall every once in a while every now and then on Sundays/ Tuesdays on weekends once a day/week/ month/ twice a week/month 3-4 times a day/ week/ daily/weekly/monthly/annually <p>Adverbs of frequency Always, usually, normally/generally, frequently/often, Sometimes, occasionally, regularly seldom, rarely, hardly ever never</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> now right now at the moment in this moment today tonight this morning/noon this week/ year/ this Monday/ this June/ July this summer these days nowadays currently as we speak <p>Clue verbs Look! Listen! Hush! Watch out!</p>	<p>Period of time 1. for 2 hours/ days/ weeks/ years/ decades/ centuries/ages</p> <p>Point in the time 2. since 1998/July/ yesterday/ last week/ Monday/2 years ago/ Christmas/ this morning</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> recently lately once/ twice in my life so far <p>Adverbs Already, always, just, still, yet (-, ?), never, ever</p>	<p>How long Period of time 1. for 2 hours/ days/ weeks/ years/</p> <p>Point in the time 2. since 1998/July/ yesterday/ last week/ Monday</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> all day long all morning/all my life the whole day/ week/ month/year
Past	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> yesterday yesterday morning/ noon/ the day before yesterday last night/ week/ month/ year las weekend/ decade/century last Sunday/ Monday last July/ march/ April last Christmas/ easter/ carnival last summer/ winter/ fall 5 minutes/ hours/ days/ months ago in 1980/ 2016 when I was born When I was a child 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> at that time at that moment at 5 p.m. yesterday at half past 3 yesterday at 6pm the whole evening all day that morning/ day/ year/ month <p>Conjunctions 9. when-S Past-PC. 10. while-PC-PC</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> by the time before before today after as soon as until since 2012 never 	<p>How long Period of time 1. for 2 hours/ days/ weeks/ years/</p> <p>For a long time/for a while</p> <p>Point in the time 2. since 1998/July/ yesterday</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> all day long all morning/all my life by before after
Future	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> tomorrow tomorrow morning/noon/ evening the day after tomorrow next week/month/year next Monday/Tuesday/ Friday next July/ April / may next summer/ winter next Christmas/easter tonight this morning/ noon/ evening Later this evening in an hour/ in a week/ month in 2029/ in 20 years/ in June soon/ eventually in the future/ in a near future way off in the future 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> at this time tomorrow at 5 p.m. tomorrow at this moment next year/ July/ Monday/ summer/ Christmas this time tomorrow/ week/ year in 2 weeks' time in 5 years' time in 2029/ in 20 years/ soon/ eventually in the future/ in a near future way off in the future 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> by tomorrow by next week/month/ year by this time tomorrow by this time next week/ month/ year by the time by 2060 by the time I leave in 20 years before when 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> by tomorrow by next week/month/ year by this time tomorrow by this time next week/ month/ year By six o'clock For an hour/ for 5 years for two days by Saturday for two hours by then. In July next year