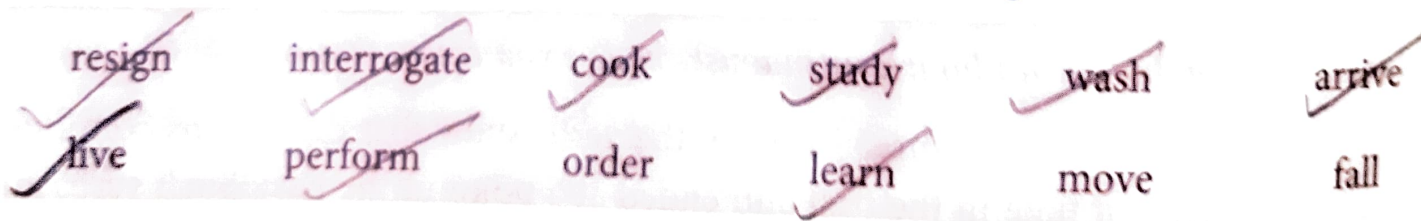


2. Identify the tense of the underlined verbs in the following sentences. Write *SP* for Simple Past, *PC* for Past Continuous, *PP* for Past Perfect and *PPC* Past Perfect Continuous tense.

- (a) Megha had challenged Sulagna to speak the tongue-twister. PP
- (b) The team scored five goals in the last match. SP
- (c) The scientists had been researching on black holes since 2002. PPC
- (d) My brother was explaining the concept to her. PC
- (e) I went to the bank yesterday and submitted the cheque. SP, SP
- (f) Kiara had read the contract before she signed it. PP, SP
- (g) I did not go with them as I was feeling feverish. PP, PC
- (h) They bought a new refrigerator as the old one had not been working since last week. SP, PPC

3. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs given in the box.



- (a) I was cooking dinner for the guests.
- (b) Manohar had arrived from Russia two days back.
- (c) Both Shalini and Aastha resigned from their jobs.
- (d) The police had been interrogating the man for five hours.
- (e) Aishwarya was performing when the chandelier arrived on the stage.

- (f) While the father was washing the clothes, the mother <sup>was</sup> cooking lunch.
- (g) Radhika had learnt Persian when she was studying in university.
- (h) Before I lived to Jaipur, I had been living in Surat for two years.

4. Complete the following sentences using appropriate verbs of the tense given in brackets.

- (a) I was laughing at his joke. (*Past Continuous*)
- (b) The nurse had put ointment on my wounds. (*Past Perfect*)
- (c) The girls won the trophy with pride in their eyes. (*Simple Past*)
- (d) Manasa had attended the music classes last year. (*Past Perfect*)
- (e) The teacher was checking all the papers throughout the night. (*Past Continuous*)
- (f) The principal had made the new rules in the beginning of the academic session. (*Past Perfect*)
- (g) The singers had been practicing for two weeks before they participated in the competition. (*Past Perfect Continuous, Simple Past*)
- (h) When Vaibhav arrived the restaurant, his friends had already gone for their homes. (*Simple Past, Past Perfect*)

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