



Tenses - Answer key 2

A. Write the correct tense in the blanks.

1. If they had awoken early, they would have caught the school bus.
2. How will they carry their luggage to the station?
3. Have you asked Rajath to be your science partner?
4. We should practice what we preach.
5. The soldier braved the flood and rescued them.
6. I climbed the ladder to fix the fan.

Let's Practise:

B. Write the past continuous tense to complete the sentences below.

1. In the summer, many tigers were playing in the water along the river banks.
2. Illegal hunters were targeting the malabar squirrels.
3. He was deciding where to go for his birthday.
4. When lightning struck the big banyan tree, we were hiding in the bus stop.
5. After learning more about farm animals, I was treating them more gently.

Exam Preparation Exercise:

D. Underline the sentences with the correct present continuous tense. Rewrite the sentences that are incorrect with their correct forms.



1. In the summer, many elephants are playing in the water along the river banks.
2. Illegal hunters will be targeting the malabar squirrels.
3. He is still deciding where to go for his birthday.
4. When lightning struck, we were sleeping safely inside the house.
5. After learning more about animals, I am treating them more kindly.
6. Sona is behaving very well.

Rewrite the sentences here:

1. In the summer, many elephants are found playing in the water along the river banks.
2. Illegal hunters are targeting the malabar squirrel.
4. When lightning strikes, we will be sleeping safely inside the house.

E. Complete the sentences with the correct future continuous tense.

deciding	playing	targeting	telling	borrowing
hiding	treating	forgetting	stopping	eating

1. In the summer, many tigers and elephants will be playing in the water along the river banks.
2. Illegal hunters will be targeting the endangered animals like the malabar squirrel.
3. He will be deciding where to go for his birthday.
4. When lightning strikes, we will be hiding inside the house.
5. After learning more about farm animals, I will be treating them more gently.