

Simple Present	Simple Past	Future
They ride the horses.	They rode the horses.	They will ride the horses.
She eats a snack.	She ate a snack.	She will eat a snack.
We cheer.	We cheered.	We will cheer.
My dog jumps.	My dog jumped.	My dog will jump.
He feeds the animals.	He fed the animals.	He will feed the animals.
The book costs \$5.00.	The book cost \$5.00.	The book will cost \$5.00.
The water freezes.	The water froze.	The water will freeze.
I learn the song.	I learned the song.	I will learn the song.
I run.	I ran.	I will run.

Instructions: print on cardstock and laminate. Cut cards apart. Show child how to place the title cards on a rug or table, then figure out which card goes beneath each title card.

There are many verb tenses; I chose three of the most common ones for this exercise. I also chose a mixture of regular verbs (jumps/jumped/jump) and irregular (freezes/froze/freeze) so that the child would get experience with each.