

Tenses exercise

Answer the following questions.

1. Which one of the following sentences is correct?

I saw John yesterday.

I have seen John yesterday.

I will see John yesterday.

2. Which of the following tenses are used to talk about recent actions that have present results?

present perfect and present continuous

present perfect and present perfect continuous

simple past and present perfect

3. Which one of the following tenses is used to talk about general truths?

Simple present

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Present continuous

Present perfect

4. Which one of the following tenses is used to talk about actions and events that are going on at around the time of talking?

Present continuous

Simple present

Present perfect

5. Which one of the following tenses are used to talk about actions and situations that started in the past and have continued up to the present?

present continuous

present perfect continuous

past continuous

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past perfect continuous

6. Which of the following sentences are grammatically correct?

I will have finished this job by next week.

I have finished this job by next week.

I have been finishing this job by next week.

Answers

1. I saw John yesterday.
2. Present perfect and present perfect continuous
3. Simple present tense
4. Present continuous tense
5. Present perfect continuous tense
6. I will have finished this job by next week.