

Past and present tense

Grade 3 Verbs Worksheet

If the sentence is in the past tense, rewrite it in the present tense. If the sentence is in the present tense, rewrite it in the past tense.

*Hint:
Most verbs form their
past tense by adding
“-ed” at the end.
call - called*

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Answers

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