

## **Correcting verb tenses**

Grade 5 Verbs Worksheet

Circle the incorrect sentence. Rewrite it correctly on the line below.

Verb tenses must be consistent with the meaning of the sentence.

- 1. (a.)My science teacher gived two tests last Friday.
  - b. My math teachers gives tests every Tuesday.
  - a. My science teacher gave two tests last Friday.
- 2. a. We goed to the store to buy my sister a birthday gift.
  - b. She goes to the bakery to pick out her cake.



- 3. a. Did you hear the news about the penguin at the zoo.
  - b. I heared that we could visit the new penguin exhibit this weekend.
- 4. a. The students keeped forgetting to turn in their homework.
  - b. The teacher keeps reminding them, but it doesn't help.
- 5. a. I leave school at 3:30 immediately after gym class.
  - b. My brother leaved school at 4:00 so he could catch his bus.
- 6. a. We lose every game we play against the team from New York.
  - b. We losed another game yesterday night.
- 7. a. My dad sayed we had to go to bed at 10:00.
  - b. My mom says we can stay up as late as we want.



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## **Answers**

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- 6. a. We lose every game we play against the team from New York.
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- 7. (a.) My dad <u>sayed</u> we had to go to bed at 10:00.
  - b. My mom says we can stay up as late as we want.
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