Tense Detective



Tick the box in each row to show which tense the sentence is written in.

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| Sentence | simple past | pastprogressive | simple present | present progressive | present perfect | past perfect |
| I am eating cakes. |  |  |  | ✔ |  |  |
| She ate cakes. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| They were eating cakes. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The children learnt about Romans in history. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The computer works well. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The computer worked well. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| I have lost my trainers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The children are choosing what they want to do. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| They added raisins to the muffins. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| He was hiding in the laundry basket. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Elaine has wanted to be a police officer for 15 years. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sam is playing on the computer. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| They have eaten all the cakes and now they feel sick. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| I have never been to Legoland. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| That was annoying. |  |  |  |  |  |  |