Progressive Tenses

Present

Past

Future

Grammar Structure

Pronoun/noun + Be forms +verb+ ing + complement.

I am working in my house right now

Definition

- The **Present Progressive:** expresses an activity that is in progress (is occurring, is happening) right now. Example:
- I`m learning english right now
- Past Progressive: expresses an activity that was in progress (was occurring, was happening) at a point of time in the past Example:
- I was eating dinner when Tom came.
- Future Progressive: expresses present ideas about future activities. Intend, Plan, hope. Example:
- I will be studying english for three years more.

Conjugation

Present Progressive	Past Progressive	Future Progressive
I am reading right now	I was reading when the light went off	I will be reading in english for 3 years more
You are reading right now	You were reading	You will be reading
He is reading right now	He was reading	He will be reading
She is reading right now	She was reading	She will be reading
It is reading right now	It was reading	It will be reading
We are reading right now	We were reading	We will be reading
You are reading right now	You were reading	You will be reading
They are reading right now	They were reading	They will be reading

Exercise

Example:

- What are you doing?
 I'm teaching english right now.
- Describe actions that are you doing right now.
- Conjugate the verbs: <u>run</u>
 write and <u>study</u> in
 progressive tenses
 You must work in your
 notebook

