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VERBS

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Examples:

The dog walks on the wall.

'walks' shows an action.

Pussy is my pet cat.

'is' shows a state of being.

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Write 'A' for action verbs and 'L' for linking verb.

1) Does []

5) Can be []

2) Dances []

6) Being []

3) Kicks []

7) Are []

4) Cooks []

8) Were []

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1) Run []

6) Writes []

2) Are []

7) Had been []

3) Played []

8) Sang []

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4) Were []

9) Writes []

5) Catch []

10) Think []



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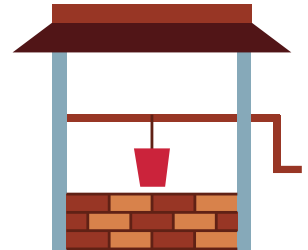
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Examples:

Selena is excited about her promotion.



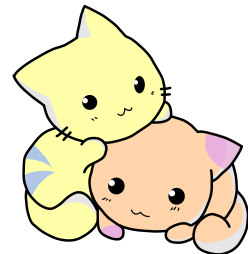
1) Jumping into a well _____ dangerous.



2) My birthday cake _____ wonderful.



3) All the kittens _____ playful.



4) The pizza _____ delicious.





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1) Martin _____ fond of spicy food.



2) Some children ____ smart.



3) My home ____ dark in the night.



4) Anthony _____ a dream.



5) Building the house _____ difficult for them.





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1) Johnny _____ sleepy in the play ground.



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2) My brother _____ mad when he's hungry.



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3) My friends _____ dancing at Stella's tonight.



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4) It _____ safe to tie your seat belt.



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5) Stephanie _____ Lisa's sister.





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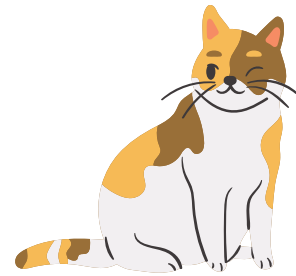
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Example:

The cat smelled bad. [L]

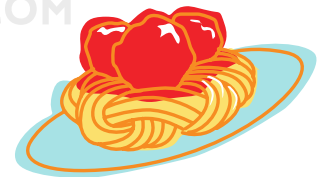


The cat smelled the cup. [A]



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1) This spaghetti _____ good. []



2) Meredith _____ on the phone often. []





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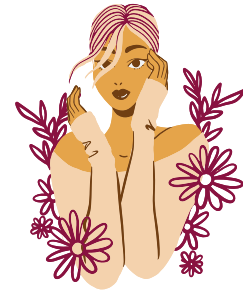
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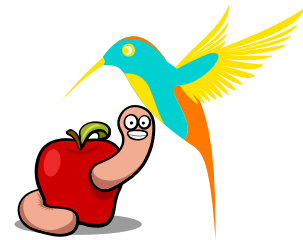
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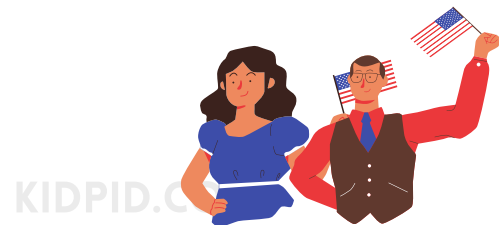
1) My mom _____ beautiful. []



2) The bird _____ the worm. []



3) My parents _____ American. []



4) Ian forgot to _____ the door. []



5) I _____ sorry. []

