



Table of Tenses & Their Adverbs :

Tense Systems	PAST	PRESENT	FUTURE
SIMPLE (Olay ve durumlar basit şekilde ifade edilirler.)	Past Simple	Present Simple ∞	Future Simple
	I did my work.	I do my work.	I will do my work.
	"...yaptım, yapardım"	"...yaparım"	"...yapacağım"
	adverbs & time expressions: yesterday, yesterday morning, ...ago, last..., in..., on..., at..., the other day, the day before, the day before yesterday, when..., while...,etc (if the exact time is stated; How long ago...?, for 2 years, from 1998 to 2000 ...etc)	adverbs & time expressions: always, usually, often, frequently, sometimes, occasionally, rarely, seldom, never, steadily, every..., once/twice a (week), (two) times a (month), ...etc (for future meaning / habits / rules; tomorrow, next..., in..., on..., at..., before, as soon as, when, once...etc)	adverbs & time expressions: today, tomorrow, later, ...later, soon, next..., this..., after..., before long, this time... ...etc.
* CONTINUOUS (Bitmemiş, devam eden veya sürekli tekrarlanan durumlar için kullanılır.)	Past Continuous	Present Continuous ∞	Future Continuous
	I was doing my work.	I am doing my work.	I will be doing my work.
	"...yapıyordum"	"...yapıyorum"	"...yapıyor olacağım"
	adverbs & time expressions: yesterday, yesterday (morning), ...ago, in the morning, in..., on..., at..., at that time, the other day, the day before, the day before yesterday, ...when, while..., as..., just as..., for long time, from...to... ...etc	adverbs & time expressions: now, right now, presently, currently, at the moment, at the present time, at this very moment, at the time being, Look!..., Listen!... ...etc (for complaints: always, constantly...etc) (for future meaning; all expressions used for the future)	adverbs & time expressions: tomorrow, this time tomorrow, in..., on..., at..., this time next (Sunday), between...and..., two days from now, when..., while... ...etc
PERFECT (Genel olarak, bir olayın diğerinden önce bittiği olduğunu belirtir.)	Past Perfect	Present Perfect	Future Perfect
	I had done my work.	I have done my work.	I will have done my work.
	"...yapmışım"	"...yaptım, yapmış oldum" / -rim, -yorum**	"...yapmış olacağım"
	adverbs & time expressions: yesterday, yesterday (morning), already, never, since, yet, once..., after..., ...before, the (night) before, as soon as, by the time, until, till, no sooner...than, when... ...etc	adverbs & time expressions: since..., for..., still, yet, already, just, ever, never, until..., today, this..., so far, recently, once..., up till now, up to the present, up to now, beforenow, lately, several times, for the last (three years), all..., in my life, as soon as, the first time..., How long...? (in questions) ...etc	adverbs & time expressions: in..., for..., by..., by the time..., by this time next..., by then, by the end of..., by the next (Saturday), for twelve years by 2009, in three month's time ...etc
PERFECT CONTINUOUS* (Daha önceden başlamış bir olaydan itibaren geçen süreç vurgulanır.)	Past Perfect Continuous	Present Perfect Continuous	Future Perfect Continuous
	I had been doing my work.	I have been doing my work.	I will have been doing my work.
	"-dir...yapıyordum"	"-dir...yapıyorum"	"-dir...yapıyor olacağım"
	adverbs & time expressions: for..., for...before..., since..., when, for ten years when..., all afternoon when..., after...for..., all night long, How long...? (in questions) ...etc	adverbs & time expressions: since..., ever since..., for..., for...now, so far, all day, up till now, lately, recently, ever, never, always, seldom, rarely, often, already, yet, today, this week/month/year, How long...? (in questions) ...etc	adverbs & time expressions: for, for...by, for 5 years by next June, by..., by this time next..., by then ...etc

* continuous = "progressive" olarak da adlandırılır.

** kullanılan yükleme göre bu zamanın çevirisi değişebilir. Örneğin "I have known him for long" cümlesinde "Onu uzun zamandır taniyorum / tanırım" anlamı vardır. "I have been to London twice" cümlesinde "...bulundum." anlamı görülür.

∞ gelecek zaman için kullanılabilecek zaman yapıları.



Diğer zaman yapıları:

be going to + V		-mek üzere	"It is going to rain"
be about to	yakın gelecek için kullanılır, Bir şey olmaya başlamış veya olacağı kesin gibidir.	-mek üzere	"He is about to understand the truth about her wife's affair with his best friend"
be on the verge of + Ving		-mek üzere -nin eşiğinde	"I'm afraid the mankind is on the verge of experiencing a global war"
would + V	geçmişteki gelecek ifadesidir	-ecekti	"I would buy these glasses but they very extremely pricy"
be to	daha çok emir ve ve talimatlarda kullanılır	-ecek	"Everybody is to make their beds at once"



Zamanlar konusunda bilmeniz gerekenler:

1. Zaman zarfları ve ifadeleri en yakın arkadaşınızdır:

Zaman zarfları ve ifadelerini dil öğrenimindeki en yakın arkadaşlarınız olarak görün. Cümlelerin zamanı konusunda sizlere en fazla bilgiyi bunlar sağlayacaktır. Örneğin **ago** ifadesi sadece **simple** sistemli zamanlarda kullanılır. Örneğin simple past zamanında; "I left home three years ago." **Ago**, asla present perfect veya diğer perfect sistemli zamanlarda yer almaz. Gene **by**, sadece **future perfect** yapılarda (future perfect ve future perfect continuous) karşımıza çıkar. ...vb

2. Basit yolu seçin:

İngilizce öğrenenler, başkalarını daha çok etkileyebilmek amacıyla bazı durumlarda karışık zaman yapılarını kullanma eğilimindedirler. Buna gerek yok. Bir eyi ifade edebilmek için birkaç zaman yapısını kullanabilme olanağınız vardır. En sade ve kolayını seçin! ☺

3. Sorularla pratik yapın:

Sorularla daha etkili pratik yapar ve karşınıza bu tür sorular çıktığında hangi zaman yapısıyla ve hangi zaman zarfı ve ifadesiyle yanıt verileceğini daha kolay öğrenirsiniz.

Hazırsanız başlayalım:

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| 1. Did you get enough sleep last night? (simple past) | Yes, I slept well. |
| 2. Do you shower every day? (simple present) | Yes, I shower every day. |
| 3. Are you going to study tonight? (simple future) | Yes, I'm going to study tonight. |
| 4. What were you doing when I called you last night? (past progressive) | I was eating dinner when you called me last night. |
| 5. What are you doing right now? (present progressive) | I am practicing verb tenses right now. |
| 6. What will you be doing at midnight on New Year's Eve? (future progressive) | I will be celebrating the New Year with my friends. |
| 7. Had you ever tried skiing before today? (past perfect) | Yes, I had already done it several times before. |
| 8. Have you ever broken the law? (present perfect) | No, I have never broken the law. |
| 9. Will you have gotten married by the time you turn 30? (future perfect) | No, I will not have gotten married by the time I turn 30. |
| 10. How long had you been smoking before you quit? (past perfect progressive) | I had been smoking for two years before I quit. |
| 11. How long have you been waiting for the bus? (present perfect progressive) | I have been waiting for the bus for 20 minutes. |
| 12. How long will you have been working before you retire? (future perfect progressive) | I will have been working for 30 years before I retire. |