



Using Progressive Verb Tenses

Today's Standard

4.L.1b - Form and use the progressive (e.g., I was walking; I am walking; I will be walking) verb tenses.

Cues	Notes
What are progressive verb tenses?	Progressive verb tenses describe ongoing actions.
Examples of progressive tenses?	Examples: I was walking, I am walking, I will be walking.
Why use progressive tenses?	They add precision and vividness to writing and speaking.
Common mistakes with progressive tenses?	Common mistakes include confusing with simple tenses and omitting auxiliary verbs.
How to correct mistakes?	Use visual aids, timelines, and sentence construction exercises to correct mistakes.

Summary

Progressive verb tenses describe ongoing actions and are essential for precise and vivid communication. Common mistakes include confusing them with simple tenses and omitting auxiliary verbs, which can be corrected through targeted exercises.