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Avoid Common Mistakes	Academic Writing
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Remembering the base form of the verb after would and used to; remembering the simple past for specific events in the past; remembering the past progressive for background information	Expository Writing Writing prompt: How has globalization changed your country?  Topic sentences Support statement with details Use tables to organize information
Remembering correct subject–verb agreement with present perfect; remembering been for the present perfect progressive	<ul> <li>Essay structure</li> <li>Write effective thesis statements</li> <li>Write the introductory paragraph</li> </ul>
Remembering when to use the past perfect or past perfect progressive	<ul> <li>Write the first draft</li> <li>Revise and edit</li> </ul>
Remembering be with be going to; remembering when to use the future progressive, the simple present, or the present progressive	Comparison and Contrast Writing prompt: Compare learning a language with studying math. How do you think the study of these subjects will change over time with new technology?  Use Venn diagrams Brainstorm topics and ideas
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Avoid Common Mistakes	Academic Writing
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Avoiding must with future probabilities; remembering be + verb + -ing with the progressive with modals	Revise and edit
Avoiding plural noncount nouns; remembering plural forms for count nouns	Opinion Writing Writing prompt: Is disease prevention the responsibility of individuals and their families or of the government?  Use T-charts to brainstorm and organize ideas Use precise nouns and adjectives
Avoiding <i>much</i> with plural nouns; remembering articles before singular occupations	<ul> <li>Use transitions to show opposing ideas</li> <li>Add sentence variety</li> <li>Structure an opinion essay</li> <li>Use quantifiers and pronouns to hedge</li> </ul>
Remembering to form reflexive pronouns with object pronouns; remembering to use singular verb forms with indefinite pronouns	<ul><li>Plan the essay</li><li>Write the first draft</li><li>Revise and edit</li></ul>
Remembering to use a gerund after a preposition; remembering to use a singular verb with a gerund subject	Summary-Response Writing prompt: Summarize the article "Creating a Successful Logo." Then choose a logo and analyze it in terms of the criteria in the article.  Use an outline Summarize Write the summary paragraph
Avoiding verb + that clauses after want; remembering correct word order with a negative form of an infinitive	<ul> <li>Determine and apply criteria</li> <li>Respond to an article</li> <li>Write the response</li> <li>Revise and edit</li> </ul>

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Avoid Common Mistakes	Academic Writing
Remembering the auxiliary verb + not in negative questions; remembering an auxiliary verb + a pronoun in tag questions	Argumentative Writing Writing prompt: Which is more important when choosing a home: location or size?  Negative and tag questions in academic writing Identify arguments and reasons Brainstorm and organize in a T-chart
Avoiding a comma before a that clause; remembering a complete verb in that clauses; remembering a subject in that clauses	<ul><li>Connect information</li><li>Support arguments</li></ul>
Remembering to use statement word order for a noun clause with a wh- word; avoiding using either instead of whether	<ul> <li>Register in academic writing</li> <li>Argumentative essay structure</li> <li>Write the first draft</li> <li>Revise and edit</li> </ul>
Remembering to change the form of the verb in indirect speech; remembering quotation marks with direct speech	Argumentative Writing Using Graphs and Tables for Support Writing prompt: Using what you know about the job market, what is a good choice for a career path with a secure future? Include information from graphs or tables to support your choice.  Understand and use graphs and tables Brainstorm topics and ideas Use reporting verbs to introduce evidence
Remembering to use infinitives in indirect imperatives; remembering to use an object pronoun or noun after <i>tell</i>	<ul> <li>Analyze information in graphs and other visuals</li> <li>Make and evaluate claims</li> <li>Add indirect advice from experts</li> <li>Write body paragraphs</li> </ul>
Remembering a form of be in passive sentences; remembering to put be before the subject in questions	<ul> <li>Make a logical appeal in the introductory paragraph</li> <li>Use active and passive voice to discuss visuals</li> <li>Write the first draft</li> </ul>
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Unit	Theme	Grammar	Topics		
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Avoid Common Mistakes	Academic Writing
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Avoiding commas for an identifying object relative clause; avoiding what in relative clauses	<ul> <li>Introduce advantages and disadvantages</li> <li>Build coherence</li> <li>Order ideas in an essay</li> <li>Write the first draft</li> </ul>
Avoiding a preposition before when; remembering a subject in where clauses	<ul> <li>Write the concluding paragraph</li> <li>Revise and edit</li> </ul>
Remembering the simple present in <i>if</i> clauses in future real conditionals; avoiding <i>when</i> to describe possible future conditions	Argumentative Writing Writing prompt: Research an aging but culturally or historically important building in your city or country. What do you think should be done with it and why?  Build support for an argument Maintain paragraph unity Brainstorm and organize ideas
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Avoid Common Mistakes	Academic Writing
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# Introduction to Grammar and Beyond, 2nd edition

Grammar and Beyond is a research-based and content-rich grammar and academic writing series for beginning to advanced-level students. The series focuses on the most commonly used English grammar structures and practices all four skills in a variety of authentic and communicative contexts.

# Grammar and Beyond is Research-Based

The grammar presented in this series is informed by years of research on the grammar of written and spoken English as it is used in college lectures, textbooks, academic essays, high school classrooms, and conversations between instructors and students. This research, and the analysis of over one billion words of authentic written and spoken language data known as the *Cambridge International Corpus*, has enabled the authors to:

- Present grammar rules that accurately represent how English is actually spoken and written
- Identify and teach differences between the grammar of written and spoken English
- Focus more attention on the structures that are commonly used, and less on those that are rarely used, in writing and speaking
- Help students avoid the most common mistakes that English language learners make
- Choose reading topics that will naturally elicit examples of the target grammar structure
- Introduce important vocabulary from the Academic Word List

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#### **Realistic Grammar Presentations**

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	Description	TOEFL IBT	CEFR Levels
Level 1	Beginning	20 – 34	A1 – A2
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Level 3	High Intermediate	55 – 74	B1 – B2
Level 4	Advanced	75 – 95	B2 – C1

# Student Components

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Each unit, based on a high-interest topic, teaches grammar points appropriate for each level in short, manageable cycles of presentation and practice. Academic Writing focuses on the structure of the academic essay in addition to the grammar rules, conventions, and structures that students need to master in order to be successful college writers. Students can access both the Digital Workbook and Writing Skills Interactive using their smartphones, tablets, or computers with a single log-in. See pages xx-xxv for a Tour of a Unit.

## **Digital Workbook**

The Digital Workbook provides additional online exercises to help master each grammar point. Automatically-graded exercises give immediate feedback for activities such as correcting errors highlighted in the Avoid Common Mistakes section in the Student's Book. Self-Assessment sections at the end of each unit allow students to test their mastery of what they learned. Look for the Student's Book to see when to use the Digital Workbook.

## Writing Skills Interactive

Writing Skills Interactive is a self-grading course to practice discrete writing skills, reinforce vocabulary, and give students an opportunity with additional writing practice. Each unit has:

- Vocabulary review
- Short text to check understanding of the context
- Animated presentation of target unit writing skill
- Practice activities
- Unit Quiz to assess progress

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- Teaching tips, to help instructors plan their lessons
- Communicative activity worksheets to add more in-class speaking practice

#### Assessment

- Placement Test
- Ready-made, easy-to-score Unit Tests, Midterms, and Final in .pdf and .doc formats
- Answer Key

#### Presentation Plus

Presentation Plus allows teachers to digitally project the contents of the Student's Books in front of the class for a livelier, interactive classroom. It is a complete solution for teachers because it includes easy-to-access answer keys and audio at point of use.

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# Tour of a Unit

# ACADEMIC WRITING FOCUS

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# GRAMMAR IN THE REAL WORLD

presents the unit's grammar in a realistic context using relatable texts

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# Direct Speech and Indirect Speech

Human Motivation

#### 1 Grammar in the Real World

ACADEMIC WRITING

Argumentative writing using graphs and tables for support

- A What makes people work hard at their jobs? Read the article about employee motivation. What type of reward is particularly effective in motivating workers?
- **B** Comprehension Check Complete the chart. Check (✔) whether each reward is external or internal.

	External Reward	Internal Reward
1 Pay raise		
2 Feeling successful		
3 Freedom to work independently		
4 Good salary		
5 Good grades		

- Notice Find similar sentences in the article and complete the sentences below.
  - Lionel Messi , "Money is not a motivating factor...

    My motivation comes from playing the game I love."
- 2 Daniel Pink, the author of a book on motivation, an audience once that Google was a great example of a company that supported autonomy.
- 3 Pink \_\_\_\_\_\_ the audience that Google News and Gmail had been created during this free time.

Each sentence tells what someone says. Which sentence gives the actual words of the speaker? How do you know?



Motivation is the desire to do something. Soccer star Lionel Messi said, "Money is not a motivating factor... My motivation comes from playing the game I love." Messi meant that he enjoys playing soccer more 5 than making millions of dollars. Can that be true? What other factors are important in motivating people?

Many psychologists believe that there are two types of rewards that affect motivation: external rewards and internal rewards. External rewards are rewards that someone gives you. A pay raise is a common external reward. A good grade at school is also an example of an external reward. Internal rewards are connected to the feelings people have about the work they do. The satisfaction you get when you do something well is an internal reward. Researcher Frederick Herzberg (1923–2000) studied motivation in the workplace for many years. Herzberg said that employers must think about factors that affect employees' feelings of satisfaction. Herzberg explained that working

of satisfaction. Herzberg explained that working 20 conditions and relationships among co-workers affect workers' motivation. Therefore, employers need to create an environment that makes employees feel safe, valued, and accepted. Some studies on workplace motivation have focused on autonomy, which is the freedom to work independently. This is an important internal reward. Daniel Pink, the author of a book on motivation, told an audience once that Google was a good example of a company that supported autonomy. One day each week, Google engineers focus on their own ideas. Pink informed the audience that Google News and Gmail had been created during this free time.

Research also shows that appreciation is a powerful reward. In his book The 1001 Rewards and Recognition Tieldbook, Bob Nelson described a study on the effects of appreciation on motivation. The study asked, "What motivates you?" Workers ranked the importance of 65 motivating factors. Nelson indicated that appreciation for their work ranked first for the workers.

The subject of worker motivation is complex. People expect fair pay for their work. However, research **shows that** people find internal rewards more meaningful than a high salary.

¹recognition: special positive attention

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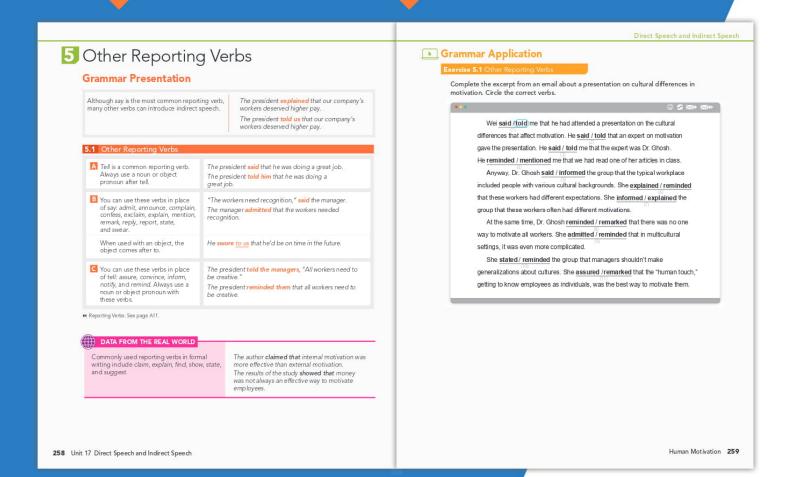
#### NOTICE ACTIVITIES

draw students' attention to the structure, guiding their own analysis of form, meaning, and use.

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#### GRAMMAR PRESENTATION

#### **CHARTS**



#### DATA FROM THE REAL WORLD

information and teaches them how the

#### **GRAMMAR APPLICATION**

variety of exercises that introduce new

#### **QR CODES**

#### CONTEXTUALIZED **PRACTICE**

#### THEME-RELATED **EXERCISES**

#### 🖁 🗛 Listen to the conversation about a presentation on cultural differences in classrooms. Complete the sentences with the words you hear. David What happened in class today? Mira We had a guest speaker. He told us about the importance of motivation in \_\_\_\_\_ there are two kinds of the language classroom. He motivation: intrinsic and extrinsic. David Right. Last week, the professor there were two different types, and she gave examples. Mire Yes. So anyway, the speaker \_\_\_ he had done a study of students in Japan and students in the United States. He both groups had native-speaking English teachers. He the purpose of the study was to see whether the teachers' remarks had a negative effect on the motivation of the Japanese students. the study found four ways in which the teachers' behavior had a negative effect on Japanese students' motivation. David Did he give any examples? \_\_\_\_ classroom discussion is one area where there are key differences. He in the Japanese classroom, students generally listen more and talk less. David And as we know from our reading, Porter and Samovar in the U.S. classroom, some students speak up spontaneously, and that a lot of teachers encourage discussion. Mire Right, So, he when a teacher criticizes a Japanese group for not participating, it has a bad effect on motivation. B Listen again and check your answers.

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#### HOW TO USE A QR CODE

- 1 Open the camera on your smartphone.
- 2 Point it at the QR code.
- 3 The camera will automatically scan the code.



#### AVOID COMMON MISTAKES

#### **ACADEMIC**

#### WRITING

concentrates on Organize, Write, Edit

#### **EDITING TASK**

C Over to You Compare the behavior of American and Japanese students to students from another culture that you are familiar with. Use sentences with indirect speech.

The speaker said that in the Japanese classroom, students listen more and talk less. That is true in my culture, too. Students show respect that way.

#### 6 Avoid Common Mistakes A

- 1 For verbs such as admit, announce, complain, explain, and mention, the object pronoun comes after the preposition to.
  - He emplained us the objective
- 2 Change the form of the verb in indirect speech in most cases. He claimed that they followed the directions
- 3 Use beginning and ending quotation marks with direct speech.

The director said, All designers may work from home on Fridays.

#### **Editing Task**

Find and correct the mistakes in the paragraphs about a memorable event.

One of the highlights of my life happened through an experience at work It started when my manager announced us some interesting news, He said, I am starting a company band. Then he asked, "Who wants to join?" I mentioned him that I had played guitar for many years. He said, You should definitely try out.

On the day of tryouts, I was a little nervous because everyone played extremely well. After I auditioned, the manager thanked me and explained me that he will let

I forgot about it, so I was very surprised when I got a phone call from my manager a few days later. He said, You can play lead guitar. I said, Wow! That's great 10 After that, the band practiced a few times a week. A few months later, we playe at the company party. We were nervous, but we played well. The president of the  $\,$ company spoke to me later and said I have a lot of talent. I was embarrassed by his compliment, but I said I am proud to play for the company. I will never forget that experience.

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#### 7 Academic Writing

**Argumentative Writing Using Graphs and Tables for Support** 

In this writing cycle (Units 17-20), you will write an argumentative essay that uses graphs or tables to answer the prompt below. In this unit (17), you will analyze an essay with graphs and then brainstorm ideas about the topic.

Using what you know about the job market, what is a good choice for a career path with a secure future? Include information from graphs or tables to support your choice.

- Work with a partner. Discuss the questions.

  1 Is it important to have a college degree? Why or why not?
- 1 is it important to nave a conege eagreer very or wity not?
  2 College tuition in the Untact States is very expensive. Do you think the benefits of a degree outweigh the costs? Why or why not?
  3 A founder of Netscape, an early Internet search company, has said that people who earn a degree in a non-technical field like literature will probably be working in a shoe store upon graduation. Do you agree or disagree? Why or why not?

Read the sentences. Then match the words in bold to the definitions.

- 1 Steve Jobs, one of the founders of Apple Inc., said that quality was more important
- 2 Business leaders disputed the government's claim that the number of jobs had gro
- 3 The successful campaign against buying the corporation's products illustrates the power of There is some ambiguity in the law, so it is difficult to know if the company did anything wrong.

- (n) the state of being unclear or having more than one possible meaning (n) people who establish an organization
- (v) to decrease in size or importance
- (v) to go further

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#### What is the Value of a College Education?

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Figure 2 Level of Earnings Riddine to Education

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\*chronic (adj) lasting for a long time, especially cornelling bad

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#### LEARNER OUTCOMES

#### REAL WORLD MODEL

#### **SKILL BOXES**

#### WRITING TASK

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#### Exercise 7.3 Comprehension Check

Read the text on page 263. Work with a partner. Discuss the questions.

- 1 Summarize the main argument of the text.
- 2 What benefits of a college degree are mentioned in the text?
- 3 According to Figure 1, what three countries had the highest percentage of citizens with a college education?

Work with a partner. Complete the tasks.

- Underline the first sentence. Why does the writer use a quote to introduce the topic?
- Find another quote in the text. How does the writer introduce the quote?
- 3 Look at Figure 1. What is the writer's purpose in using this graph?
- 4 Look at Figure 2. What is the writer's purpose in using this graph?
- 5 What is the source of the information in the graphs?

#### rstanding and Using Graphs and Tabl

Information in academic texts is often presented through graphs and tables Writers include these to support their ideas or argument. It is important to understand and interpret the information in your graphs and tables, and to draw inferences and conclusions for your reader.

Work with a partner. Ask and answer the questions about the information in Table 1.

Table 1. The 100 Best Jobs in the U.S., with Median Salary

Rank	Job Title	Median Salary
1	Software Developer	\$101,790
4	Dentist	\$165,120
14	Surgeon	\$208,000
28	IT Manager	\$139,220
42	Lawyer	\$119,250
62	Hairdresser	\$24,850
66	Medical Assistant	\$32,480
76	High School Teacher	\$59,170
88	Massage Therapist	\$39,990

Source: U.S. News and World Report 2018

- 1 What information does the table present?
- 2 What can you infer from the table?
- 3 In addition to salary, what other factors do you think make a job a "best job"?

#### 264 Unit 17 Direct Speech and Indirect Speech

#### My Writing

#### Argumentative Essays with Graphs or Tables as Supp

In argumentative essays, writers present their position, reasons, and supporting evidence. Evidence used in graphs and tables should come from credible sources, such as educational or research institutions, government websites, and respected news organizations.

- 1 Work with a partner. Make a copy of the chart and complete it.
  - Column 1: Write the names of three careers.
  - Column 2: Write relevant information from the reading, Table 1, and other credible sources you find. Include the name of the source in parenthese
  - Column 3: Make notes about the career and the information you found.

Career	Information (Name of Source)	Notes

2 In your opinion, which of the careers is the best choice for a financially secure future? Why?

#### Using Reporting Verbs to Introduce Evider

Writers use reporting verbs to introduce evidence. Reporting verbs also show readers how the writer feels about the evidence. Neutral reporting verbs show a more neutral feeling towards the evidence.

The report said that the number one skill employers are looking for

Strong reporting verbs show a strong feeling towards the evidence.

The report **asserted** that the number one skill employers are looking for is flexibility.

Neutral reporting verbs: advise, accept, acknowledge, recognize, encourage, interpret, analyze, examine, investigate, consider, evaluate Strong reporting verbs: argue, assert, convince, emphasize, indicate, persuade, refute, show, state, stress, support, warn

Use the information from Exercise 7.6 to write a paragraph that asserts which career would best lead to a secure future. Include a topic sentence, at least two reasons for your argument with supporting details and evidence, and a concluding sentence. Use at least one reporting verb to

#### APPLICATION EXERCISES

# Kahoot!





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#### What is Kahoot!?

Kahoot! is a game-based learning platform that makes it easy to create, share and play fun learning games and trivia quizzes in minutes. Students can play Kahoot! on any mobile device or laptop with an internet connection.

#### What can you use kahoots for?

Kahoots can be used for review, formative assessment or homework.

#### When should you play Kahoot?

You can use a kahoot before starting the unit as a diagnostic, during the unit as formative assessment, or at the end of a unit to test student knowledge.

To launch a live game in the classroom, simply click on "play" when launching kahoot.





## **Quiz Your English app**

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- Challenge your friends and players wherever they are
- Watch where you are on the leaderboards







# Simple Present and Present Progressive

# First Impressions

# 1 Grammar in the Real World

# ACADEMIC WRITING

Plagiarism and academic honesty

- A When you meet someone for the first time, what do you notice about the person? Read the article about first impressions. What influences your first impressions?
- B Comprehension Check Answer the questions.
  - 1 How long does it take to form a first impression?
  - 2 What is the collection of tests known as the IAT helping to reveal?
  - 3 What is one stereotype that young and old people share?
- C Notice Find the sentences in the article and complete them. Circle the correct verbs. Then check (✓) the box that best describes the function of each verb.

1 The average person forms/is forming a first impression of someone in

	less than 30 seconds.
	general fact or habit temporary action
2	Handshakes, facial expressions, and general appearance <a href="helping">helping</a> to create first impressions.
	general fact or habit temporary action
3	Some psychologists today <u>research/are researching</u> the factors that influence how people react to others.
	general fact or habit temporary action
4	Specifically, Nosek <u>investigates/is investigating</u> our use of stereotypes and attitudes about others in forming first impressions.
	general fact or habit temporary action
2000	

What do the verbs in the simple present describe? What do the verbs in the present progressive describe?



Here is an interesting fact: The average person forms a first impression of someone in less than 30 seconds. First impressions are the opinions someone has about you when you meet for the 5 first time. What is your smile telling the other person? What is the way you dress saying about you? These factors can make a difference in the way the person thinks about you.

Handshakes, facial expressions, and general 10 appearance help to create first impressions. People are constantly **forming** these impressions of others. We do not make these impressions consciously.1 They are largely subconscious.<sup>2</sup> However, they tend<sup>3</sup> to be extremely difficult to change.

Some psychologists today are researching the factors that influence how people react to others. For example, psychologist Brian Nosek is currently using a collection of tests known as the IAT, or

Implicit Association Test, for his research. These 20 tests are helping to reveal our thinking processes, both conscious and subconscious, as we form our impressions of others. Specifically, Nosek is investigating our use of stereotypes and attitudes about others in forming first impressions.

Each test measures what happens while people 25 are making judgments. The results demonstrate that people have stereotypes, and that these stereotypes influence their first impressions. For example, both young and old people tend 30 to associate the word good with pictures of young people.

Since first impressions influence what a person thinks about you to a great degree, it is important to always do your best to make a good 35 first impression.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>consciously: aware of what is happening

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>subconscious: existing in the mind but not in one's awareness

<sup>3</sup>tend: be likely

# Simple Present vs. Present Progressive

#### **Grammar Presentation**

The simple present and the present progressive both describe present time. The simple present describes things that are more permanent, such as general facts or habits.

The present progressive describes things that are temporary, such as things in progress now or around now.

The average person forms a first impression in less than 30 seconds.

Psychologists are researching the factors that influence how people react.

#### Simple Present

A Use the simple present for general facts and permanent situations.

People form a first impression within 30 seconds.

First impressions influence what a person thinks about you.

I dress conservatively at work.

B Use the simple present to describe routines and habits.

The manager asks a lot of questions.

We work for eight hours every day.

You can use time expressions such as always, usually, often, sometimes, never, on Mondays, once a week, two days a week, and twice a month.

The hiring manager always writes a report after an interview.

We usually follow her recommendations.

She doesn't interview candidates on Mondays.

We discuss the manager's reports once a week.

Use the simple present for routines, scheduled events, and timetables.

The office opens at 9:00 a.m.

The train to Boston departs from platform 11 at 2:00 p.m.

"Does the meeting always begin at noon?"

"Yes, it does."

Irregular Verbs : See page A1.



#### DATA FROM THE REAL WORLD

Research shows that we use some adverbs with the simple present more often in academic writing than in speaking.

More common in writing: typically, frequently, traditionally

The email interview typically takes three hours.

Common in both speaking and writing: generally, usually, normally

The team **generally** meets on Tuesdays. How do you **normally** handle complaints?

#### **2.2** Present Progressive

Use the present progressive to describe what is in progress now or around the present time.

Mr. Rask is interviewing a candidate at the moment. (The interview is happening now.)

We are interviewing candidates all month. (Interviews may not be in progress now, but they are in progress during this month.)

B Use the present progressive to describe temporary events or changing situations.

I am studying stereotypes in the workplace. (My studies will end in the future.)

#### DATA FROM THE REAL WORLD

Research shows that we often use the present progressive for habits that are noteworthy or unusual. This is sometimes, but not always, because these habits are not desirable. You can use always or constantly for emphasis. Constantly is more formal than always.

She is always disturbing me when I am trying to study.

My boss is constantly asking me to stay late at work.

The present progressive form is also common with verbs that describe changing or temporary situations. The workers at that store are constantly changing. Every week there is someone new.

We are always looking for new ideas and people with special talents.

## Grammar Application

#### **Exercise 2.1** Simple Present

Complete the sentences with the simple present of the verbs in the box.

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	Hernandez ommunity			a cou	rse callec	l Making	a Good F	irst Impre	ession at
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6	The self-assessment test	how the students judge	themselves.
7	Students almost always	a positive impression of themselve	S.
8	After the self-assessment, Ms. Hern mock interviews.	andez usually	the students in
9	On the last day of class, students	real interviews with a rep	resentative from

a local company.

10 Ms. Hernandez's class

\_\_\_\_\_ at 6:30 p.m. and ends at 9:00 p.m.

#### **Exercise 2.2** Simple Present or Present Progressive?

Complete the questions about Josh and Rachel with the simple present or present progressive form of the words in parentheses. Then write answers using the information in the picture.



	Where <u>are Josh and Rachel working</u> (Josh and Rachel/work) this summer?  Josh and Rachel are working at the Bursar's Office this summer.
2	How often (Josh and Rachel / work)?
3	When (Josh / start his job) in the mornings?
4	(Rachel / talk) to a student right now?
5	How many (students / wait) in Josh's line?

6	students who need help?	(who / make) a better first impression on the
7	When	(Rachel / finish) work in the afternoons?
8		(who / not help) students at the moment?

#### **Exercise 2.3** More Simple Present or Present Progressive?

A Complete the sentences from a brochure that participants received at a job fair. Use the simple present or present progressive form of the verbs in parentheses.

Welcome to the State Employment Agency  JOB FAIR  Welcome to the State Employment Agency  JOB FAIR  Welcome to the State Employment Agency  JOB FAIR  Welcome to the State Employment Agency
Representatives from over 30 big regional corporations
Interviews generally

- B Pair Work Compare your answers with a partner. Discuss the reason for each of your answers.
  - A I used the present progressive in number 1 because the phrase today's job fair tells me that the sentence is about something that is happening now.
  - B I agree with you. For number 2, I used . . .

# Stative Verbs

#### Grammar Presentation

Stative verbs describe states and conditions. Generally, they do not describe actions.

That sounds like a great project.

We don't have two chances to make a first impression.

#### **3.1** Non-action or Stative Verbs

Use the simple present with stative verbs. Here are some common stative verb categories:

Description: appear, be, exist, look, seem, sound

Measurement: cost, weigh

Knowledge: believe, forget, know,

remember, think

Emotions: feel, hate, like, love, prefer

Possession/Relationship: belong, contain, have,

need, own, want

Senses: hear, see, smell, taste

Perception: notice, see, understand

She seems like a hard worker.

It doesn't cost anything to send your application.

He doesn't believe that first impressions are true. I know stereotypes aren't true.

Employers prefer motivated workers.

I don't have a good impression of him. I **need** a challenging career.

Can you see the water from your office?

When you explain the problem in that way, I see your point. I understand your viewpoint.

M Stative (Non-Action) Verbs: See page A2.

#### Verbs with Stative and Action Meanings

Some verbs have both stative and action meanings. You can use the present progressive with the action meanings of these verbs. Examples of verbs with stative and action meanings include be, have, see, taste, think, and weigh.

SIMPLE PRESENT (STATIVE MEANING)

I think first impressions are important. (think = believe)

Do you have an interesting career? (have = own)

She is the new manager. (be = description)

He noticed that he doesn't see very well anymore. (see = view with the eyes)

PRESENT PROGRESSIVE (ACTION MEANING)

I am thinking about how to make a good first impression. (think = use the mind)

Are you having trouble at work?

(have = experience)

She is being difficult. (be = act)

He is seeing the eye doctor for an exam next week. (see = meet with)

# Grammar Application

**Exercise 3.1** Verbs with Stative and Action Meanings

A Complete the article from a college newspaper. Circle the correct form of the verbs.

# A STUDY ON **STEREOTYPES**

Lisa James is majoring in psychology here at Carlson College. This semester, she thinks (is thinking about participating in a study on stereotypes in Professor Green's Psychology 101 class. According to Dr. Green, many people have/are having fixed ideas about members of their own and other cultures. This is true even when they know/are knowing that the stereotypes they have/are having are false.

Dr. Green believes / is believing that when most people make generalizations about other cultures, they don't seem/are not seeming to make these judgments on observation. Instead, they appear/are appearing to base their judgments on ideas that they grew up with in their own cultures.

This semester, Dr. Green has / is having an interesting time giving his students two tests: a self-assessment test and a personality test. In the self-assessment test, students describe the traits they

think/are thinking members of their own culture have. The personality test gives basic information about what a person is really like. Dr. Green believes / is believing the results of the personality test will conflict with the results of the cultural self-assessment test. Here's an example: People from one culture in the study believe/are believing that they are hostile and argumentative. However, when these people take the personality test, they usually get/are getting very high scores for kindness and helpfulness.

The results of studies such as Dr. Green's appear/are appearing to show that cultural stereotypes are almost always mistaken. Lisa is looking forward to discovering what the tests say about her. Although she believes that she does not have stereotypes about people, she knows that Dr. Green believes/is believing that almost everyone has stereotypes of some people.

B Pair Work Compare your answers with a partner. Discuss the reason for each of your answers.

I used the present progressive with the verb think in number 1 because the action is happening now.

#### **Exercise 3.2** Stative or Action Meaning?

Complete the conversation about stereotypes at work. Use the simple present or present progressive form of the verbs in parentheses. Use contractions when possible.

Alan	Claudia, how are your interview follow-up reports going? Are you still working
	on them?
Claudia	Ithink (think) they're going well. I'm almost finished.
Alan	That's wonderful news. How many reports you (have)?
Claudia	Eight. I have three more to do.
Alan	Oh, I see. So you're just a little more than half finished. Our meeting
	(be) always at 4:30 on Wednesdays. Why are you still working on them?
Claudia	I don't usually take this long, but this time I'm spending a lot of time on the
	reports because I (be) very careful. I interviewed a lot of
	people from many different cultures, both young and old, and from cities as well
	as from the countryside.
Alan	So?
Claudia	Some of the reports (be) finished, but I don't want to base
	(5)
	(6)
	the information would be useful if it's not complete.
Alan	I (know) what you mean.
Claudia	This time, I (have) a hard time separating things like culture
	and appearance from people's actual abilities.
Alan	Well, it's good that you (be) aware of it. Let's discuss it later.

#### **Exercise 3.3** More Stative or Action Meaning?



A Listen to the interview about first impressions. Write the missing words.

ଜ	
	Reporter When you <u>meet</u> someone for the first time, how does the person's appearance affect your judgment? Today, we people to describe how they make judgments about others.
Marta	Marta  l know l unfair stereotypes when l meet someone new. To me, older people always (4)  like they need help. When l meet an older person,
	l about my grandparents.  l speak slowly and clearly, in case the person can't hear.  l it's wrong to think all older people are like that, but l can't help it.
Marc	1 feel that 1 always very fair when 1 meet a new person. 1 people's appearances don't always say who they really are. For example, if 1 meet a person who sloppy, 1
	1 that he or she is a lazy person.  Bin For me, it depends on the situation. When I am interviewing people at work, I take their appearance very seriously. For example, I always
	notice how a person dresses for an interview. If a person's appearance  sloppy or careless in an interview, I  he or she will be a sloppy and careless worker.
Bin	<sup>1</sup> <b>sloppy:</b> messy, not tidy

B Pair Work Discuss these questions with a partner: Which person in A are you most like? How much do stereotypes affect the judgments you make about people when you first meet them? Give an example.

I think I'm like Marc. I don't like to judge someone right away. For example, my landlord seems somewhat reserved when you meet him, but he's actually a really nice guy.

### 4 Special Meanings and Uses of Simple Present

### **Grammar Presentation**

The simple present is frequently used for summarizing and reviewing as well as for explaining procedures or giving instructions.

Malcolm Gladwell's book Blink persuades the reader to believe in first impressions.

Participants follow strict procedures for the Implicit Association Test.

### **4.1** Special Meanings and Uses of Simple Present

A Use the simple present to summarize scientific writing or review artistic works such as books, plays, and movies.

The Implicit Association Test **measures** people's responses. Malcolm Gladwell's book Blink discusses the importance of first impressions. He **argues** that first impressions **are** often accurate, even if the mind doesn't realize it.

B Use the simple present to explain procedures or instructions.

To administer the test, we always **follow** the same procedures. First, we seat participants in every other chair. We don't usually put them next to each other.

Commonly used expressions that show sequencing include first, then, next, after that, and finally.

When you arrive at the job fair, first you go to the desk and sign in. Then you take a look at the list of companies and plan which companies you want to see.



### Grammar Application

### Exercise 4.1 Uses of Simple Present

Read the sentences. Then label each sentence R (book reviews), P (procedures and instructions), or O (other uses – facts, routines, schedules) according to where the text comes from.

1 First, students write their names at the top of the paper. P 2 The authors end with a set of tips for always creating good first impressions. 3 The class meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. 4 This book helps readers understand the difference between how they see themselves and how other people see them. 5 The required reading for this course is Making a Good Impression by Dr. Al Stone. 6 Making a Good Impression includes summaries of many of the latest studies on how people make first impressions. 7 To complete the online test, students select their answers and click "Submit." Exercise 4.2 Summarizing an Article Use the words to write sentences that describe the main points from an article on the

problems with personality tests.

1 personality tests/always/not be/accurate

Personality tests are not always accurate.

- 2 job candidates/sometimes/not tell/the truth
- 3 a job candidate's score/always/not reflect/the candidate's personality
- 4 candidates who take some personality tests twice/sometimes/get/different scores
- 5 these tests/not match/people to jobs well

### **Exercise 4.3** Giving Instructions

Pair Work Choose a situation with a partner in which it is important to make a good first impression, such as a job interview or a first meeting with an important person. Describe the scene and how the person makes a good first impression. Remember to use sequencing words such as First, . . . ; Then . . . ; After that, . . . ; and Finally, . . .

On the first day of work: First, the new employee shakes hands and makes eye contact with the people he or she meets.

### Avoid Common Mistakes A



1 Use the simple present with stative verbs.

First impressions are mattering when you want to establish a relationship.

Use the simple present to express facts, routines, or habits unlikely to change. 2

Sessions are requiring 10 to 15 minutes to complete.

3 Use the present progressive to show that something is in progress or temporary.

isn't interviewing is still studying He doesn't interview for jobs this year because he still studies.

Use the -ing form, not the base form of the verb, when using the present progressive. 4

He is work as a store clerk.

### **Editing Task**

Find and correct eight more mistakes in the paragraphs about first impressions.

Without a doubt, first impressions are important. Current research is showing that a first impression can last a long time. These days it seems that everyone talks about the significance of the first 30 seconds of a job interview or a meeting with a client. However, I am believing there is another side to this story.

- Some people are having the ability to make a good first impression, but the impression may be false. I believe that time and experience are telling the truth about a person's character. Whenever I talk with someone who smiles at me and seems completely charming, I am getting suspicious. I think that the person is not sincere, and that he or she wants something from me. On the other hand, I often find that 10 quieter, more reserved people are more willing to help me when I ask. My colleague Jim is a good example. This fall he is work on a special project, so he is very busy, and sometimes he appears unfriendly. However, he usually stops and helps me when I ask. My friendlier colleagues usually smile, but when I ask them for help, they are making excuses.
- In short, I am not believing that everyone who makes a good first impression 15 deserves my trust. Maybe I am too suspicious with friendly people, but I will always give awkward or shy people a second chance. After all, I think that I may be one of them.

# 6 Academic Writing

### **Plagiarism and Academic Honesty**

In this unit (1), you will learn about plagiarism and how to maintain academic honesty at a North American university.

### **Exercise 6.1** Preparing to Write

Work with a partner. Discuss the questions.

- 1 What is plagiarism? What is academic honesty?
- 2 Is plagiarism the same or different in your culture than in North America? Give an example to explain your answer.
- 3 Why might plagiarism be considered academically dishonest?
- 4 What are three reasons that students plagiarize?

Read the interviews with three academic professionals: a professor, a librarian, and a writing center tutor.

#### Dr. Moore, Professor

Academic honesty is important. If a student pretends that someone else's words are theirs, that's dishonest. If students let someone else write their paper, that's dishonest. If a student submits a paper that was used in another class, that's also dishonest. These are all examples of plagiarism. The rules are simple: Do your own work, use your own words, and don't re-use your work for other classes. If students are having trouble, they should see their professor. At our college, if a student plagiarizes, I have to report it to the Dean¹ of Students.



#### Dee Mackey, Librarian

Students are often confused about plagiarism. If students write something that is not their own idea or their own work, they should cite the source. That means they should say where they found something. When students cite a source, they always need to mention the author and date of publication. They should also cite sources for photos and graphs. Students can use the ideas of another person, but they should use their own words and cite the source. If they are unsure about anything, they should ask for help. Professors and librarians are happy to help.

#### Jaye Evans, Writing Center Tutor

Students plagiarize because sometimes they wait until the last minute, so they don't have time to write their paper. Then they go to the Internet and cut and paste things into their paper, or copy from books or articles. That's never OK. Their professors know that they have copied. Writing center tutors can help, but students have to start working on their papers early. We can't really help them at the last minute.

<sup>1</sup>dean (n) a head of a department or group at a college or university

### **Exercise 6.2** Understanding Plagiarism

1 What is placiarism and academic honosty?

Answer the questions for each speaker. Then compare your answers with a partner's.

	What is plagfalish and academic honesty:	
	Dr. Moore:	
	Dee Mackey:	
	Jaye Evans:	
2	Why do students plagiarize?	
	Dr. Moore:	
	Dee Mackey:	
	Jaye Evans:	
xercise 6.3 Evaluating Plagiarism		

Read the statements. Write T (true) or F (false) next to the statement. Then write the name of the speaker who helped you decide your answer.

1	When students cut and paste from the Internet, it's not right, but no one will know
2	A student writer doesn't have to say where they got a photograph for their essay.
3	The writing center wants students to come to them early.
4	Students should cite their sources when they paraphrase.
5	Having a friend write your paper is plagiarism.
6	Professors don't want to help students with questions about plagiarism.

### Avoiding Plagiarism

In academic writing, plagiarism is defined as taking other people's words and ideas and using them as your own. It is a very serious issue in North America, and it should always be avoided. If you use other people's words or ideas in your writing, you must always give them credit.

### **Exercise 6.4** Applying the Skill

- 1 Work with a partner. Make a list of three things you should do and three things you should not do to avoid plagiarism and maintain academic honesty. Use your own words.
- 2 Share your list with the class. As a class, create an official list of plagiarism "Dos" and "Don'ts."

### Simple Past and Past Progressive; Used To, Would

### **Global Marketing**

### 1 Grammar in the Real World

### ACADEMIC WRITING

Expository writing

- A What is a *global market*? Read the article about global marketing. What makes global marketing campaigns successful?
- B Comprehension Check Answer the questions.
  - 1 What are some reasons customers in China did not buy the dolls at first?
  - 2 Why was the campaign in Malaysia successful?
  - 3 How are advertising campaigns different today from in the past?
- C Notice Read the sentences from the article. Check (/) the sentence that describes an action that continued for a period of time in the past.

  Does the verb end in -ing or -ed?

  \_\_\_\_\_\_1 Around the same time, another American company was showing a series of advertisements in the United States for a shampoo product.
  - \_\_\_\_\_2 As a result, the company **adapted** its advertising to fit the local culture.

# GLOBAL Marketing

In 2017, an American toy company opened a huge store on the main shopping street in a major city in China. The store featured the company's famous doll. At that 5 time, the sales of the doll were falling slightly in the United States, so the company was working on developing new markets in other countries. At the store, there were not many sales. Customers would come in and look, 10 but few were buying the dolls. The company did some research and found out why. The doll's image did not appeal<sup>1</sup> to young Chinese women. They had a preference for dolls that looked cute and adorable.<sup>2</sup> They 15 also wanted more affordable prices. The toy company eventually closed the store.

Around the same time, another
American company was showing a series
of advertisements in the United States for a
shampoo product. In one ad, "real women"
showed their hair and talked about how
much they liked the shampoo. These women

looked like your friends and neighbors, not like models. The advertisements were a great success. The company decided to create similar advertisements in Malaysia. While it was working on these advertisements, it was also doing research on Malaysian culture. The company discovered that some Malaysian women thought that it was inappropriate to show their hair in public, so it realized that its approach would not be successful. As a result, the company adapted its advertising to fit the local culture. In the new Malaysian advertisements, the women did not show their hair. They only talked about it. The ads were a tremendous success.

In the past, companies would create
one advertisement and one product for all
markets. Today's markets include places all
over the world, and the success of global
marketing campaigns depends on two simple
rules: understand the local culture and adapt
the marketing and product to that culture.

¹appeal: interest or attract someone
²adorable: attractive and easy to love
³inappropriate: unsuitable, especially for the particular time, place, or situation
⁴approach: a method or way of doing something

## Simple Past vs. Past Progressive

### **Grammar Presentation**

The simple past and the past progressive describe actions in the past.

American consumers wanted affordable prices.

While the company was working on these advertisements, it was also doing research on Malaysian culture.

### 2.1 Simple Past

Use the simple past to describe actions, situations, or events that are completed. Use the simple past for actions that happened once or repeatedly in the past.

Company executives decided to market the dolls in China in 2017.

The dolls weren't popular in China a few years ago.

What **did** the company **market** in Malaysia?

The company executives visited Malaysia a few times.

Past time markers, such as yesterday, last week, two months ago, and in 2018 can be used with the simple past. A company studied Malaysian culture last year.

**Did** it **get** good local advice last time?

Who gave the company advice last week?

▶ Irregular Verbs: See page A1.

### **2.2** Past Progressive

Use the past progressive to describe an activity or event in progress over a period of time in the past.

The company wasn't selling dolls in China at that time. Why weren't many people buying them? What was happening during that period?

### 2.3 Simple Past and Past Progressive Contrasted

A Use the past progressive to describe background activities. These activities were in progress at the same time as the main event in the sentence. Use the simple past for the main event.

BACKGROUND ACTIVITY

They were planning a new advertising campaign

MAIN EVENT

in the country, so they did some research on the culture.

B Use the simple past, not the past progressive, with stative verbs.

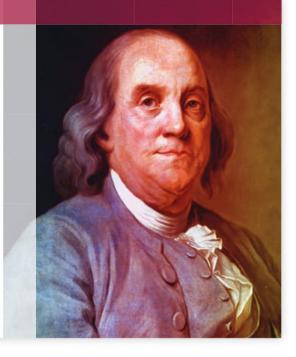
The company understood the culture. NOT The company was understanding the culture.

### Grammar Application

### **Exercise 2.1** Simple Past and Past Progressive

A Underline the past forms of the verbs in this paragraph about early American advertising.

Benjamin Franklin is one of the fathers of American advertising. He was an early American politician and inventor. In the early 1700s, Franklin was working in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, as a publisher and inventor. He published a variety of books, and he was also the publisher of the newspaper The Pennsylvania Gazette. He used The Pennsylvania Gazette to advertise his inventions. Franklin filled the newspaper with ads. He also advertised books, both his own and other people's. Because of the ads in his newspaper, Franklin was making a lot of money and was selling a lot of books. These were among the first advertisements in America.



B Pair Work Compare your answers with a partner. Discuss which verbs are simple past and which are past progressive.

### **Exercise 2.2** Simple Past or Past Progressive?

A Read the paragraphs about a successful advertising campaign. Circle the simple past or past progressive form of the verbs. Sometimes more than one answer is possible.

In the years after World War II, the U.S. government promoted was promoting milk as a health product. In the 1960s, however, soft-drink<sup>2</sup> companies began to market their products very aggressively. As a result, people soon drank/were soon drinking more soft drinks and less milk. The California Milk Advisory Board (CMAB) realized that the old health-focused advertising didn't work/wasn't working.

Beginning in the mid-1970s, milk sales went/were going down in the United States, and the CMAB decided/was deciding to do something to increase sales. The CMAB members learned/were learning that the majority of people believed that milk was good for them, but they weren't drinking it.

In 1993, a new board was formed, the California Milk Processor Board (MilkPEP). This new board hired/were hiring an advertising agency to design a new advertisement for milk. The agency designed/were designing a very original ad. The ad showed a person eating something sweet or sticky (like cake or peanut butter). The ad was funny because the person really needed milk to drink, but he or she didn't have it. This became/was becoming the very successful "Got milk?"<sup>3</sup> campaign. In 1994, milk sales increased/were increasing by over 10 million gallons a year. This was a clear indication that the new campaign was a success.

<sup>1</sup>campaign: series of advertisements

- B Pair Work Compare your answers with a partner. Then ask and answer questions about the information in A. Use the simple past and the past progressive.
  - A What was happening in the United States beginning in the mid-1970s?
  - B Milk sales were going down.

### 3 Time Clauses with Simple Past and Past Progressive

### **Grammar Presentation**

The simple past and past progressive are used with time clauses to show the order of two past events.

We changed our minds about the product after we saw the ads for it.

While he was presenting the product, the audience listened attentively.

### 3.1 Using Time Clauses with Simple Past

A Use time clauses beginning with the time words and phrases after, as soon as, before, once, until, and when to show the order in which two events happened.

When the time clause comes first in the sentence, use a comma.

B Use after to introduce the first event.

We found out that the ad wasn't appropriate for consumers when we were doing research on the market.

When we were doing research on the market, we found out that the ad wasn't appropriate for consumers.

FIRST EVENT

SECOND EVENT

After the store opened, people didn't buy the dolls.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>soft drink: a carbonated, nonalcoholic drink, also known as "pop," "soda," or "cola"

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Got milk?: an informal way of saying "Do you have milk?"

### 3.1 Using Time Clauses with Simple Past (continued)

Use before to introduce the second event.

FIRST EVENT

The company worked with an advertising team

SECOND EVENT

before it marketed the shampoo.

D Use as soon as or once to introduce the first event when the second event happens immediately after.

As soon as the company made prices

SECOND EVENT

affordable, sales improved.

SECOND EVENT

FIRST EVENT

Women bought the shampoo once the ad fit the local culture.

**E** Until means "up to that time." Use until to indicate the second event

FIRST EVENT

SECOND EVENT

There were not many sales until the company changed its advertising.

Use when to introduce the first event. When means "at almost the same time."

FIRST EVENT

When we thought about the low sales, we got a little worried.

### 3.2 Using Time Clauses with Simple Past and Past Progressive

A Use the past progressive to describe an ongoing action. Use while or when to introduce the ongoing action.

Use the simple past to describe an

action that interrupts the ongoing

action. Use when to introduce the

ONGOING EVENT

While we were developing an advertising campaign,

INTERRUPTION

I got sick.

ONGOING EVENT

We were discussing the new ad campaign

INTERRUPTION

when we heard about the low sales.

B Use the past progressive in both clauses to talk about two actions in progress at the same time.

interruption.

While they were studying Malaysian culture, they were developing an advertising campaign.



#### DATA FROM THE REAL WORLD

In formal writing, when is more common than while.

