

***Regular VERB Tenses**

A regular verb uses regular rules to change tense and number. A regular present tense verb becomes past by adding -ed. A regular plural verb becomes singular through the addition of -s or -es.

Present infinitive form: to dance

Past participle: danced

Future: will dance

A perfect tense requires a helping verb to add direction to the action of the verb.

Present perfect: Kelly has danced for several years.

Past perfect: He had danced on Broadway since age 13.

Future perfect: Ian will have danced with every girl.