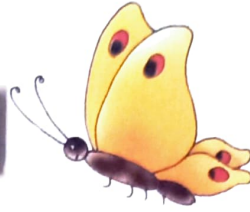




Lesson 9

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Raktim and His Butterflies



Raktim **lives** in Tezpur. He **studies** in class VI. He **likes** to **spend** some time in their garden in the afternoon. Raktim **loves** the butterflies. He **becomes** surprised to **see** the beautiful colours of different types of butterflies. His younger sister also **likes** butterflies. They **run** after the butterflies and **laugh** in joy. But they never **try** to **touch** the butterflies. The butterflies

fly happily and freely. They **drink** honey from the flowers. Sometimes Raktim **draws** pictures of those beautiful butterflies.

Read and remember

The red coloured words in the paragraph given above are known as Verb. A verb is a word used to describe an action, state or occurrence.

Some more examples of verbs : **swim** ; **play** ; **go** ; **come** ; **walk** ; **eat** ; **sleep** ; **drink** ; **read** ; **write** ; **see** ; **look** ; **give** ; **take** ; **buy** ; **sell** ; **bring**.



List of Verbs

Present	Past	Past Participle
1. go	went	gone
2. come	came	come
3. listen	listened	listened
4. speak	spoke	spoken
5. read	read	read
6. write	wrote	written
7. learn	learned	learned
8. teach	taught	taught
9. say	said	said
10. tell	told	told
11. see	saw	seen
12. look	looked	looked
13. eat	ate	eaten
14. drink	drank	drunk
15. play	played	played
16. bring	brought	brought
17. give	gave	given
18. take	took	taken
19. run	ran	run
20. jump	jumped	jumped
21. climb	climbed	climbed
22. think	thought	thought
23. buy	bought	bought
24. sing	sang	sung
25. know	knew	known
26. build	built	built
27. make	made	made
28. fall	fell	fallen



For the teacher only

Teachers are expected to give emphasis on the use of verbs in sentences. However, terms like finite, non-finite, infinitive etc. should not be used in the class room.

Activity



1. Find out the verbs from the following sentences and write them separately.

Raju went to the market yesterday. He bought a colourful dress for his sister. He came home in the afternoon. When his sister saw him, she ran towards him. Raju gave the dress to her. She jumped in joy. She started to sing a song. Then they played together.

2. Fill in the blanks.

Present	Past	Past Participle
a) Bring	—	Brought
b) —	Ran	Run
c) —	Sang	Sung
d) Take	Took	—
e) Speak	—	Spoken
f) Say	Said	—
g) Build	—	Built

3. Rewrite the following sentences in correct order.

- doctor a is he
- is name Rahul my
- Biju football plays
- to school they go
- my cat like I