

ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

ing form is the most ancient, and is still very general in popular practice.

I be n
You be n
He is n
Thou beest, in the second person, is not in use.

Past Tense.

I was n
Thou wast n
You was or were n
He was n
We were n
Ye were n
You were n
They were n

Perfect Tense.

I have n been
You have n been
He hath or has n been
We have n been
Ye have n been
You have n been
They have n been

Prior-past Tense.

I had n been
Thou hadst n been
You had n been
He had n been
We had n been
Ye had n been
You had n been
They had n been

Future Tense.

I shall or will n be
Thou shalt or wilt n be
You shall or will n be
He shall or will n be
We shall or will n be
Ye shall or will n be
You shall or will n be
They shall or will n be

Prior-future Tense.

I shall n have been
Thou shalt or wilt n have been
You shall or will n have been
He shall or will n have been
We shall n have been
Ye shall or will n have been
You shall or will n have been
They shall or will n have been

Imperative Mode.

Be n; be thou n; do n thou be, or do n be; be ye n; do n you be, or do n you n be, or do n be.
Let me n be, let him n be, let us n be, let them n be.

Potential Mode.

I may or can n be
Thou mayest or canst n be
You may or can n be
He may or can n be
We may or can n be
Ye may or can n be
You may or can n be
They may or can n be
Must is used in this tense, and in the perfect also.

Past Tense.

I might n be
Thou mightest n be
You might n be
He might n be
We might n be
Ye might n be
You might n be
They might n be
In the same manner with could, would and should.

Perfect Tense.

I may or can have n been
Thou mayest or canst n have been
You may or can have n been
He may or can have n been
We may or can have n been
Ye may or can have n been
You may or can have n been
They may or can have n been

Prior-past Tense.

I might n have been
Thou mightest n have been
You might n have been
He might n have been
We might n have been
Ye might n have been
You might n have been
They might n have been
In the same manner with could, would and should. There is no future tense in this mode.

Subjunctive Mode.

This Mode is formed by prefixing any sign of condition, hypothesis or contingency, to the indicative in all its various tenses.

Present Tense.

If I am
Thou art
You are
He is
We are
Ye are
You are
They are

Past Tense.

If I was
Thou wast
You was or were
He was
We were
Ye were
You were
They were

The foregoing tenses express uncertainty, whether a fact exists or existed; or they admit the fact. The following form is used for the like purposes:

If I be
Thou be
You be
He be
We be
Ye be
You be
They be

But this is more properly the form of the conditional future; that is, the verb without the sign of the future—*if he be, for if he shall be.*

The following is the form of expressing supposition or hypothesis, may be called the

Hypothetical Tense.

If I were
Thou wert
You was or were
He were
We were
Ye were
You were
They were

"If I were," supposes I am not; "if I were not," supposes I am.

The other tenses are the same as in the indicative mode.

The Conjugation of a Regular Verb.

Love.—Infinitive Mode, Present Tense.

To love.

Perfect Tenses.—To have loved.

Participle of the Present Tense.—Loving.

Of the Perfect.—Loved.

Compound.—Having loved.

Indicative Mode.—Present Tense, indefinite.

I love n
Thou lovest n
You love n
He loveth or loves n
We love n
Ye love n
You love n
They love n

With the auxiliary do.

I do n love
Thou dost n love
You do n love
He doth or does n love
We do n love
Ye do n love
You do n love
They do n love

Definite.

I am n loving
Thou art n loving
You are n loving
He is n loving
We are n loving
Ye are n loving
You are n loving
They are n loving

Past Tense, indefinite.

I loved n
Thou lovedst n
You loved n
He loved n
We loved n
Ye loved n
You loved n
They loved n

With the auxiliary did.

I did n love
Thou didst n love
You did n love
He did n love
We did n love
Ye did n love
You did n love
They did n love

Definite.

I was n loving
Thou wast n loving
You was n loving
He was n loving
We were n loving
Ye were n loving
You were n loving
They were n loving

Perfect Tense, indefinite.

I have n loved
Thou hast n loved
You have n loved
He has or hath n loved
We have n loved
Ye have n loved
You have n loved
They have n loved

Definite.

I have n been loving
Thou hast n been loving
You have n been loving
He has or hath n been loving
We have n been loving
Ye have n been loving
You have n been loving
They have n been loving

Prior-past, indefinite.

I had n loved
Thou hadst n loved
You had n loved
He had n loved
We had n loved
Ye had n loved
You had n loved
They had n loved

Definite.

I had n been loving
Thou hadst n been loving
You had n been loving
He had n been loving
We had n been loving
Ye had n been loving
You had n been loving
They had n been loving

Future Tense, indefinite.

The form of predicting.

I shall n love
Thou shalt n love
You shall n love
He shall n love
We shall n love
Ye shall n love
You shall n love
They shall n love

The form of promising, commanding and determining.

I will n love
Thou shalt n love
You shall n love
He shall n love
We will n love
Ye shall n love
You shall n love
They shall n love

Definite.

I shall or will n be loving
Thou shalt or wilt n be loving
You shall or will n be loving
He shall or will n be loving
We shall or will n be loving
Ye shall or will n be loving
You shall or will n be loving
They shall or will n be loving

Prior-future, indefinite.

I shall n have loved
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He shall or will n have loved
We shall n have loved
Ye shall or will n have loved
You shall or will n have loved
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Imperative Mode.

Let me n love
Love n
Do n love
Do thou n love
Do you n love
Let him n love
Let us n love
Love n
Do n love
Do ye or you n love
Let them n love

Definite.

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