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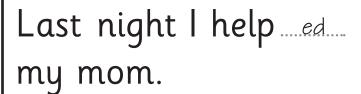
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This page consolidates the verb activities and expands the concept, introducing tenses (verb endings). Talk about the different meanings of verbs that end -ing (present tense) and -ed (past tense). Help your child make selections.



