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Top 20 English Verbs 2

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English

The monkey is looking at the video camera.

The man is resting in the hammock.

The tourist is waiting for the train.

The estate agent meets a client.

The man lives in Sydney, Australia.

Vocabulary

English	Definition	Class
monkey	animal with a long tail and is related to apes	noun
look	to turn one's eyes in a certain direction	verb
video camera	machine to record moving images	noun
man	adult human male	noun
rest	to stop doing an activity	verb
hammock	piece of cloth which hangs from two things to rest in	noun
tourist	a person who travels to a place for pleasure	noun
wait	to be expecting something	verb
train	group of connected vehicles on a track usually with an engine	noun
estate agent	business person who sells land or buildings	noun
meet	to come into contact with; to come together	verb
client	customer	noun
live	to continue being alive	verb
Sydney (Australia)	city in Australia	noun

Vocabulary Sample Sentences

The monkeys are eating ants with a stick.

He felt nostalgic after looking at old photos.

I'd really like to buy a video camera.

The man disappeared into the shadows.

He needs to rest well to recover his strength.

They sold hammocks of the street.

The monkey grabbed the pack of chips from the tourist's hand.

Let's wait for him here.

If we don't hurry, we'll miss the train.

We pushed the real estate agent for a good deal.

Nice to meet you.

How many clients does that lawyer have?

I live near the park.

He was born in Sydney; he is Australian.

Grammar Points

The focus of this lesson is tense comparison in British English.

Present tense, Present Progressive tense, and Past tense

In this lesson you'll learn the difference between the different tenses in the English language: present tense, present progressive tense, and past tense.

1. The monkey is looking at the video camera.

Tense	British English
present tense	The monkey looks at the video camera.
present progressive tense	The monkey is looking at the video camera.
past tense	The monkey looked at the video camera.

2. The man is resting in the hammock.

Tense	British English
present tense	The man rests in the hammock.
present progressive tense	The man is resting in the hammock.
past tense	The man rested in the hammock.

3. The tourist is waiting for the train.

Tense	British English
present tense	The tourist waits for the train.
present progressive tense	The tourist is waiting for the train.
past tense	The tourist waited for the train.

4. The estate agent meets a client.

Tense	British English
present tense	The estate agent meets a client.
present progressive tense	The estate agent is meeting a client.
past tense	The estate agent met a client.

5. The man lives in Sydney, Australia.

Tense	British English
present tense	The man lives in Sydney, Australia.
present progressive tense	The man is living in Sydney, Australia.
past tense	The man lived in Sydney, Australia.