



## Learn with Pictures and Video S3

Powerful English Learning Technique - Learning Through Opposites 3

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## English

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The sisters found some flowers.

The scientist is searching for ants.

The father is arriving at the park.

The company executive is leaving the company.

The surfer is sitting on the fence.

### Vocabulary

| English           | Definition   | Class |
|-------------------|--|-------|
| sister            | female sibling   | noun  |
| to find           | to discover something  | verb  |
| flower            | part of plant that can be very colorful and where the seed of a fruit develops | noun  |
| scientist         | person who does research in the field of science                               | noun  |
| search            | to try and find something  | verb  |
| ant               | insect which lives in a social group   | noun  |
| father            | male parent  | noun  |
| arrive            | to reach a destination   | verb  |
| park              | area of land for recreational activities                                       | noun  |
| company executive | person who manages or directs an organization                                  | noun  |
| leave             | to cause to remain   | verb  |
| surfer            | person who rides the ocean waves using a surf board                            | noun  |
| sit               | to be in a resting position where the body weight is supported by the buttocks | verb  |
| fence             | wall-like structure built around an area                                       | noun  |
| colleague         | a person who works with you : a fellow worker                                  | noun  |

## Vocabulary Sample Sentences

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*I look like my sister.*

*I share an apartment with my sister.*

*The pirates buried the treasure deep so that it was hard to find.*

*I like those red flowers the most.*

*The mad scientist's invention was revolutionary.*

*She frantically searched the room for her keys.*

*The ants are carrying food.*

*Is it an ant?*

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*My father has a farm.*

*They arrived separately, but found each other there.*

*When will you arrive in Paris?*

*I live near the park.*

*The company executive is a very smart person.*

*Leave a message after the beep.*

*Would you like to leave a message?*

*The surfer caught a big wave.*

*I'm tired and need to sit down.*

*She tore her skirt when she jumped over the fence.*

*He nodded while his colleague spoke.*

## Grammar Points

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

***Present tense, Present Progressive tense, and Past tense***

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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 sisters found some flowers.

| Tense                     | Target Sentence in Tense          |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| present tense             | n/a                               |
| present progressive tense | n/a                               |
| past tense                | "The sisters found some flowers." |

## 2. The scientist is searching for ants.

| Tense                     | Target Sentence in Tense               |
|---------------------------|--|
| present tense             | "The scientist searches for ants."     |
| present progressive tense | "The scientist is searching for ants." |
| past tense                | "The scientist searched for ants."     |

## 3. The father is arriving at the park.

| Tense                     | Target Sentence in Tense              |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| present tense             | "The father arrives at the park."     |
| present progressive tense | "The father is arriving at the park." |
| past tense                | "The father arrived at the park."     |

## 4. The company executive is leaving with a colleague.

| Tense                     | Target Sentence in Tense                             |
|---------------------------|--|
| present tense             | "The company executive leaves with a colleague."     |
| present progressive tense | "The company executive is leaving with a colleague." |
| past tense                | "The company executive left with a colleague."       |

## 5. The surfer is sitting on the fence.

| Tense                     | Target Sentence in Tense              |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| present tense             | "The surfer sits on the fence."       |
| present progressive tense | "The surfer is sitting on the fence." |
| past tense                | "The surfer sat on the fence."        |