Present and Past Tense Verbs Worksheet (Converting)
The present tense of a verb names an action that happens now. The past tense of a verb names an action that already happened.
Directions: Re-write each sentence and convert each past tense verb to present, and each present tense verb to past.
Example: The students in the class <u>are</u> on time everyday. <i>The students in the cla</i> ss <u>were</u> on time everyday.
1. John <u>walked</u> to the store yesterday and bought some cookies.
2. Susan <u>was</u> able to walk home after school because she <u>lived</u> very close to it.
3. The group of teenagers <u>are</u> walking to the movie theatre after class.
4. Michael <u>is</u> one of the best and brightest students in the class.
5. The two sisters <u>are</u> running in the marathon.
6. May trained steadily during each workout by jumping, running, and stretching.
7. John Brown <u>enters</u> many horse races during the tracks peak racing seasons.
8. Manifest Destiny <u>is</u> when the Americans chose to take over and expand west.
9. Roger <u>learned</u> a very valuable lesson about life from Ms. Luella Bates Washington Jones.

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