

VERB PRACTICE WORKSHEET

EXERCISE

Select the correct verb form.

1. This radio station is (suppose, supposed) to sign on at five o'clock each morning.
2. Do not pour the orange juice until you have (shook, shaken) it well.
3. In the midst of Miss Havelock's account of the proposal, my younger brother (burst, bursted) into the room.
4. Ever since Caroline placed the want ad in the paper, our telephone has (rang, rung) constantly.
5. Father says that years ago he often (rode, ridden) to town on a streetcar.
6. When we were growing up, we (use, used) to take our sleds to Lambert Park.
7. Please (lie, lay) the daisies here, and I'll go find a vase for them.
8. The counselor (lay, laid) in the top bunk, listening to the whispers coming from the far corner of the cabin.
9. On the ground (lay, laid) large limbs as well as small branches, broken off during the ice storm.
10. In this part of the world the snow has (lain, laid) on the ground since October.
11. Dagwood builds a sandwich by (lying, laying) everything the refrigerator has to offer between two pieces of bread.
12. The detective noticed the gun (lying, laying) on the desk and moved to pick it up.
13. While I am pouring the coffee, I wish that you would (sit, set) the cake on the table.
14. I haven't seen Calvin today, but his car is (sitting, setting) in front of the law library.
15. With his hat (set, sat) jauntily on his head, Felix headed for an afternoon with Emma.
16. The month of May is here, but we have yet to (set, sit) on the porch.
17. You can (sit, set) your packages here in the seat beside me.
18. If Leo (were, was) a bit faster, he could play professional ball.
19. Children have (swang, swung) in these swings ever since I can remember.
20. (Having cleared, Clearing) his throat several times, Professor Barnsley launched into his

lecture.

21. Dolly wishes that she (was, were) able to get a summer job in Vancouver.
22. (Having found, Finding) a seat on the subway, Francis rummaged in her tote bag for a book to read.
23. Uncle David has decided that the children have (swang, swung) enough.
24. We could not count the times we had (drug, dragged) the sleds to the top of the hill.
25. On very cold mornings Liza is (accustomed, accustom) to having a cup of hot chocolate.
26. I had read most of the magazines (lying, laying) on the table in the doctor's office.
27. Because Grandmother has (laid, lain) down for a nap, we will need to be quiet.
28. After (sitting, setting) the child in the car seat, Margaret remembered that she had left the grocery list on the kitchen counter.
29. The effect of the law was to (rise, raise) prices again.
30. Clouds were (raising, rising) on the horizon.