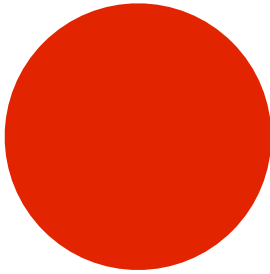


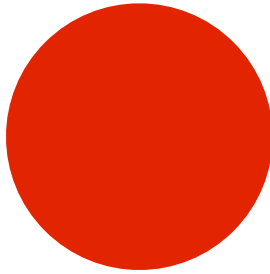
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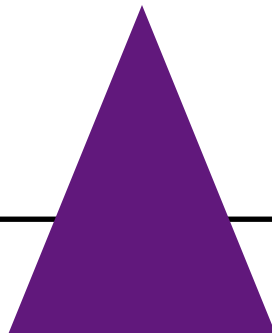
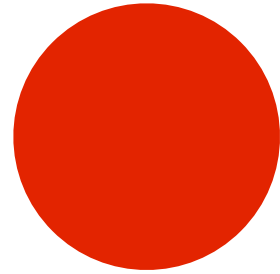
PAST



PRESENT



FUTURE



yesterday
before
last year
preschool
the seed
the dead
cave
1975, 1996

today
now
this year
elementary school
the plant
the living
skyscraper

tomorrow
then
next year
high school
the fruit
those to be born
?
2025, 2032

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Three Fundamental Tenses Chart

This Chart may be presented for discussing past, present and future as related to time (yesterday, today and tomorrow).

Also, objects may be related in time like a plant. First there was the seed. Now we have a plant. In the Spring, the plant will produce some fruit.

Finally, the triangle can represent the pronouns and the red circles are verbs. The verbs can be conjugated with the pronouns in the past, present and future tenses.

Age: The discussion of time is parallel to the presentation of the history material in the Children's House.

The work with the verbs will coincide with the reading of sentences in the first grade and parallel to the conjugation of verbs for reading.