

Identifying Verbs: *be, have, do*

A **verb** is an action word that describes what someone (or something) does.

Some **verbs** just connect the **subject** to the rest of the sentence.

Alexis was on her school's softball team.
Subject Verb

be	have	do
am	have	do
is	has	does
are	had	did
was	will have	will do
were		
will be		

Select the **VERB(S)** in the sentences below:

Margaret Prince is nervous about her dance recital.

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I am at the park with Captain America's dog.

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Pharrell Williams and I were bored all afternoon.

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Chandler Bing was the best chef in the group.

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Select the words that make up the **VERB** in the sentences below:

Damian Lillard had been planning a Go Fish tournament for weeks.

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The five children analyzed Mrs. Prince's personality during breakfast.

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Harper Lee and I have been playing the same game of chess for days.

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