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The Verb *Be*: Tenses and Participles

Past Tense	Past Participle	Present Tense	Present Participle	Future Tense	Subject
was	been	am	being	will be	• I
were		is			• singular (he, she, it)
		are			• plural (they, we) • you

Complete the sentences using the correct form of **be** in the tense in parentheses.



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- Some early parts of the book _____ serious, but later parts _____ funny. (*past, present*)
- Emir liked it when the wizard put people in a bubble because they _____ annoying. (*past + present participle*)
- His teacher said, "We _____ going to finish the book this week." (*present*)
- "There _____ a writing assignment about it soon," she said. (*future*)
- _____ you interested in reading a book like this? (*present*)
- I _____ thinking about buying a copy to read! (*present*)

ANSWER KEY

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8. "There **will be** a writing assignment about it soon," she said. (*future*)
9. **Are** you interested in reading a book like this? (*present*)
10. I **am** thinking about buying a copy to read! (*present*)