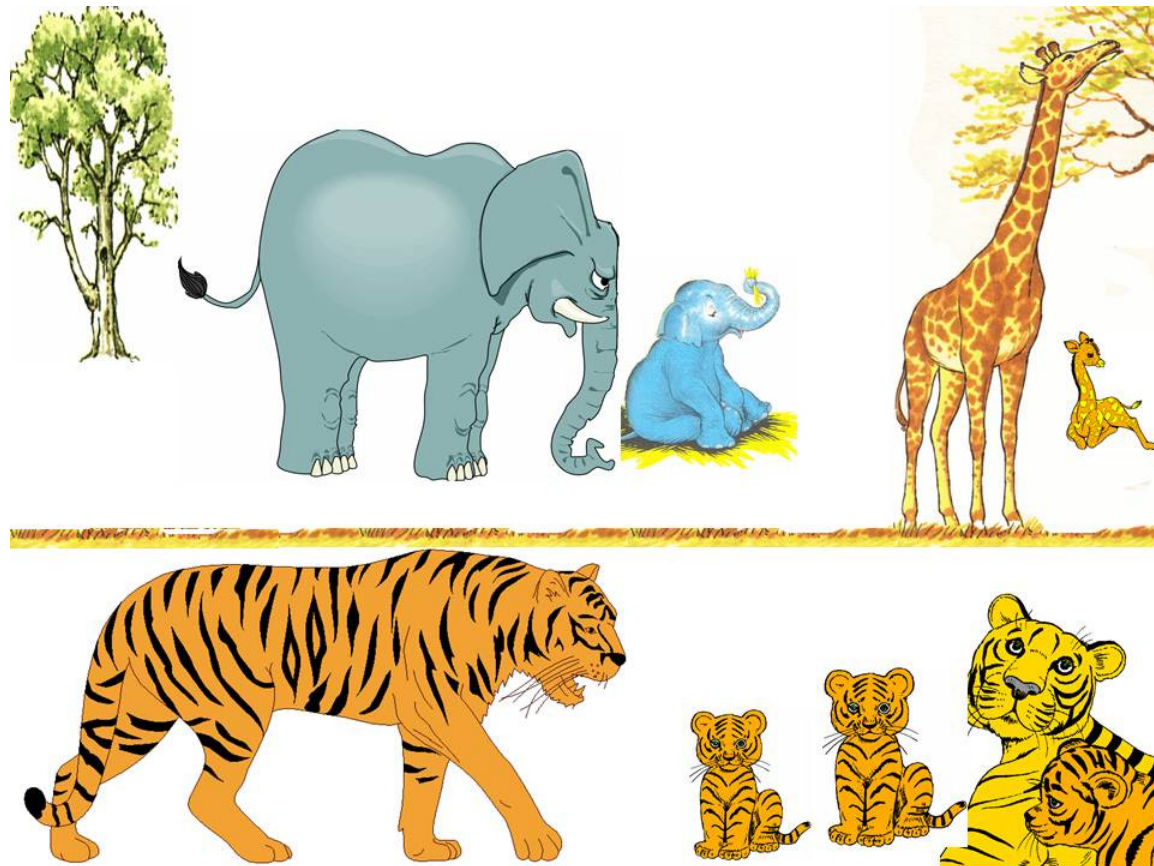


Present continuous tense

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Present continuous tense

- Present continuous tense is used
 - for activities that are currently in progress and are happening at the moment of speaking

Present continuous tense

- For making present continuous tense remove 'na' from infinitive and add 'raha', 'rahey' for masculine and 'rahi' for feminine. Then add various forms of verb 'hona' 'to be' (helping verbs).

Subject	Verb root	Verb ending	To be verb (in present)
Ali	so so-na to sleep	raha	hai

How to make

Infinitive	Without 'na'	Sing. masc. Verb	Sing. fem. Verb
khol-na <i>to open</i>	khol	khol-raha	khol-rahi
parh-na <i>to read</i>	parh	parh-raha	parh-rahi
kha-na <i>to eat</i>	kha	kha-raha	kha-rahi
pi-na <i>to drink</i>	pi	pi-raha	pi-rahi

How to make

Infinitive	Without 'na'	Sing. masc. Verb	Sing. fem. Verb
dekh-na <i>to see, to watch</i>	dekh	dekh-raha	dekh-rahi
likh-na <i>to write</i>	_____	_____	_____
bata-na <i>to tell</i>	_____	_____	_____
keh-na <i>to say</i>	_____	_____	_____

Different forms of 'raha'

	Singular	plural
Masculine	raha	rahey
Feminine	rahi	rahi

Different forms of 'raha'

	Singular	plural
Masculine	rah a lark a kha rah a <i>boy eating</i>	rah ey lark ey kha rah ey <i>boys eating</i>
Feminine	rah i lark i kha rah i <i>girl eating</i>	rah i lark ian kha rah i <i>girls eating</i>

Agreement in present progressive tense

- The verb agrees with the subject in present progressive tense.
- Lark**a** akhbar(m) parh rah**a** hai.
- The boy is reading newspaper.
- Larka roti(f) kha raha hai.
- The boy is eating bread.
- Lark**i** akhbar(m) parh rah**i** hai.
- The girl is reading newspaper.

Proper noun

		Singular	plural
3 rd person	Masculine	<p>Ali kha raha a hai</p> <p><i>Ali is eating</i></p>	<p>Ali aur Usman kha rahey hain</p> <p><i>Ali and Usman are eating</i></p>
	Feminine	<p>Ayesha kha rahi i hai</p> <p><i>Ayesha is eating</i></p>	<p>Ayesha aur Fatima kha rahi i hain</p> <p><i>Ayesha and Fatima are eating</i></p>

Common noun

		Singular	plural
3 rd person	Masculine	Lark ^a kha rah ^a hai <i>The Boy is eating</i>	Lar ^{ey} kha rah ^{ey} hain <i>The Boys are eating</i>
	Feminine	Lark ⁱ kha rahi ⁱ hai <i>The girl is eating</i>	Lark ^{ian} kha rahi ⁱ hain <i>The girls are eating</i>

1st person

		Singular	plural
1 st person	Masculine	Main kha raha h oon <i>I am eating</i>	Hum kha rah ey hain <i>We are eating</i>
	Feminine	Main kha rahi i hoon <i>I am eating</i>	Hum kha rahi i hain <i>we are eating</i>

2nd person

		Singular	plural
2 nd person	Masculine	Tum kha rah ^{ey} ho	Aap kha rah ^{ey} hain
		Aap kha rah ^{ey} hain	Aap kha rah ^{ey} hain
		<i>You are eating</i>	<i>You are eating</i>
	Feminine	Tum kha rah ⁱ ho	Aap kha rah ⁱ hain
		Aap kha rah ⁱ hain	Aap kha rah ⁱ hain
		<i>You are eating</i>	<i>You are eating</i>

3rd person

		Singular	plural
3 rd person	Masculine	Voh kha raha hai <i>He is eating</i>	Voh kha rahe y hain <i>They are eating</i>
	Feminine	Voh kha rahi hai <i>She is eating</i>	Voh kha rahi hain <i>They are eating</i>

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- Assalaam-o-alaikum (*Hello*)
- Wa-alaikum-assalaam (*Hello*)
- Aap kahan ja rahey hain?
- *Where are you going?*
- Main chirya ghar ja raha hoon.
- *I am going to Zoo.*
- Main bhi chirya ghar ja rahi hoon.
- *I am also going to Zoo.*



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- Sher keya kar raha hai?
- *What the lion is doing?*
- Sher gosht kha raha hai?
- *Lion is eating meat?*
- Moar keya kar raha hai?
- *What the peacock is doing?*
- Moar nach raha hai?
- *Peacock is dancing?*



Practice

- Hiran _____?
- *What the deer is doing?*
- _____.
- *Deer is running.*
- Bunder _____?
- *What the monkey is doing?*
- _____.
- *Monkey is eating watermelon?*



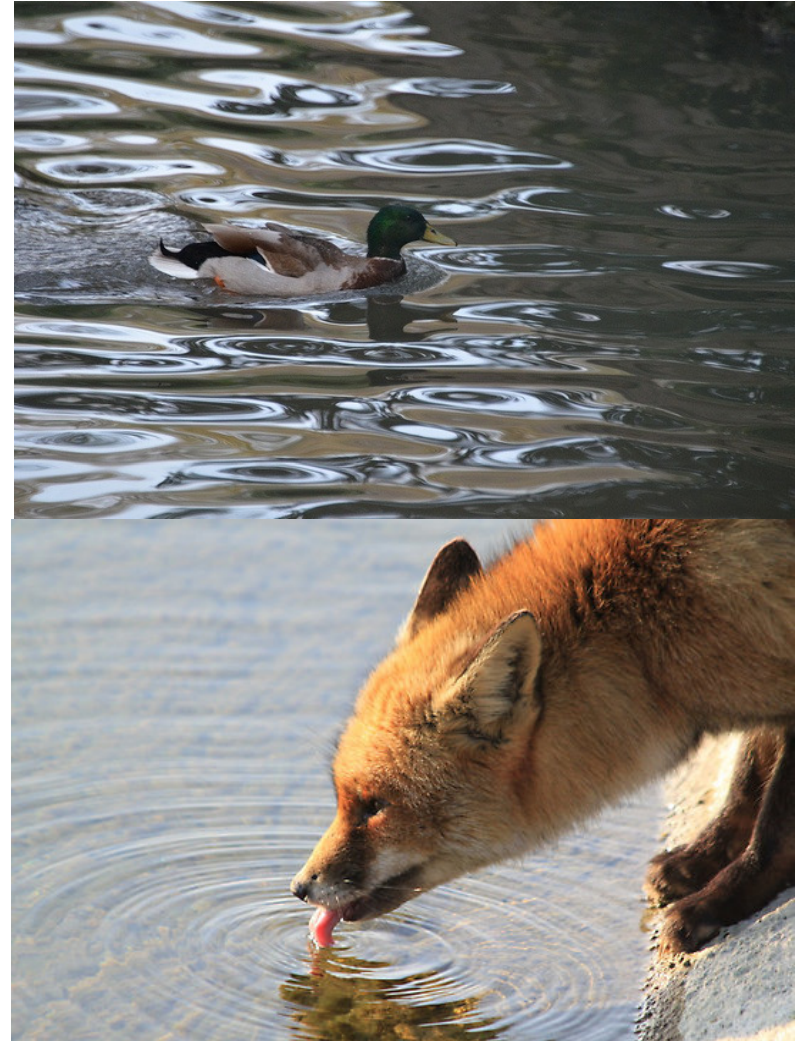
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- Buchch~~ey~~ keya kar rah~~ey~~ hain?
- *What the kids are doing?*
- Buchch~~ey~~ hathi ko paisay day rah~~ey~~ hain.
- *The kids are giving money to the elephant.*
- Cheetah keya kar raha hai?
- *What the tiger is doing?*
- Cheetah so raha hai?
- *Tiger is sleeping?*



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- Buttukh ____ ____ ____?
- *What the duck is doing?*
- Battakh ____ ____ ____.
- *The duck is swimming.*
- Lomri ____ ____ ____?
- *What the fox is doing?*
- Lomri ____ ____ ____.
- *Fox is drinking water.*



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- Tota keya kar raha hai?
- *What the parrot is doing?*
- Tota ur raha hai.
- *The parrot is flying.*
- kabootar keya kar raha hai?
- *What the pigeon is doing?*
- kabootar so raha hai.
- *Pigeon is sleeping.*



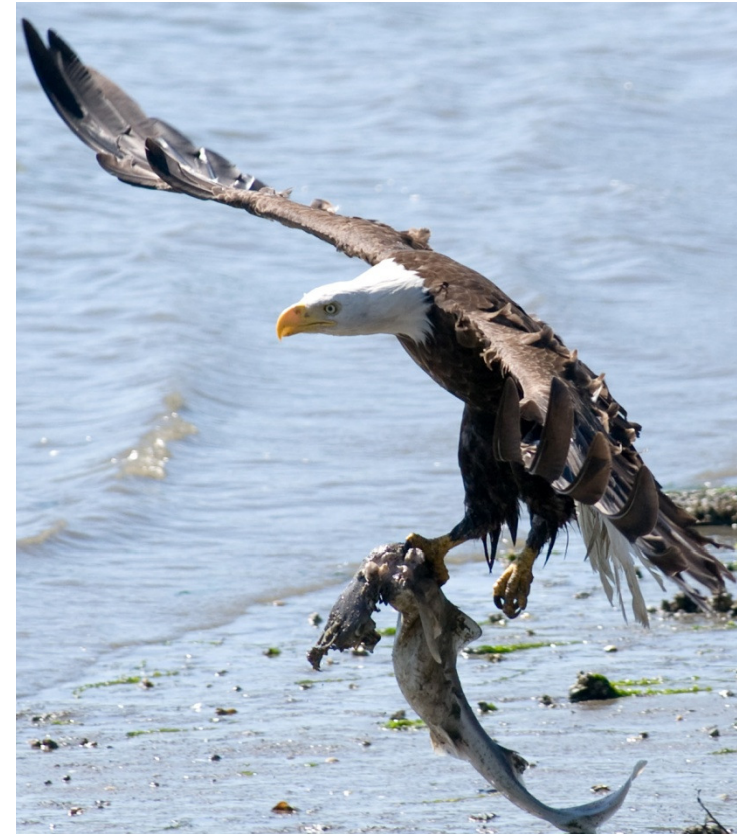
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- Bulbul _____?
- *What the nightingale is doing?*
- Bulbul _____.
- *The nightingale is singing.*
- Cheel _____?
- *What the kite is doing?*
- Cheel _____.
- *Kite is flying.*



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- Oqab ____ ____ ____?
- *What the eagle is doing?*
- Oqab ____ ____ ____.
- *The eagle is flying with its prey.*
- kavva ____ ____ ____?
- *What the crow is doing?*
- Kavva ____ ____ ____.
- *Crow is drinking water.*



Verb Phrase

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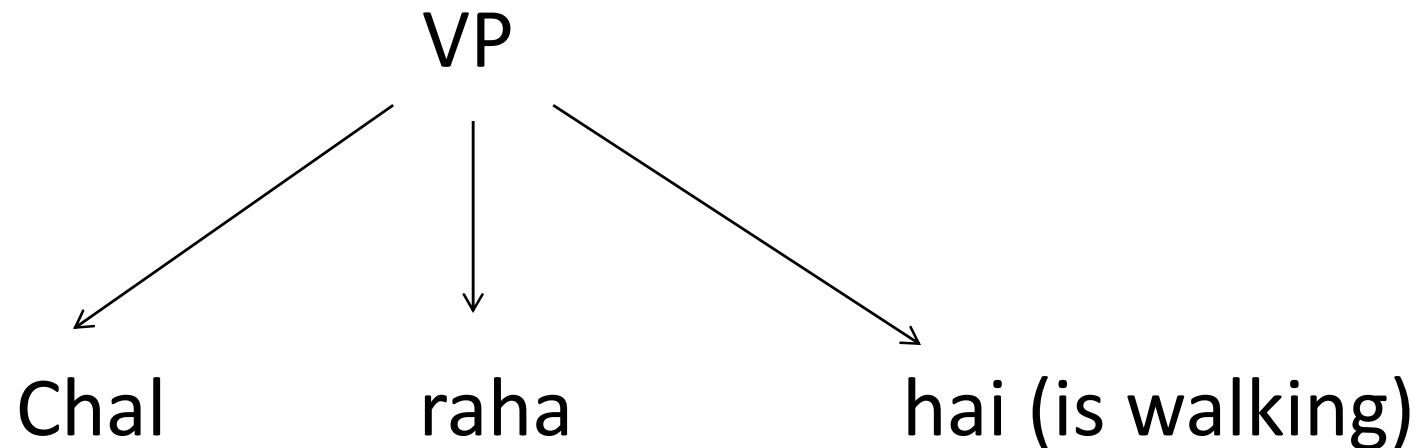
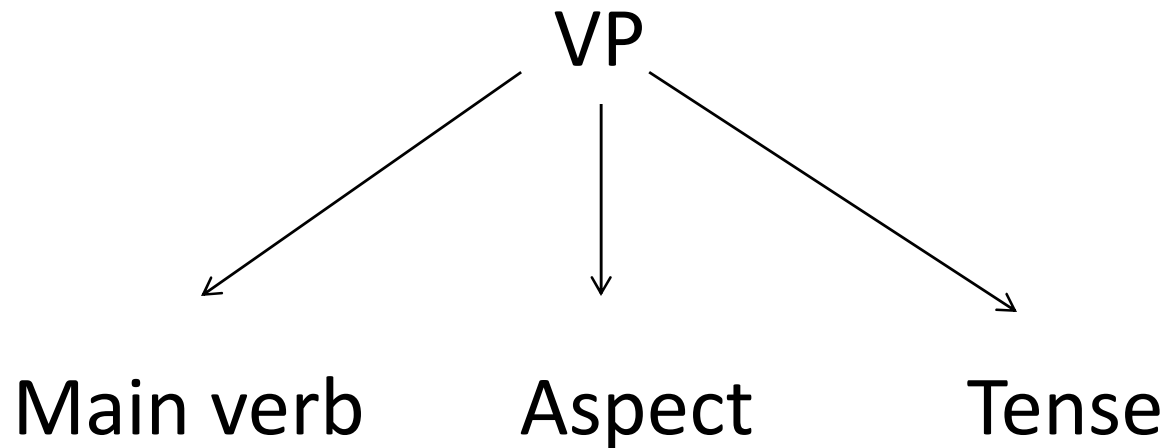
Main verb

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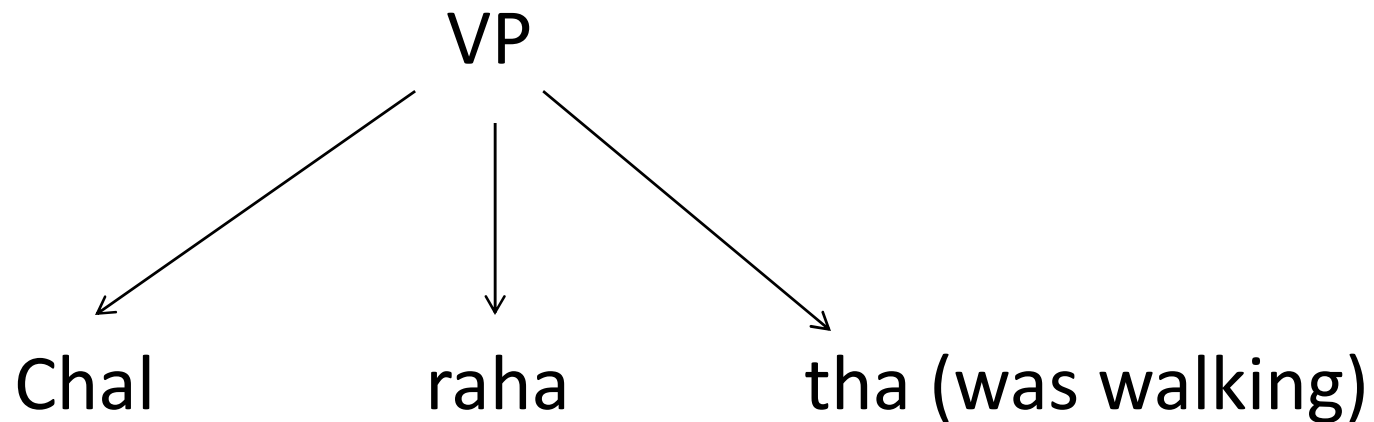
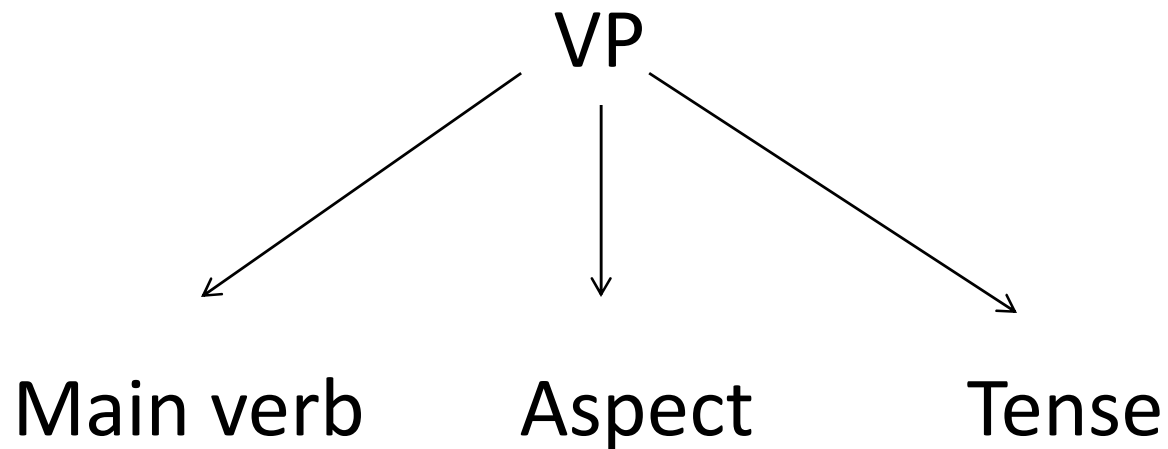


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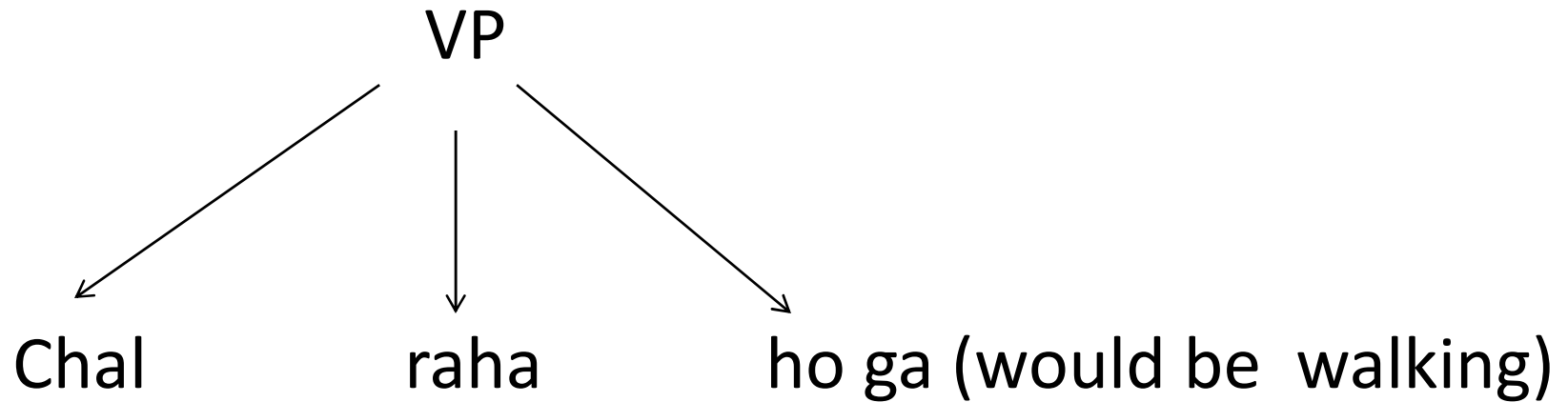
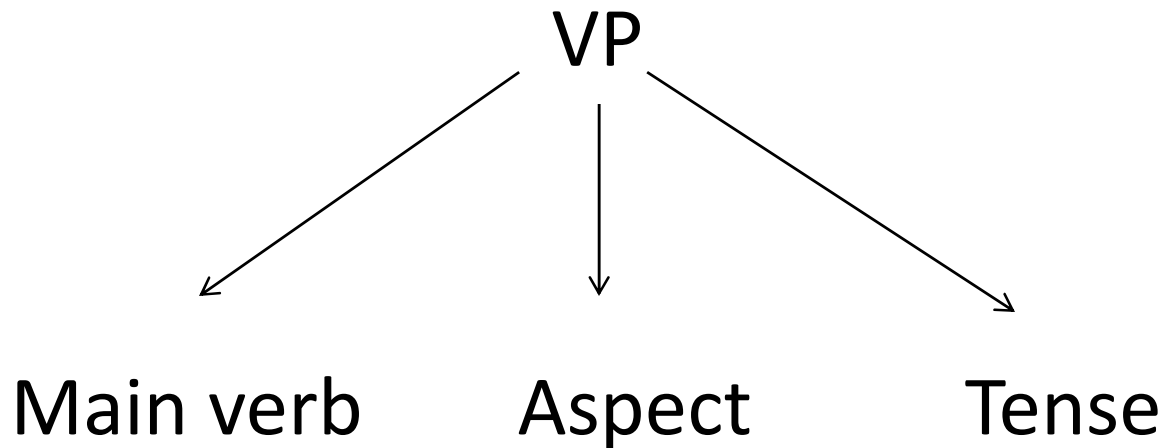
Verb Phrase (present)



Verb Phrase (past)



Verb Phrase (future)



Interview

- Assalaam-o-alaikum (*Hello*)
- Wa-alaikum-assalaam (*Hello*)
- Aap aaj kal keya ker rahey hain?
- *What are you doing these days?*
- _____.
- *I am studying.*

Interview

- Aap kahan parh rahey hain?
- *Where are you studying?*
- _____.
- *I am studying at UET.*
- Keya aap kahin kaam kar rahey hain?
- *Are you working somewhere?*
- _____.
- *No, I am not working.*

Interview

- Aap kahan rehtay hain?
- *Where do you live?*
- _____.
- *I live in _____.*
- Aap keya karna pasand kartey hain ?
- *What do you enjoy doing?*
- _____.
- *I enjoy reading books.*