



MY JAPANESE SCHOOL FRIEND

"Riko's School Life: Past, Present, and Future!"

Activity 1: Choose the Correct Tense!

Read each sentence. Circle or write the correct verb form in the correct tense (Simple Present, Simple Past, or Simple Future).

Example: Last summer, Leo (go / **went** / will go) to a camp.

1. Riko usually (meet / met / will meet) her friends before school every day.
2. Yesterday, Leo (ask / asked / will ask) Riko about her school.
3. Next year, Riko (clean / cleaned / will clean) her classroom again.
4. At Riko's school, students always (serve / served / will serve) their own lunch.
5. Last week, the students (sweep / swept / will sweep) the hallways.
6. Tomorrow, Riko (feel / felt / will feel) proud after *souji*.
7. Right now, Riko (is / was / will be) a happy student in Japan.
8. Leo (learn / learned / will learn) many new things about Japan at the camp.

Activity 2: Complete the Story with Mixed Tenses!

Complete the paragraph using the correct tense (Simple Present, Simple Past, or Simple Future) of the verb in ().

Last summer, Leo **(1)** _____ (go) to a camp. He **(2)** _____ (meet) Riko there. Riko **(3)** _____ (be) from Japan. She **(4)** _____ (tell) Leo about her school. Every day, Riko's class **(5)** _____ (have) *kyushoku*. Students **(6)** _____ (clean) their school after lunch. Tomorrow, Riko **(7)** _____ (continue) to help keep her school clean. She **(8)** _____ (love) her school very much.

Activity 3: Write About Your School Day!

Write 5 sentences about your own school day. Use **Simple Present** for daily routines, **Simple Past** for something that happened yesterday, and **Simple Future** for something you will do tomorrow.

1. (Present) _____
2. (Past) _____
3. (Future) _____
4. (Present) _____
5. (Past or Future) _____

Teacher's Key

Activity 1: Choose the Correct Tense!

1. Riko usually **meets** her friends before school every day.
2. Yesterday, Leo **asked** Riko about her school.
3. Next year, Riko **will clean** her classroom again.
4. At Riko's school, students always **serve** their own lunch.
5. Last week, the students **swept** the hallways.
6. Tomorrow, Riko **will feel** proud after souji.
7. Right now, Riko **is** a happy student in Japan.
8. Leo **learned** many new things about Japan at the camp.

Activity 2: Complete the Story with Mixed Tenses!

Last summer, Leo **(1) went** (go) to a camp. He **(2) met** (meet) Riko there. Riko **(3) was** (be) from Japan. She **(4) told**(tell) Leo about her school. Every day, Riko's class **(5) has** (have) kyushoku. Students **(6) clean** (clean) their school after lunch. Tomorrow, Riko **(7) will continue** (continue) to help keep her school clean. She **(8) loves** (love) her school very much.

Activity 3: Write About Your School Day!

- **Answers will vary.** Students will write sentences using mixed tenses about their own school day.
 - Sample answers:
 1. (Present) I **study** English every morning.
 2. (Past) Yesterday, I **played** soccer after school.
 3. (Future) Tomorrow, I **will finish** my homework.
 4. (Present) My teacher **gives** us interesting lessons.
 5. (Past or Future) Last week, we **had** a big test. / Next week, we **will have** a school trip.