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## **VERBS**:

1. Definition: an action or doing word or helps to make a statement

ACTION VERB: it does the work in the sentence

A. Transitive - act on a noun; verb what EXAMPLE: She **flew** the airplane.

B. Intransitive - do not act on nouns

EXAMPLE: The bird flew. The train **stops**.

- 2. Helping Verb work with another verb; assists a verb in a phrase
- 3. Linking Verb connect the subj. to pred.

EXAMPLE: Kelp is the scientific name for seaweed.

- 4. CROSS OUT
- 5. Verb Tense Definition Tells when/time...
- 6. Tenses: past present future
- 7. Verb Phrase:

**USE HELPING VERBS** 

composed 2 or more verbs (list on second page)

**EXAMPLE**: This year's budget has been approved.

Did she paint the house?

## **LINKING VERBS:** TO BE:

am is are

be were was

being been

appear become

feel grow

look remain

smell seem

sound stay

taste

## **HELPING VERBS:**

all forms of to be and

have, has, had; do, did, will, shall, would,

should, could