

Spanish

Giving an account of a holiday in the past [3/ 3]

Worksheet

- Using multiple tenses

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Using multiple tenses together

Remember to use the correct verb ending to refer to a specific person and tense.

We use the **presente tense** to describe what things are like or to say what usually happens.

Es precioso.

Monto en bici.

It's beautiful.

I ride my

bike.

People **were** nice.

There was a park.

We use the **imperfect tense** to describe what something, someone or somewhere was like.

La gente **era** agradable.

Había un parque.

We use the **preterite tense** to say what you did / what happened.

Viajé en avión.

Aprendí sobre la cultura.

I travelled by plane.

We went sightseeing.



Irregular verbs

Presente tense

Es precioso.

It's beautiful.

Voy de paseo.

I go for a walk.

Imperfect tense

La gente **era** agradable.

People **were** nice.

Había un parque.

There was a park.

Preterite tense

Fuimos a la playa.

We went to the beach.

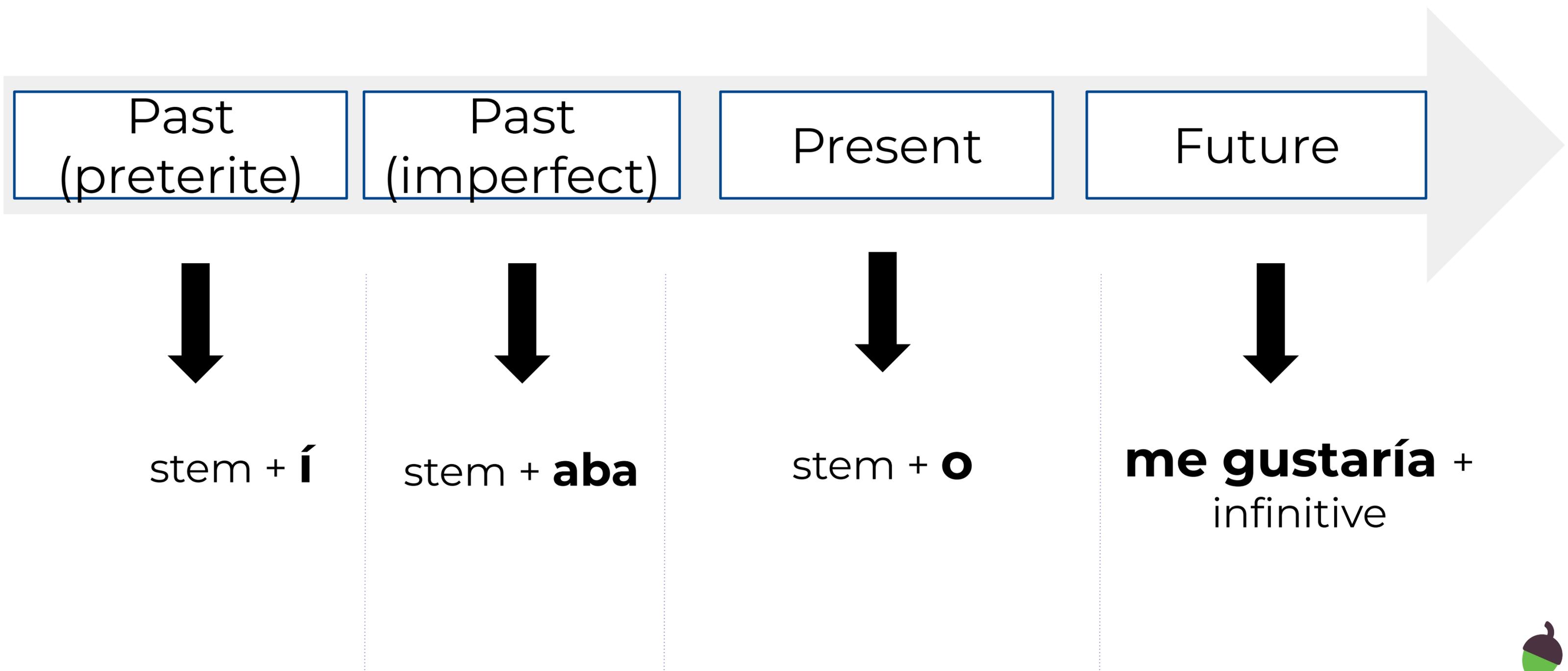
Hice turismo.

I went sightseeing.

Ser and ir are **identical twins** in the preterite! They have the exact same form (fuimos = we went / we were)



Using Multiple Tenses Together - ER/IR VERBS. "I"



Respuestas

1. We use the **imperfect** to describe what something, someone or somewhere was like.
2. **'Comí' and 'monté' are both in the preterite.**

True

3. We use the _____ to talk about what you did / what happened.

a) Present b) Preterite

4. El primer día = On the first day

5. We went = fuimos

