



LO - I can write in past tense

Aim

- I can create sentences in past tense.

Success Criteria

- I can use BOYS sentences to share information.
- I can use but, or, yet and so in sentences.

The event has already happened

What tense will we write in?



Past tense tells us about something that has happened^{ed}. Whereas present tense tells us as it is happening^{ing}.

Which are written in past tense and which are in present tense?

The fire ^{is} burning^{ing} all the buildings^{ings} very quickly but we are trying to put it out.

People act^{ed} quickly, the river was nearby so they used buckets of water to try to extinguish it.

The fire ^{is} still burning^{ing} even though people worked all night.

Many people have argu^{ed}, whether if it was the wind or the buildings being so close together that made the fire spread.

Challenge:
Can you see the
BOYS
conjunctions?

but or yet so
Underline them

Past tense or present tense?

Can we rewrite these in our books to make them past tense?

A fire is blazing in London.

The fire is causing panic.

People are rushing to the river.

The buildings were built close together.

The houses are made of timber.

