

# PROGRESSIVE VERB TENSES

## PAST

An Ongoing Action Occurred in the Past



was

I was talking to Benjamin.

were

Benjamin was talking to me.

The students were talking to Benjamin.

## PRESENT

An Ongoing Action is Occurring Right Now



am

I am talking to Benjamin.

is

Benjamin is talking to me.

are

The students are talking to Benjamin.

## FUTURE

An Ongoing Action Will Occur in the Future



will  
be

I will be talking to Benjamin.

Benjamin will be talking to me.

The students will be talking to Benjamin.