Recognising Simple Past and Present Tenses WEEK 12

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The criminal <u>steals</u> some money from the bank.

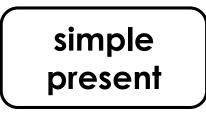


Match the sentence to the correct tense.

A. I live in a large house.

B. He jumped higher than anyone.

C. I smell flowers.



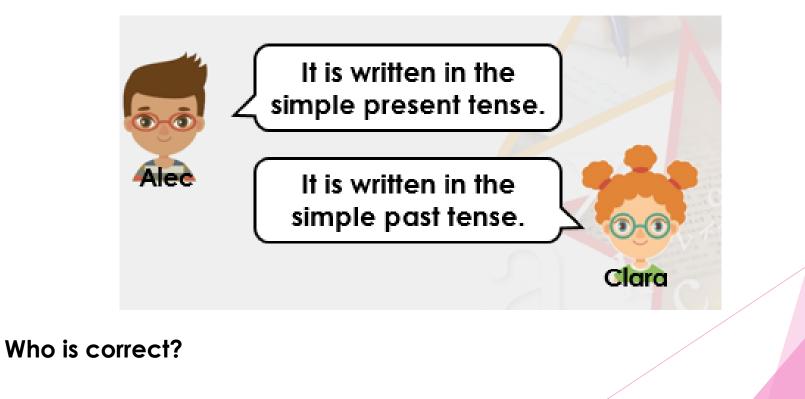


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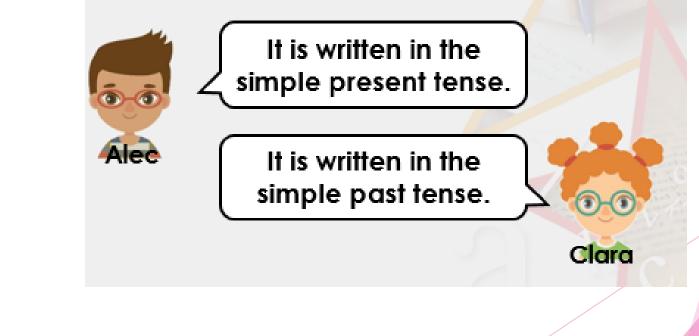
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Who is correct?

Clara is correct.



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The sentence is written in the simple present tense because if it were written in the simple past tense it would be: He <u>rolled</u> the ball down the hill.