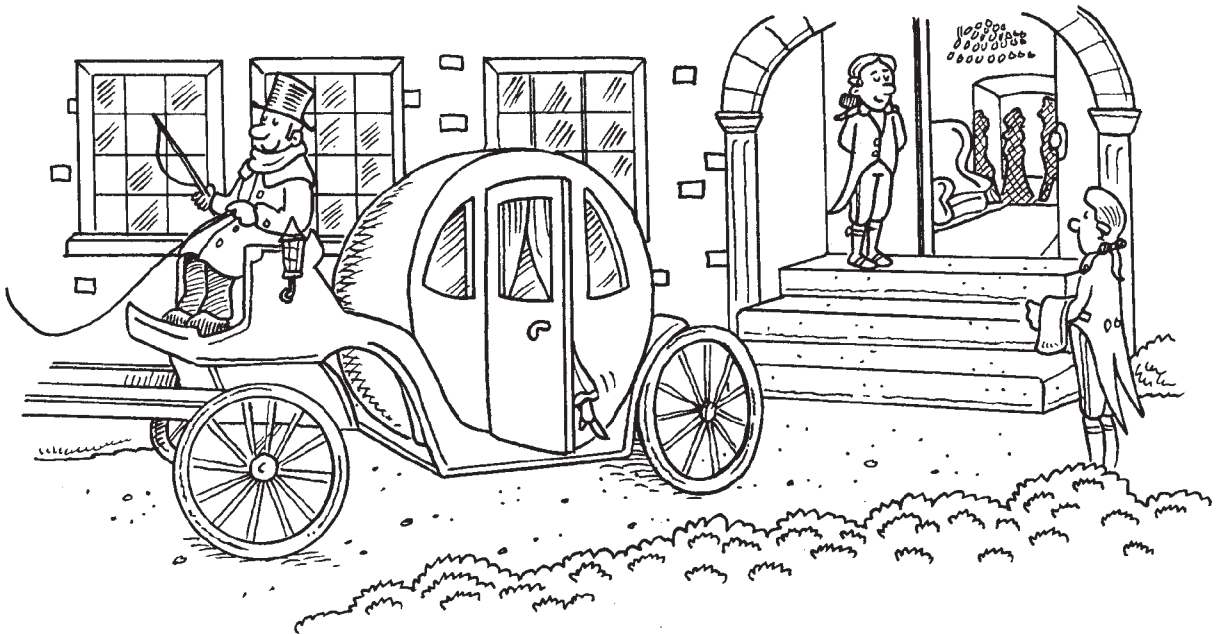
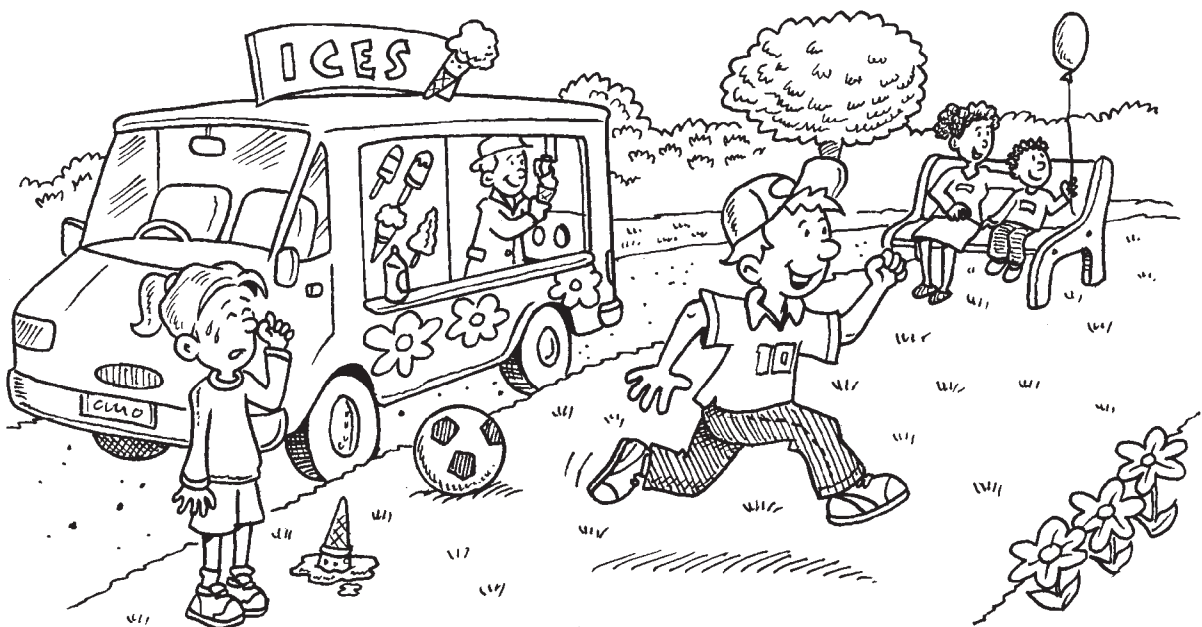


Verb tenses

■ Look at the picture below. What happened before this? Don't forget to use the past tense.

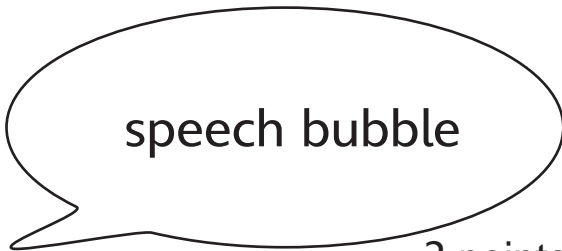


■ Now look at the second picture. Write five sentences describing what is happening in this picture now (present tense). Then write five sentences describing what has already happened (past tense).



Ways of presenting text

- Cut carefully along the dotted lines to make ten cards.
- Can you find examples of these ways of presenting text?



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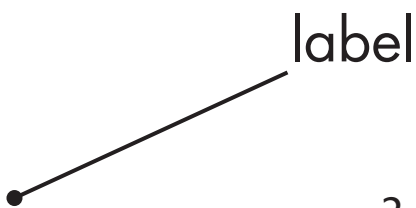
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The Wind Lord

Then came one dawn when the winds grew fierce. The hut shook and shivered in the biting winds. The snow whipped and whirled around the hut, and the man could not go to the lake. The stove died down for Anna could not go to the forest.

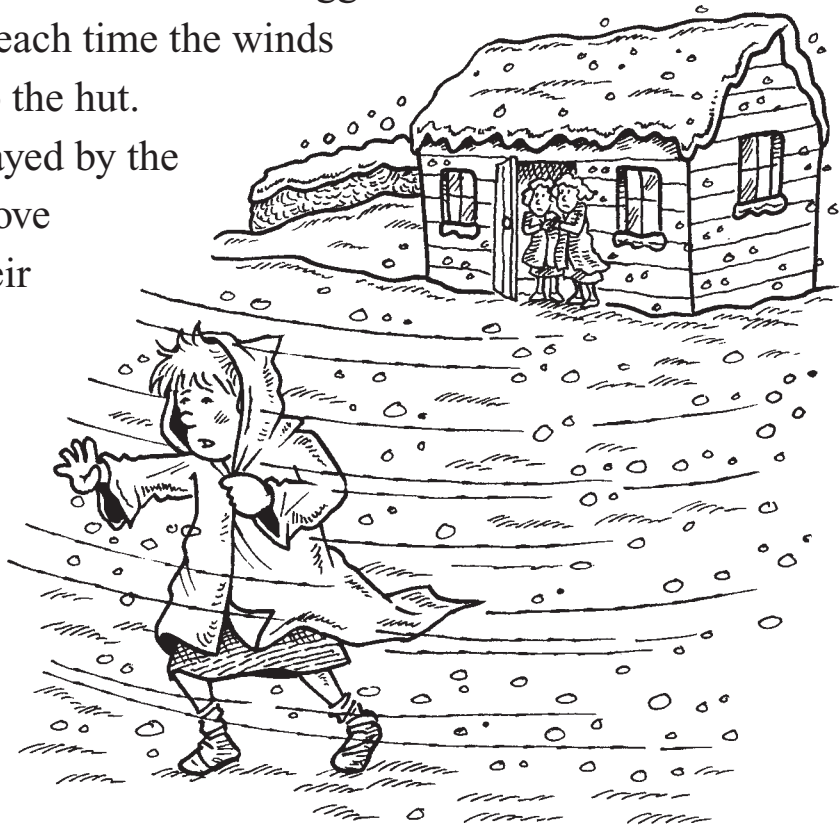
The two eldest daughters moaned as loudly as the wind itself.

“For pity’s sake, Father, go to the lake, for we are sure to starve, and I am hungry!” cried Maria, the eldest daughter.

“Anna, you lazy girl, get more wood, for we are sure to freeze, and I am cold and weak with weariness!” cried Nina, the second daughter.

For three days and nights the wind blew stinging pins of ice through the hut. The man tried to leave the hut and struggle to the lake each day. But each day the winds forced him back. Anna wrapped her thin cloak tightly round her and tried to struggle to the forest each day. But each time the winds pushed her back into the hut.

Maria and Nina stayed by the meagre fire in the stove each day, tending their long hair and fine complexions, and whining as loudly as the wind through the gaps in the wood of the walls.



Gill Howell

Charles Dickens

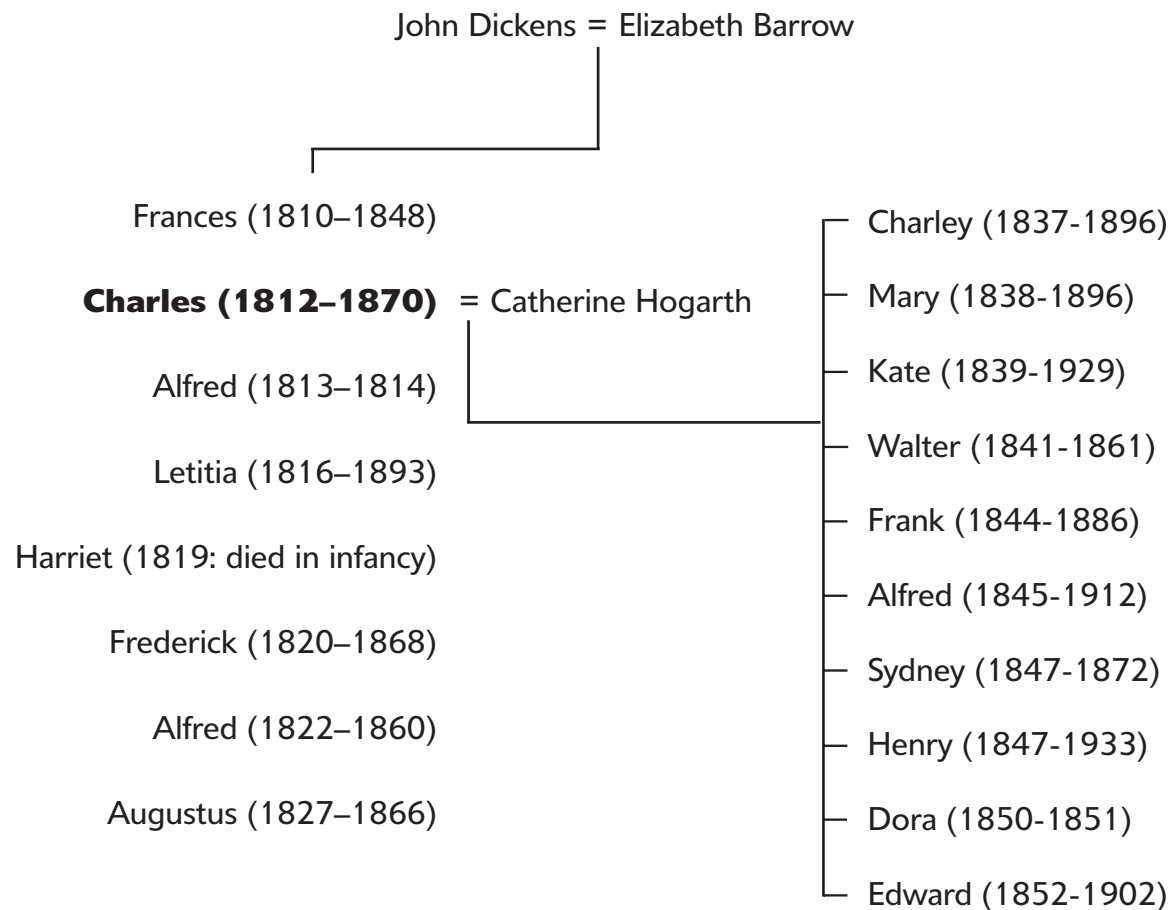
Charles Dickens was born in Portsmouth on 7th February 1812.

His parents, John and Elizabeth Dickens, had 8 children, but 2 of them died when they were babies.

The family moved to London when Charles was ten years old. John

Dickens struggled to provide for his family, and they were sent to *Marshalsea Prison*, apart from Charles. Though only 12 years old, he went to work in Warren's Blacking Factory. He was paid *six shillings* a week for wrapping *shoe-black* bottles.

Family Tree



Glossary: Marshalsea Prison – where people in debt were sent until their debts were paid
 Shoe-black – black shoe polish Six shillings – worth approximately 30 pence