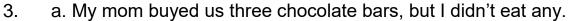
## **Correcting verb tenses**

Grade 5 Verbs Worksheet

Circle the incorrect sentence. Rewrite it correctly on the line below.

Verb tenses must be consistent with the meaning of the sentence.

- 1. a. She wanted to become a teacher when she was little.
  - b. She becomed a lawyer instead.
  - b. She became a lawyer instead.
- a. The dog bited me on the leg when I approached her.
  - b. She bit me so hard I screamed.



- b. I buy my own candy because I like to pick it out.
- 4. a. I never catch fish when I go to the pond.
  - b. My dad catched two fish, and now we will cook them for dinner.
- 5. a. When we arrived, I dived right into the pool.
  - b. I dive in the water even if it is extremely cold.
- 6. a. I rarely fall off my bike when I cruise around the neighborhood.
  - b. Yesterday, I falled hard and scrape my knee.
- 7. a. My sister fighted with her friend last week because she was mad at her.
  - b. I fight with my brother over who gets to pick the television show we watch?



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## **Answers**

- 1. a. She wanted to become a teacher when she was little.
  - b. She becomed a lawyer instead.
    - b. She became a lawyer instead.
- 2. (a.) The dog bited me on the leg when I approached her.
  - b. She bit me so hard I screamed.
  - a. The dog bit me on the leg when I approached her.
- 3. (a.)My mom <u>buyed</u> us three chocolate bars, but I didn't eat any.
  - b. I buy my own candy because I like to pick it out.
  - a. My mom bought us three chocolate bars, but I didn't eat any.
- 4. a. I never catch fish when I go to the pond.
  - (b.) My dad catched two fish, and now we will cook them for dinner.
    - b. My dad caught two fish, and now we will cook them for dinner.
- 5. (a.)When we arrived, I dived right into the pool.
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  - a. When we arrived, I dove right into the pool.
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- 7. a.My sister <u>fighted</u> with her friend last week because she was mad at her.
  - b. I fight with my brother over who gets to pick the television show we watch?
  - a. My sister **fought** with her friend last week because she was mad at her.

