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Linking verbs include forms of to be: am, are, is, was, were, be, being, been, become, and seem.

Sense words like look, appear, taste, feel, smell, and sound can also be linking verbs.



Circle the linking verb in each sentence below.

1. We were tired after the bike ride.



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6. The baby seemed sleepy.
7. Mrs. Williams is an author.
8. That was the best birthday party ever!
9. My brother's favorite color is orange.
10. Lemons taste sour.
11. The paint feels dry.
12. *Beware of the Pickled Mummy* was a scary movie.

## ANSWER KEY

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