

Memories as Flashbacks

Look at the memories described in the table below. Can you re-write them in the present tense, thinking about how they would sound as a flashback?

Challenge: Can you pick one of these memories and extend it by writing more about it in the present tense as a flashback? Think about how you could introduce the flashback as well as how the character could get out of the flashback.

PAST TENSE	PRESENT TENSE
<p>I ran away quickly but it was too late, my mother had seen me knock the glass over.</p>	
<p>I used to love running through the park, splashing in the muddy puddles until my clothes were soaked through.</p>	
<p>It was Christmas Eve and I remember sitting by the fire watching A Christmas Carol on the TV while it was snowing outside.</p>	
<p>My brother and I got into big trouble as we forgot to take off our football boots and walked mud all over the cream carpets!</p>	
<p>I saw the most beautiful rainbow in the sky and my dad told me all about how it was created.</p>	

We arrived at the campsite and my mum had forgotten the pegs so we had to go to the local shop on our bikes to buy some more.

It was my 10th birthday and I walked in the door and to my surprise I saw an adorable puppy!