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## Verb Café: Match the Verb & Explain Your Order Answer Key

Note: There may be more than one possible correct answer, as long as it makes sense and is justified well. Below are sample correct matches.

Subject	Verb (from menu)	A or L	Why it fits
1. The soup	tastes	L	"Tastes" links the soup to a description; not showing action.
2. The students	are	L	"Are" links subject to a state/description.
3. My dog	runs	A	"Runs" shows what the dog is doing-an action.
4. She	write	A	"Writes" is something she actively does.
5. The garden	smells	L	Describes how the garden smells-not an action.
6. The athlete	jumps	A	"Jumps" is an action the athlete performs.
7. He	seems	L	"Seems" connects to a state or appearance.
8. The painting	looks	L	"Looks" describes appearance, not an action.
9. The cake	is	L	"Is" links the subject to a state or identity.
10. I	paint	A	"Paint" is an action verb describing what "I" do.