

SIX WAYS OF EXPRESSING THE PAST

- i) रामो वनं गच्छति स्म ॥ (स्म changes the Tense to the Past)
- ii) रामो वनमगच्छत् ॥ (Verb, Past Tense, paradigm अभवत्.)
- iii) रामो वनं गतः ॥ (गत is a 'ta' ending word.)
- iv) रामो वनं गतवान् ॥ (गतवान् is a 'tavat' ending; uses 'धीमत्' endings.)
- v) रामो वनं जगाम ॥ (Verb, The Perfect; refer to बभूव or बभाषे.)
- vi) रामेण वनमगम्यत ॥ (Passive Verb , Past Tense paradigm अलभत.)