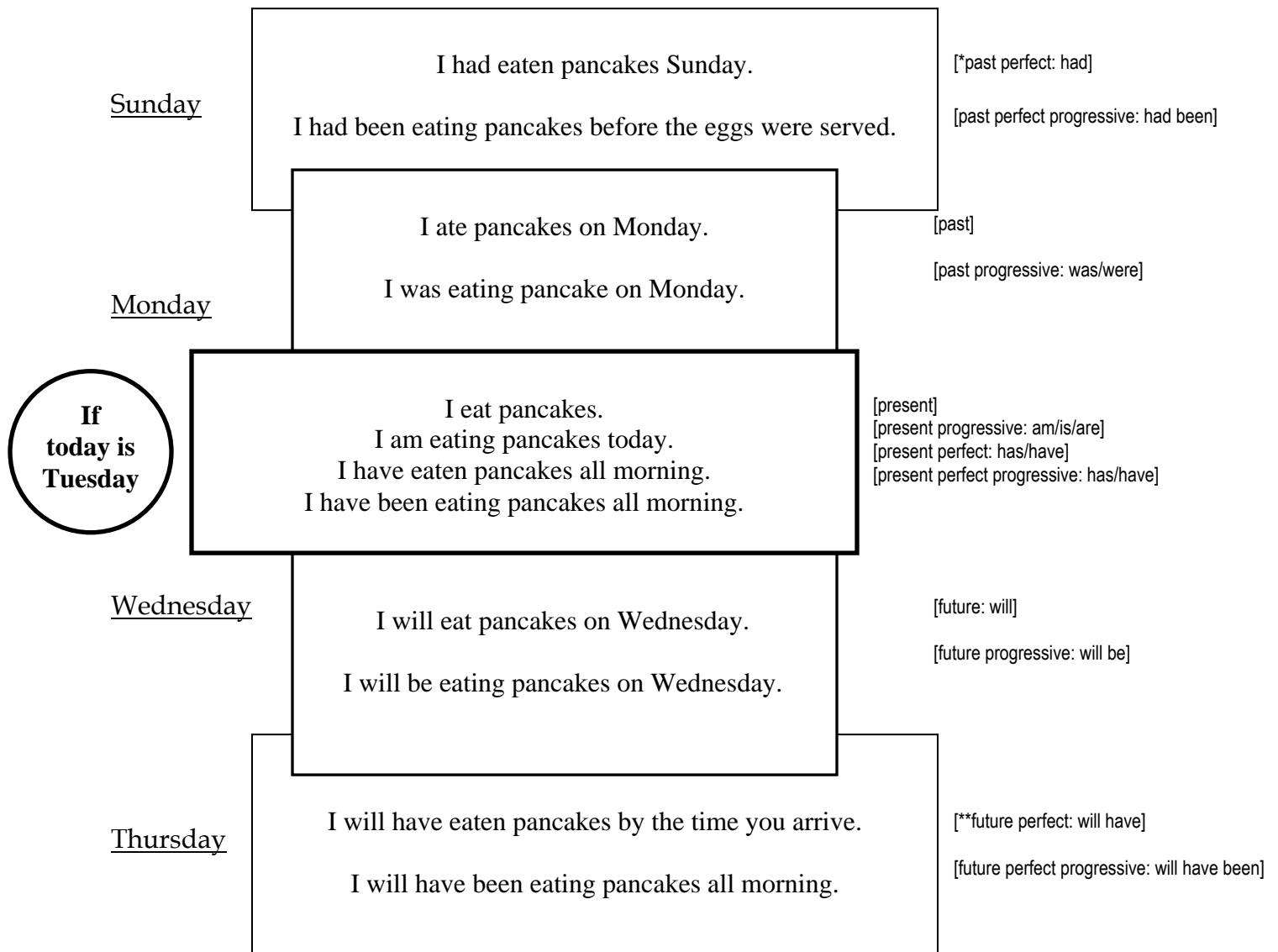


# Making Decisions about Verb Tense

Verbs identify specific actions.

Verb tense identifies a particular time when an action occurred.

Sometimes main verbs that identify the action have to team up with auxiliary/helping verbs (is/was/will/has/had/etc.) to indicate the time of the action.



\*Past Perfect: shows action occurring before another past action

\*\*Future Perfect: shows action occurring before another future action