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ENGLISH 6th /7th
Grammar Practice
Level: Basic Teacher: L. García & N. Salcedo
Function: To describe habits and routines.
Student's Name: _____

Read the article about Doctor Bugs. Notice the words **in bold.**

Doctor Bugs

Most people don't like bugs, but Doctor Mark Moffet **loves** them! In fact, his nickname is Doctor Bugs. He's a photographer and an entomologist. An entomologist **studies** bugs.

Doctor Moffett's favorite bug is the ant. He **goes** all over the world to study ants. He **watches** them as they **eat**, **work**, **rest**, **sleep**, and **fight**.

He **takes** photographs of the ants. He **lies** on the ground with his camera and **waits** for the right moment. The ants and other bugs often **bite** him, but that doesn't stop Doctor Bugs. He **has** an interesting and unusual job, and he **loves** it!

▲ Doctor Mark Moffett

1. Read the list of verbs in the chart. Who does each action? Check (✓) the correct column.

Verbs	Dr. Moffett	Ants
studies		
fight		
waits		
bite		

2. Find other verbs in the text and write them in the correct column.

Dr. Moffett	Ants
goes	eat

3. Look at exercise 1 and 2. Choose the correct answer.

- The verbs under Dr. Moffett:

a. end in s
b. don't end in s

- The verbs under Ants:

c. end in s
d. don't end in s

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Present Simple: Affirmative statements

Subject	Verb		Subject	Verb	
I You We You They Tom and Sue	**work**	every day.	He She It My brother	**works**	every day.

1. Use the simple present to talk about habits or routines, schedules, and facts.	Habit or Routine: I **exercise** every day. Schedule: She **starts** work at eight. Fact: It **rains** a lot in April.
2. Add *-s* to the verb for *he, she, it,* and singular subjects.	He **drives** to work. She **works** in an office. The bank **opens** at 9:00 a.m.
3. Do not put *be* in front of another verb in the simple present.	✓ He works at a bank. ✗ He is work at a bank.

4. **Choose the correct form of the verb to complete each sentence.**

1. Doctor Moffett *love / loves* his job.
2. He *study / studies* ants.
3. A salesperson *sell / sells* products for a company.
4. You and Anita *work / works* on weekends.
5. Nurses *help / helps* people.
6. We *write / writes* science books.
7. Our office *close / closes* at 7:00 p.m.
8. She *take / takes* classes at the business school.
9. You *walk / walks* to work every day.
10. I *start / starts* work at 8:00 a.m. every morning.

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5. Complete each sentence with the correct form of the verb in parentheses.

1. A zookeeper feeds _____ (feed) animals.

2. Computer programmers _____ (write) software.

3. Photographers _____ (take) photos.

4. A chef _____ (cook) food.

5. A firefighter _____ (fight) fires.

6. Musicians _____ (play) instruments.

7. A farmer _____ (work) on a farm.

8. A dancer _____ (dance).

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