

Stative Verbs Homework

1. Categorize the verbs as action verbs (A), stative verbs (S), or both (B).

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| 1. ...B.... think | 6. walk | 12. own |
| 2. talk | 7. want | 13. like |
| 3. see | 8. sleep | 14. know |
| 4. understand | 9. have | 15. watch |
| 5. be | 10. read | 16. hate |
| | 11. go | |

2. Read the sentences and circle the correct verb form.

1. Ryan *is / is being* very rude. Someone should tell him to be quiet.
2. We *have / are having* dinner at an Italian restaurant with some friends tonight.
3. I *don't think / am not thinking* it's a good idea to drive during a snow storm.
4. I can't *see / seeing* very well, so I *see / am seeing* an eye doctor next week.
5. I'm on the phone with my mum, but I *don't understand / am not understanding* what she's saying.
6. Sean *has / is having* a lot of work to do today.
7. I borrowed money from my brother. Now I *owe/am owing* him ten dollars.
8. *Do you own/Are you owning* your home or do you pay rent every month?
9. My classmate is very smart. He *knows/is knowing* many things.
10. I *weigh/am weighing* only 70 kilograms but I still want to lose a little weight.

3. Complete the sentences with either the Present Simple or the Present Continuous:

1. My dad (try) to learn the guitar, but he (not want) to have lessons.
2. My sister (need) a new bike. She (use) mine at the moment.
3. My brothers (play) football twice a week, but they (not like) watching it on TV.
4. I (think) about buying a pair of VR glasses. I (believe) they're not too expensive.
5. Be quiet! I (watch) this film. I (not make) a noise during your favourite TV programmes.
6. That's a nice perfume you (wear) today. It (smell) very nice.
7. My mum isn't here at the moment. She (have) lunch with a friend, I (think).