

PRESENT TENSE SIMPLE AND CONTINUOUS

1. Complete the sentences using the correct form of the present tense.

1. You can't see Jimmy now. He _____ a bath. (HAVE)
2. He _____ to the theatre. (NEVER GO)
3. Anne _____ all her clothes herself. At the moment she _____ a dress for a fancy dress party (MAKE, MAKE).
4. He usually _____ coffee for breakfast, but today he _____ tea (HAVE, HAVE).
5. I can't go home now because it _____, and I _____ an umbrella. (RAIN, NOT HAVE).
6. In Britain women normally _____ hats. (NOT WEAR)
7. The sun _____ in the east and _____ in the west (RISE, SET)
8. Who _____ that terrible noise outside? – It's Dad. He _____ the lawn. (MAKE, MOW)
9. I _____ this weekend near the coast. I _____ there nearly every weekend. (SPEND, GO)
10. She _____ thirty cigarettes a day but at the moment she _____ to stop. (SMOKE, TRY)
11. We _____ breakfast together every Sunday morning. (HAVE)
12. What's that smell. – It's in the kitchen. Something _____. (BURN)
13. Who _____ to on the phone? – It's my friend Carry. (YOU SPEAK)
14. I _____ overtime this month because I _____ up some money to buy a new car. (WORK, SAVE)
15. The moon _____ around the earth (GO)
16. She usually _____ languages very quickly, but she _____ problems with Chinese (LEARN, HAVE).
17. _____ TV every evening ? (YOU WATCH)

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18. He always _____ his bills on time. (PAY)

19. How long _____ you to get to the office? – It _____ me about half an hour (IT TAKE, TAKE)

20. The plane that _____ Heathrow at 9.15 is on schedule. (LEAVE)

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