

SIMPLE PRESENT (S.P) "DO – DOES"

We use the simple present to talk about: daily activities, habits, or routines. When we work in the simple present, we divide in two parts:

Part 1.	I You We They	Aux. DO (-, ?, S.A.)*
Part 2.	He She It	Aux. DOES (-, ?, S.A.)*

*(-, ?, S.A.) = negative sentences, questions, short answers

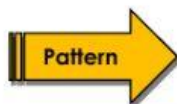
The verb DO and DOES has two different functions

Function 1: Auxiliary

Function 2: A verb in the Simple form

▪ Affirmative Sentences

Part 1: I, YOU, WE, THEY



Subject	Verb in the simple form	Complement
I	play	soccer every Sunday
You	eat	hamburger every weekend
They	wash	their car every Sunday
We	study	English every Friday

Part 2: SHE, HE, IT

Structure: In the positive form add '**s**' to the base form of the 3rd person singular. If the verb ends in **-y** preceded by a consonant, change the **-y** to **-ies**. Add the suffix **-es** to verbs ending in /ss/, /ch/, /sh/ /o/ or /x/



Subject	Verb with "s"	Complement
he	studies	the lesson
She	goes	to school
It	sleeps	In the yard

REMARK:

I/we/you/they	Mix	Like	Watch	Do	Finish	Pass	Try	Have
He/she/it	Mixes	Likes	Watches	Does	Finishes	Passes	Tries	Has



She **likes** coffee



I work in an office
My sister **works** in a bank



It **rains** a lot in winter

▪ Negative Sentences

Part 1: I, YOU, WE, THEY



Subject	Auxiliary "Don't"	Verb in the simple form	Complement
I	don't	eat	pizza
You	don't	read	the newspaper
We	don't	work	on Sunday
They	don't	write	letters

Part 2: SHE, HE, IT



Subject	Auxiliary "Doesn't"	Verb in the simple form	Complement
He	doesn't	listen	to the radio
She	doesn't	wash	the dishes
It	doesn't	drink	milk

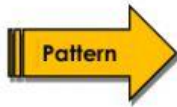


She doesn't drink coffee



He doesn't like his new school

SUBJECT AND OBJECT PRONOUNS



Subject Pronouns		Object Pronouns	
BEFORE The verb	I	Me	AFTER The verb
	You	You	
	He	Him	
	She	her	
	It	It	
	We	Us	
	You	You	
	They	Them	

e.g.:

- ✓ John **talks** to his father
He talks to him
- ✓ Henry **buys** a doll to his daughter
He buys a doll to her
- ✓ Betty **reads** a story to the children
She reads a story to them
- ✓ My husband and I **wash** our car
We wash it
- ✓ Our parents **call** my sister and me
They call us
- ✓ Jenny **feeds** the animals
She feeds them