

1. Complete the sentences with present continuous

Hi Steve! It's Sean. How are things? I hope you are well. ¹ _____ (you / have) a good time in Hull? I ² _____ (call) from my grandparents' house in Cornwall. My sister and I ³ _____ (stay) here for a couple of weeks, and we ⁴ _____ (enjoy) it a lot. I ⁵ _____ (plan) to study for my exams later, but now I ⁶ _____ (relax). I'm not totally lazy, though – I ⁷ _____ (run) every morning. Jake and I ⁸ _____ (think) about spending a month in Spain. Would you like to go with us? Let me know! Well, the sun ⁹ _____ (shine) so I think I'll go for a walk. Bye!

2. Match a-f with 1-6

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| 1 something that happens regularly | ☐ |
| 2 verbs not used in continuous tenses | ☐ |
| 3 something happening at this moment | ☐ |
| 4 stating a fact or law | ☐ |
| 5 something happening around this time | ☐ |
| 6 a future plan | ☐ |
| a I am leaving for London at 6 a.m. tomorrow. | |
| b The Earth goes around the sun. | |
| c I always play basketball on Saturdays. | |
| d They are spending a lot of time together these days. | |
| e I need some help with homework. | |
| f Look outside – it's snowing! | |