

Present Simple

1 Complete the gaps with the correct form of the verbs. Use affirmative (+) or negative (–) forms.

- 0 Paulo likes (like) reading novels. (+)
- 1 Peter _____ (go) out with his friends in the evening. (+)
- 2 Carmen _____ (study) German in her free time. (+)
- 3 Hans _____ (play) basketball with his friends. (–)
- 4 Sylvia _____ (watch) TV every night. (+)
- 5 I _____ (understand) most poems. (–)
- 6 We _____ (paint) pictures at the weekend. (+)
- 7 David and Frank _____ (want) to live in a village. (–)
- 8 I _____ (have) a shower in the mornings. (–)

Present Continuous

2 Complete the gaps in the conversations with the correct form of the verbs in the Present Continuous. Use affirmative (+) or negative (–) forms.

Conversation 1

Mum: Ivona, where are you? We 're waiting (wait +) for you!

Ivona: Sorry, Mum. I ¹ _____ (brush +) my teeth. Oh, and I ² _____ (put +) my things in my bag.

Mum: You ³ _____ (do –) them at the same time, are you?

Ivona: Yes, ⁴ _____ – as usual!

Mum: That's clever! Anyway, Dad ⁵ _____ (phone +) for a taxi now, so hurry up.

Conversation 2

Alan: Dad, you ⁶ _____ (watch –) this film, are you? The football ⁷ _____ (start +) now on the other channel.

Dad: Yes, I am actually, Alan. I ⁸ _____ (enjoy +) it too, so leave it on, please!

Past Simple

3 Write the Past Simple of the verbs in brackets to complete the sentences.

- 0 Henri started (start) at a new school two months ago.
- 1 My dad _____ (study) at university for three years.
- 2 Carlos _____ (change) his mobile phone last week.
- 3 I _____ (talk) to my grandparents last week.
- 4 Bruce _____ (agree) to help his brother with his homework.
- 5 She _____ (stop) playing the piano last year.
- 6 They _____ (watch) TV until 11 o'clock yesterday.
- 7 He _____ (promise) to be on time for school.
- 8 Fiona _____ (need) to work hard to pass her exams.

4 Complete the dialogue using *was* or *were*.

Wayne: Where ⁰ were you yesterday morning?

Danny: I ¹ _____ at the pet shop.

Wayne: You ² _____ at the pet shop?

Danny: Yes, and my parents ³ _____ with me. It ⁴ _____ my birthday yesterday, you see.

There ⁵ _____ a parrot in a cage in the window and...

Wayne: You're kidding! Don't tell me... it ⁶ _____ your birthday present! ⁷ _____ you excited?

Danny: Yes, of course I ⁸ _____! I still am!

Wayne: I'm not surprised. That's awesome!

Danny: Do you want to come round and see it?

Wayne: Let's go!

Animals

5 Complete the names of the animals by rearranging the letters. Use the short descriptions to help you. Do not change the first letter.

0 This animal can jump a long way.

k a n g a r o o (k o r n o g a a)

1 This animal is very large and grey.

e _ _ _ _ _ (e a h t e p l n)

2 This animal has colourful wings.

b _ _ _ _ _ (b l t e u y t f r)

3 This animal has black and white stripes.

z _ _ _ _ (z a b r e)

4 This animal lives in holes in the ground.

r _ _ _ _ _ (r b t b a i)

5 This animal lives in the sea.

d _ _ _ _ _ (d i h l n o p)

6 This animal has eight legs.

s _ _ _ _ _ (s d e i r p)

7 This animal usually lives in trees.

m _ _ _ _ _ (m k y n o e)

6 Match the description of the animal body part with the name of the body part from the box below.

skin	claws	tail	mouth
fur	wings	feathers	

Description

Body Part

Most animals have this covering their bodies.

0 skin

All animals and birds use this to eat.

1 _____

Most birds have these all over their bodies.

2 _____

This is at the back of many animals and birds.

3 _____

You find these on animals' and birds' feet.

4 _____

Birds have two of these, some insects have four.

5 _____

Many animals have this on them to keep them warm.

6 _____

Emotions and Feelings

7 Complete the words using *ed* or *ing*.

0 When my mum tells a joke, it's embarrassing.

1 James works from 6.30 until in the evening. He's always tir__.

2 My sister often takes my clothes without asking. I get very annoy__.

3 I love the new TV series. It's really interest__.

4 Pam is excit__ about the concert tonight.

5 Jake doesn't like horror films. He gets frighten__ when he watches one.

Personality

8 Complete the words from the descriptions.

- 0 This describes someone who shows their feelings: outgoing
- 1 This describes someone who only thinks about himself: **s** _ _ _ _ _
- 2 This describes someone who likes telling other people what to do: **b** _ _ _ _
- 3 This describes someone who thinks he's good at everything: **b** _ _ - _ _ _ _ _
- 4 This describes someone who is not polite: **r** _ _ _
- 5 This describes someone who is always happy: **c** _ _ _ _ _