

GRAMMAR TEST

PRESENT AND PAST FORMS

1. Fill in the gaps in the following sentences with the correct Present/Past Simple or Present/Past Continuous form of the verb in brackets.

1. I.....(not/like) getting up in the morning.
2. My brother and I (have) to get up quite early to get to school on time.
3. Our father(sometimes/drive) us, but on other days we.....(get) the school bus.
4. We.....(not/go) to school next Monday because it is a holiday.
5. She(always/talk) in class which(drive) all the teachers crazy.
6. Bill(paint) his front door when the telephone(start) ringing. He(answer) the phone and(speak) to his friend.
7.(Tony/ring) you last night? Yes. He.....(tell) me about his plans for the weekend.
8. Your hair.....(look) different last night. I know – I(want) to dye it red but I(not/pay) attention when I(buy) the dye.
9. Last Friday I(walk) to work when I(see) an old friend.
10. Ann(fly) to Barcelona tonight. She.....(pack) her suitcase yesterday.
11. Ann and Sally.....(be) flat mates. They sometimes.....(argue) because Sally.....(always/make) a mess in the kitchen.
12. What a great match! Johnson(pass) the ball to Green, who(shoot) and (score).
13. What on earth..... (you/do) now? You should be in bed now!
14. The soup is delicious. It(taste) wonderful.
15. How..... (you/like) his new car? I.....(think) it(be)a real state of the art.

2. Write questions to the answers, use a correct tense.

1. What time.....? I go to work at 7 00 every day.

2. Why.....? Because I didn't feel well yesterday.
3. What.....at the party yesterday? She was wearing a black dress.
4. How much.....? It costs 2000 \$
5. Where..... last night? I was in the cinema.

3. Put the verb into the correct form, Present/Past Simple or Present/Past Continuous.

1. We can go out now. It.....(not/rain) any more.
2. Ann.....(wait) for me when I(arrive).
3. I.....hungry (be). Let's go and have something to eat.
4. What.....(you/do) in your spare time?.....(you/have)any hobbies?
5. Mary usually(phone) me on Fridays but she.....(not/phone) last Friday.
6. It is usually dry here at this time of the year. It.....(not/rain) much.
7. Yesterday evening the phone(ring) three times while we(have) a dinner.
8. Linda(be) busy when we.....(come) to see her yesterday. She.....(study) for an exam. We(not/want) to disturb her, so we.....(not/stay)
9. When I first.....(tell) Tom the news, he.....(not/believe) me.
He (think) I(joke).

4 . Write an appropriate irregular verb.

become	.....	.....
lend	.....	.....
.....	cut	.....
hurt	.....	.....
.....	.....	frozen

grow	.....	.....
.....	fought	.....
hang	.....	.....
hear	.....	.....
.....	lent	.....
know	.....	.....
read	.....	.....
.....	wrote	.....
.....	ate	.....
have	.....	.....
.....	.....	sworn
burst	.....	.....
.....	.....	taught
tell	.....	.....
sink	.....	.....
wake	.....	.....
.....	sought	.....

6. Find and correct the mistake.

	Mistake	Correction
1. He always walk his dog.		
2. Are you knowing Kate?		
3. This sauce is great. It's tasting very good.		
4. The moon is going round the earth.		
5. The water boils. Can you turn it off?		