GRAMMAR IN USE: Present Simple or Continuous

Complete the conversation. Use the forms of the words in brackets.



CLARA Hi, Josie. How are things?

JOSIE Busy. We moved into our new flat last week.

CLARA That's great. Where is it?

JOSIE _____ (you remember) the garage on Old Street? It's next to that.

CLARA Oh, yes. I _____ (to know) that place. It's quite old, isn't it?

JOSIE Yes. So we're in the middle of painting it at the moment.

CLARA _____ (you use) professional painters?

JOSIE No, they _____ (to cost) too much. We _____ (to do) it all ourselves. It's very hard work!

CLARA Well, I _____ (not do) much at the moment. Would you like me to help?

JOSIE That's kind of you but we _____ (not need) any help really.

CLARA Ok. How's your little baby?

JOSIE Oh, she _____ (be) fine. My mother _____ (to look after) her today.

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