

PRESENT SIMPLE GRAMMAR

We use the **simple present** tense when an action is happening right now, or when it happens regularly.

AFFIRMATIVE

We add an **-s** or **-es** to the end in the third person singular

Subject	verb (-s in 3 rd person sing.)	complements
I	play	football with my friends
John	rides	a red bike
We	drive	a fast and comfortable car
She	flies	in a plane

NEGATIVE

Add **don't** or **doesn't** (third person singular) after the subject

Subject	don't or doesn't	verb (infinitive)	complements
I	don't	pilot	a plane
He	doesn't	drive	a big truck
My teacher	doesn't	go	to the school by taxi
They	don't	race	in a car circuit

INTERROGATIVE

Don't forget to begin the question with **do** or **does**

Do or Does	subject	verb (infinitive)	complements	Answers
Do	you	drive	a motorbike?	Yes, I do No, I don't
Does	Peter	go	to the race?	Yes, he does No, he doesn't
Do	my parents	ride	my bike?	Yes, they do No, they don't
Does	she	play	with my toys?	Yes, she does No, she doesn't

1 Click on the correct option.

1. Bob always **drink** / **drinks** tea in the morning.
2. What **do** / **does** she **like** / **likes**?
3. My sister **don't** / **doesn't** play tennis.
4. They often **visit** / **visits** their grandparents at weekends.
5. We sometimes **go** / **goes** to the ice rink.
6. Where **do** / **does** your parents **come** / **comes** from?
7. **Do** / **Does** you **want** / **wants** to go home?
8. I **don't** / **doesn't** watch television after school.

2 Complete. Use the **Present Simple**.

1. Who _____ Sally _____ in Spain? (**visit**)
She _____ her aunt and uncle. (**visit**)
2. _____ Tom _____ to school by bus? (**go**)
No, he doesn't. He _____ to school on foot. (**go**)
3. What _____ she _____ on TV? (**watch**)
She _____ the news but she _____ soap operas.
(**watch**) (**not watch**)
4. _____ they _____ swimming? (**like**)
Yes, they do, but they _____ running. (**not like**)
5. When _____ you _____ to a football match? (**go**)
I _____ to a football match on Sundays. (**go**)