PRESENT SIMPLE VS PRESENT CONTINUOUS

1. DRAG THE FOLLOWING TIME ADVERBIALS TO THE PRESENT SIMPLE OR THE PRESENT CONTNUOUS TENSE. USE 4 OF THEM IN SENTENCES OF YOUR OWN.

THE PRESENT SIMPLE TENSE	THE PRESENT CONTINUOUS TENSE

ALWAYS

AT THE MOMENT

EVERY DAY/YEAR...

IN THE PICTURE

NEVER

NOW

OFTEN

SOMETIMES

TODAY

USUALLY

2. WRITE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES IN THE GIVEN TENSES AND SAY WHEN.

My hamster (run) round its wheel...

Presen Simple: My hamster _____ round its wheel _____.

Present Continuous: My hamster _____ round its wheel _____.

Rabbits (hop) around the meadow ...

Present Continuous: Rabbits _____ around the meadow _____

Presen Simple: Rabbits _____ around the meadow _____

Mum (go) into town ...

Presen Simple: Mum _____ into town _____

Present Continuous: Mum _____ into town _____

These children (wait) for their teacher...

Present Continuous: These children _____ for their teacher _____

Presen Simple: These children _____ for their teacher _____.

3. MAKE THE ABOVE SENTENCES NEGATIVE, TURN THEM INTO YES / NO QUESTIONS, AND ANSWER WITH SHORT ANSWERS. Use your lovely little notebooks.



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4. FILL IN THE GAPS WITH THE CORRECT VERB FORMS.

a. Peter _____ (write) a letter **at the moment**.

b. Melany _____ (feed) her cat **every day**.

c. Our children _____ (play) with their toys **every day**.

d. We _____ (not go) to school **every day**.

e. _____ Lydia _____ (stay) at her friend's **today???????**

f. I _____ (not clean) my tarantula's tank **now**.

g. Tony _____ (play) a new computer game **at the moment**.

h. The boys _____ (talk) about football **at the moment**.

i. _____ Penny _____ (buy) food for her budgerigar at the local shop **every day?????**

j. Children **usually** _____ (help) their parents in the house.

5. THE VERB TO BE.

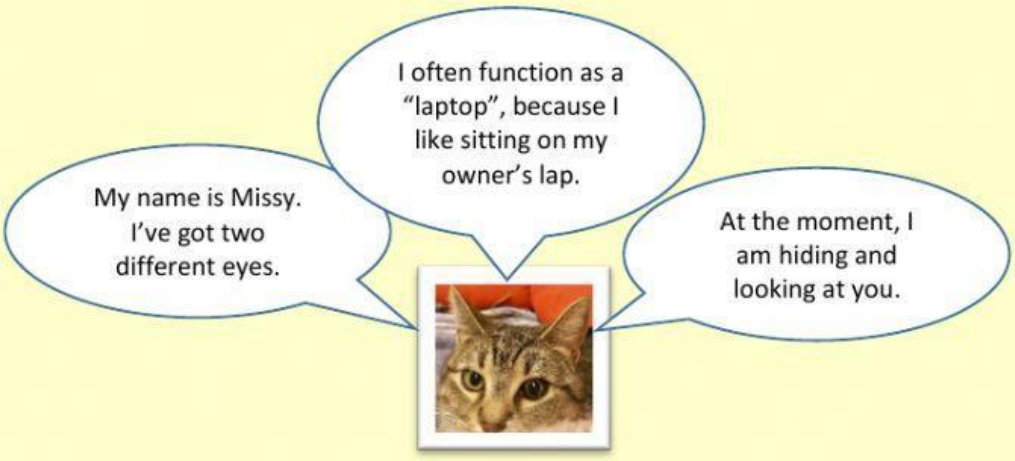
a. These fish _____ (be) smelly they _____ (not be) fresh.

b. I _____ (be) in the classroom I _____ (not be) at home.

c. You _____ (be) in the classroom, too, you _____ (not be) outside.

d. Peter _____ (be) a boy, he _____ (not be) a girl.

e. Today _____ (be) a school day, it _____ (not be) a weekend day.



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