# PRESENT CONTINUOUS

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Lo utilizamos para hablar de cosas que están pasando o que estamos haciendo en este mismo momento

**VERB TO BE + (verb)-ing**

**¿Cómo se forma?**

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|---|---|
| am | cooking |
| is | studying |
| are | reading |

| AFFIRMATIVE | NEGATIVE | INTERROGATIVE |
|---|---|---|
| I'm watching TV | I'm **not** watching TV | Am I watching TV? |
| You are watching TV | You are**n't** watching TV | Are you watching TV? |
| He/ She/ it is watching TV | He/ She/ it is**n't** watching TV | Is he/ she/ it watching TV? |
| We are watching TV | We are**n't** watching TV | Are we watching TV? |
| You are watching TV | You are**n't** watching TV | Are you watching TV? |
| They are watching TV | They are**n't** watching TV | Are they watching TV? |

**EXPRESIONES DE TIEMPO**

Now
At the moment
Today
Right now
This week
Tonight
This morning

**EJEMPLOS:**

- She is going to the supermarket
- Mary and Paul are studying English
- We are singing and dancing
- He's talking on the phone right now
- It is raining in Torrelavega today

## A) Fill in the blanks with am - is or are.

1) Sue ---------- playing volleyball with Tom.
2) My mother ---------- washing the dishes.
3) My father---------- reading a book.
4) We ---------- watching TV.
5) My brother ---------- sleeping.
6) They ---------- listening to music.
7) We ---------- doing our homework.
8) The pupils ---------- going fishing.
9) I ---------- reading comics.
10) She ---------- cleaning the house.
11) My sister ---------- combing her hair.

## B) Choose the correct answer.

1) We **are having dinner / was having** dinner.
2) She **are brushing / is brushing** his teeth.
3) My parents **are going / is going** to cinema.
4) Timmy **are sitting / is sitting** on the dentist's chair.
5) Children **are running / is running.**
6) The policemen **are waiting / is waiting** behind the red car.
7) The twins **are playing / is playing** football.
8) The waiter **are serving / is serving** the dinner.
9) Peter **is reading / reading** a comic.
10) You **is studying / are studying** Science.
11) My dad **am working / is working** tonight

## C) Turn the sentences into negative.

1) My brother is picking up flowers.
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2) Julia is saving some money to buy a laptop.
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3) My mother is drinking coffee.
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4) We are dancing at the party.
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5) The guests are having fun at the party.
   ----------.
6) My little duck is swimming in the pool.
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## D) Turn the sentences into question.

1) The thieves are running away.
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2) The policemen are chasing the thieves.
   ----------?
3) They are building a new bridge.
   ----------?
4) My sister is decorating the cake.
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5) The people are laughing.
   ----------?
6) She is planting a tree.
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