

Present Simple VS. Present Continuous

A. Read carefully the sentences and complete them with the correct form of the verbs in the present simple or present continuous. Use the same verb for both gaps. You have one example.

EAT LISTEN PLAY ~~RAIN~~
STUDY TIDY WATCH WEAR

1. That's strange – look, it IS RAINING outside. It never RAINS in March!
2. We usually _____ volleyball but at the moment we _____ basketball.
3. Today Marta _____ jeans, but most of the time she _____ a skirt.
4. I often _____ cereal for breakfast, but this morning I _____ toast.
5. Today Peter _____ to the radio, although he usually _____ to music on his MP3 player.
6. We _____ tennis from Wimbledon on the TV now. We _____ it every year.
7. My sister _____ her room at the moment – she only _____ it once a week.
8. My friends and I often _____ together but today we _____ on our own.

B. Complete the questions to a friend. Use the pronoun *YOU* and the present simple or present continuous form of the following verbs. You have one example.

THINK TALK THINK UNDERSTAND ~~LISTEN~~

1. What ARE YOU LISTENING to? It sounds like a group that I know.
2. You look worried. What _____ about?
3. _____ the homework? Can you explain it to me?
4. Are you reading the new Elena Rose book? What _____ of it?
5. Why _____ to me that way? Are you upset?