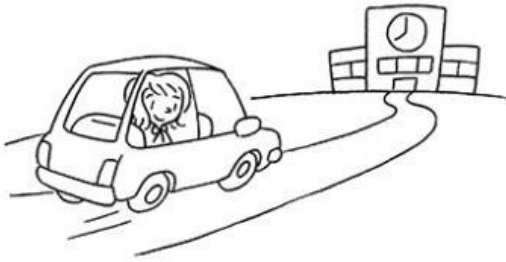


Simple present tense (1)



I go to school by car.
(a habit)



Billy lives in Aberdeen.
(a present state)

We use the **simple present tense** for habits or present states.

I / we / you / they	he / she / it	I / we / you / they	he / she / it
draw	draws	do	does
read	reads	go	goes
wash	washes	study	studies
watch	watches	try	tries

I	we / you / they	he / she / it
have	have	has
am	are	is

Practice

Complete the table with the correct form of the verbs.

	I / we / you / they	he / she / it		I / we / you / they	he / she / it
1	play	_____	2	brush	_____
3	catch	_____	4	cry	_____
5	am / are	_____	6	have	_____
7	paint	_____	8	collect	_____
9	do	_____	10	teach	_____
11	tidy	_____	12	go	_____
13	ride	_____	14	reach	_____
15	wash	_____	16	say	_____

Date: _____

Simple present tense (2)**Winky The Dog's Homepage**

Winky never **has** snacks in the morning.
 He goes for a walk every night.
 He sometimes **plays** with his friends.
 He always **has** a bath on Fridays.
 He often **watches** TV.



We can use the **simple present tense** with **adverbs of frequency**:



We can use the simple present tense when we see these words:

- **every** morning / day / year / Friday
- **on** Monday(s)

Practice

A Look at the pictures. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs given.

go do have tidy watch play wash brush read

1 Sara _____ the newspaper every night.



2 Dad often _____ his car on Sundays.



3 Miss Ho sometimes _____ TV in the morning.



4 We _____ our teeth every morning.



5 Ted doesn't like doing housework so he seldom _____ his room.



6 Sue always _____ a cup of tea on Saturdays.



7 The boys _____ football every Tuesday.



8 My brother _____ to the fun fair every winter.



9 Ken never _____ karate on Sundays.



10 Jenny never _____ the recorder in the afternoon.

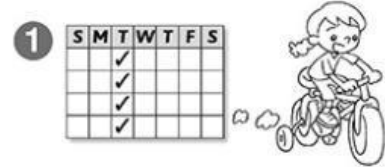




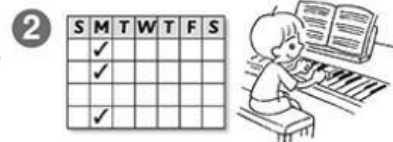
B Look at the pictures and write sentences. Use the correct form of the verbs and the correct adverbs of frequency. Follow the example.

often always never sometimes

- 1 go cycling / on Wednesdays / Sally
Sally never goes cycling on Wednesdays.



- 2 on Mondays / play the piano / Alan
Alan often _____



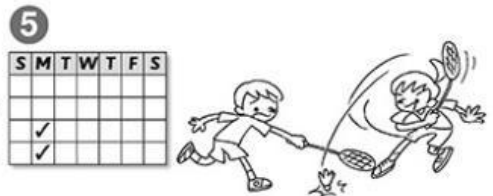
- 3 on Sundays / play Chinese chess / We



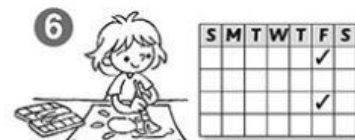
- 4 do puzzles / on Tuesdays / Tony



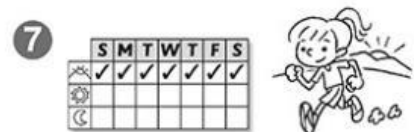
- 5 play badminton / on Saturdays / Joe and Connie



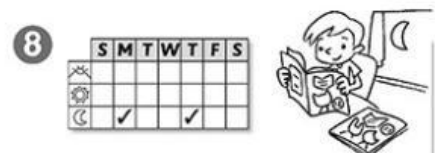
- 6 paint pictures / on Fridays / I



- 7 go jogging / in the morning / Emma



- 8 in the evening / read magazines / Tim



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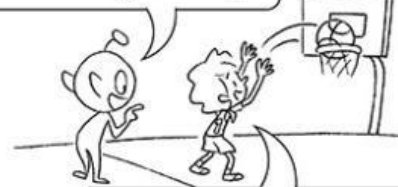
Tenses

Simple present tense & Present continuous tense

simple present tenseWhat **do** you **like** doing on Sundays?I **like** playing basketball.

★ Use a gerund (-ing word) or to-infinitive after 'like'.

verb (+ s / es)

present continuous tenseWhat **are** you **doing**?I **am playing** basketball now.We use the **present continuous tense** when we see these words: **now, at the moment, at present, right now.**

is / am / are + verb + -ing

**Circle the correct words.**

- 1 Winnie (likes / is) collecting stamps in her spare time.
- 2 What (does / is) Nancy doing now?
- 3 The girls (like / are) playing online games on Sundays.
- 4 The dog (is / does) running in the park.
- 5 What (is / does) your brother like doing on Fridays?

**Underline the mistake in each line and write the correct word on the blank. Follow the example.**

- 1 We doing drama every Wednesday.
- 2 Are you like going swimming in summer?
- 3 What do you doing now?
- 4 I often walking the dog in the afternoon.
- 5 What is Ken like doing in his spare time?
- 6 Tina is swim in the pool now.

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