

LESSON 11

Present Simple Tense



Thì hiện tại đơn

Let's
Learn!

Present simple (Hiện tại đơn)

- ★ Thói quen, hoạt động thường xuyên xảy ra.
- ★ Quy luật, chân lí, sự thật.
- ★ Lịch trình, thời gian biểu.
- ★ Suy nghĩ, tình cảm, tư tưởng.



Always,
Usually, Often,
Occasionally,
Sometimes,
Seldom, Never...

Every + day/
week/ month/
year...

Once, twice,
three times...+
a week/ month/
year

- E.g. 1. I always **get up** early in the morning.
2. Linda **is** a doctor. She **works** in a hospital.

POSITIVE

Verb *S + V (s/es).*

E.g. He walks every day.

To be *S + am/is/are + N/adj/prep.*

E.g. My mother is a nurse.

NEGATIVE

Verb *S + do/ does not + V-inf.*

E.g. I don't like candies.

To be *S + am/ is/ are + not + N/ adj/ prep.*

E.g. He's not a bad guy.

QUESTIONS & SHORT ANSWERS

Verb *Do/ Does + S + V-inf?*

(+) Yes, *S + do / does.*

(-) No, *S + don't / doesn't.*

E.g. Do you often play soccer?

No, I don't.

To be *Am/ Is/ Are + S + N/ adj/ prep?*

(+) Yes, *S + is / am / are.*

(-) No, *S + is / am / are + not.*

E.g. Are you ready?

Yes, I am.



Add s/es to the verbs:

- ★ Động từ tận cùng là **o, s, x, z, ch, sh, ss** thì thêm **-es**
- ★ Động từ tận cùng là phụ âm + **y**, ta bỏ **-y** thêm **-ies**
- ★ Các động từ còn lại thêm **s**
- ★ Đặc biệt: **have** ⇒ **has**

E.g. go ⇒ goes
study ⇒ studies
smile ⇒ smiles

Lưu ý

- ★ Trạng từ tần suất (*always, often...*) đứng sau **is / am / are** và đứng trước động từ chính **V / Vs-es**.
- ★ Không kết hợp **is / am / are** với **V / V-es** hoặc **don't / doesn't** với **be**.
- ★ Sau **do / does (not)** thì động từ nguyên thể không có đuôi.



Let's Practice

Exercise 1: Fill in the blanks with "am, is, are"; then rewrite the sentences using the short forms. (Điền "am, is, are" thích hợp vào chỗ trống, sau đó viết lại các câu sau ở dạng viết tắt.)



1 I a student.



Short form:



2 She a doctor.



Short form:



3 His name David.



Short form:



4 They my friends.



Short form:



5 We beautiful.



Short form:



6 He my best friend.



Short form:



7 My brother Tom.



Short form:





8 My birthday on the 23rd of December.



Short form:



9 We girls.



Short form:



10 This cat black.



Short form:



Exercise 2: Fill in the blanks with "am not, is not, are not"; then rewrite the sentences using the short forms. (Điền "am not, is not, are not" thích hợp vào chỗ trống, sau đó viết lại các câu sau ở dạng viết tắt.)



1 He fat.



Short form:



2 I a teacher.



Short form:



3 Those flowers beautiful.



Short form:



4 Richard's book pink.



Short form:



5 I from Ha Noi.



Short form:



6 The students interested in the lessons.

 Short form:



7 Today Monday.

 Short form:



8 His cat's name Suzie.

 Short form:



9 We policemen.

 Short form:



10 They Mary's parents.

 Short form:



Exercise 3: Circle the correct answers.

 (Khoanh tròn đáp án đúng.)

1 He usually relaxed.

A. am

B. is

C. are

2 She often busy.

A. am

B. is

C. are

3 They coming today.

A. am not

B. is not

C. are not

4 I late?

A. Am

B. Is

C. Are





- 5 It sometimes sunny.
A. am B. is C. are
- 6 We seldom late.
A. am B. is C. are
- 7 We ready yet.
A. am not B. is not C. are not
- 8 They occasionally late.
A. am B. is C. are
- 9 I rarely upset.
A. am B. is C. are
- 10 You always helpful.
A. am B. is C. are



Exercise 4: Change the following sentences into positive (+); negative (-) or interrogative (?). (Chuyển các câu dưới đây sang dạng khẳng định, phủ định hoặc nghi vấn.)



1 I am a student.

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2 He is a doctor.

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3 Thu Tra is my sister.

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4 It is cold outside.

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5 My friends and I are busy today.

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6 Gia Linh and Gia An are my friends.

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7 Sam is here.

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8 I am tired.

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9 You are late.

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10 Daisy is happy.

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Exercise 5: Complete the paragraph using to be “am; is; are”.
(Hoàn thành đoạn văn dưới đây sử dụng to be “am/is/are”.)

Hello! I 1 Maria and I 2 from Madrid in Spain. I 3 11 years old and I love music. I have two sisters and one brother. My brother 4 Alberto. He 5 tall and thin and he loves computer games. My two sisters 6 younger than me and my brother. I 7 the oldest of my sisters. My sisters 8 3 and 4 years old. They like playing with their dolls. I usually go out with my friends Marta and Noelia on Saturdays. They 9 12 years old. My mum loves cinema and my dad loves sport. I 10 very happy!

Exercise 6: Write the 3rd person singular of the verbs.
(Chia ngôi thứ 3 số ít của động từ.)

1 I wash – She

2 I paint – He

3 I dance – He

4 I drink – She

5 I like – She

6 I go – She

7 I relax – He

8 I cry – He

9 I kiss – He _____

10 I enjoy – She _____

11 I speak – She _____

12 I fly – She _____

Exercise 7: Choose the correct answers. (Chọn đáp án đúng.)

- 1 We *don't/ doesn't* wake up early.
- 2 Anna *don't/ doesn't* go out every night.
- 3 It *don't/ doesn't* smell good.
- 4 I *don't/ doesn't* understand the questions.
- 5 She *don't/ doesn't* live in Canada.
- 6 My friends and I *don't/ doesn't* often go out.
- 7 Peter *don't/ doesn't* swim in the pool.
- 8 My dad *don't/ doesn't* usually drink coffee.
- 9 The women *don't/ doesn't* come to the party.
- 10 Her parents *don't/ doesn't* play basketball.



Exercise 8: Choose the correct answers. (Chọn đáp án đúng.)

- 1 They *go/ goes* to the supermarket on foot.
- 2 My mother *do/ does* the household chores.
- 3 This student *write/ writes* an essay every evening.
- 4 Tom's parents *take/ takes* him to school on Mondays.



- 5 The women *brush/ brushes* their hair in the morning.
- 6 I *get up/ gets up* at 7 a.m. every morning.
- 7 We sometimes *play/ plays* badminton together.
- 8 Mary rarely *water/ waters* the tree.
- 9 My friends *like/ likes* to go fishing.
- 10 I *clean/ cleans* my house at 8 p.m.

Exercise 9: Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs. (Hoàn thành các câu sau với dạng đúng của động từ.)



- 1 My dad *watch* TV every morning.
- 2 Children sometimes *play* football in the park.
- 3 I usually *get* up at 6 a.m.
- 4 The Earth *move* around the Sun.
- 5 She *love* listening to music.
- 6 Tom often *walk* to school.
- 7 My mom *go* to the supermarket every day.
- 8 His friends *give* him a gift.
- 9 They *like* reading books.
- 10 The dog *run* away.

Exercise 10: Change the following sentences into positive (+); negative (-) or interrogative (?). (Chuyển các câu dưới đây sang dạng khẳng định, phủ định hoặc nghi vấn.)



1. I eat breakfast every morning.

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2. You drink coffee in the morning.

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3. He runs five miles every day.

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4. She reads a book before bed.

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5. It sleeps during the day.

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6. We watch television in the evening.

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7. They play video games on the weekend.

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8. I do yoga to relax.

— _____

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9. You study for hours every night.

— _____

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10. He works at a company downtown.

— _____

? _____



Exercise 11: Circle the correct answers.

(Khoanh tròn đáp án đúng.)



1 It hop around the garden.

A. don't B. doesn't C. am not D. is not

2 it hot outside?

A. Is B. Do C. Does D. Are

3 We in our free time.

A. paints B. painting C. paint D. paintes

4 they married?

A. Is B. Do C. Does D. Are

- 5 They volunteer at the animal shelter.
A. don't B. doesn't C. am not D. is not
- 6 You never serious.
A. is B. do C. does D. are
- 7 David poetry to express himself.
A. writes B. write C. to write D. writing
- 8 I always on time.
A. am B. do C. does D. are
- 9 You the piano beautifully.
A. playing B. play C. plays D. to play
- 10 we lost?
A. Is B. Do C. Does D. Are

Exercise 12: Rewrite the complete sentences using the adverbs in the brackets in its right position. (Viết lại các câu sau thêm trạng từ chỉ tần suất vào đúng vị trí.)



1 I wake up early in the morning.

(always)

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2 She eats fast food.

(rarely)

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3 We go for a walk after dinner.

(usually)

.....



4 He forgets his keys at home.

sometimes

5 They visit their grandparents on weekends.

often

6 She drinks coffee.

seldom

7 We go to the movies on Fridays.

frequently

8 He leaves his house without his phone.

never

9 They have a family dinner on Sundays.

always

10 She ever exercises.

hardly
