

# PRESENT SIMPLE

AFFIRMATIVE	NEGATIVE	INTERROGATIVE	SHORT ANSWERS
I listen	I do not (don't) listen	Do I listen?	Yes, I do. / No, I don't.
You listen	You do not (don't) listen	Do you listen?	Yes, you do. / No, you don't.
He <u>listens</u>	He <u>does not (doesn't)</u> listen	Does he listen?	Yes, he <u>does</u> . / No, he <u>doesn't</u> .
She <u>listens</u>	She <u>does not (doesn't)</u> listen	Does she listen?	Yes, she <u>does</u> . / No, she <u>doesn't</u> .
It <u>listens</u>	It <u>does not (doesn't)</u> listen	Does it listen?	Yes, it <u>does</u> . / No, it <u>doesn't</u> .
We listen	We do not (don't) listen	Do we listen?	Yes, we do. / No, we don't.
You listen	You do not (don't) listen	Do you listen?	Yes, you do. / No, you don't.
They listen	They do not (don't) listen	Do they listen?	Yes, they do. / No, they don't.

**A)** Fill in the gaps using the present simple of the verbs in brackets in the affirmative form.

1. Jenny \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) fish and chips once a week.
2. My parents \_\_\_\_\_ (do) the shopping on Mondays.
3. Ben \_\_\_\_\_ (study) English at a private school.
4. My dad \_\_\_\_\_ (wash) his car every Sunday.
5. Vincent and I \_\_\_\_\_ (play) tennis twice a week.
6. The children often \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) TV in the afternoon.
7. Ann and Bob always \_\_\_\_\_ (drink) a cup of coffee for breakfast.
8. Mrs Brown \_\_\_\_\_ (fly) to France every summer.
9. My best friend \_\_\_\_\_ (write) to me every week.
10. Sally \_\_\_\_\_ (go) swimming three times a week.

**C)** Complete the questions using Do or Does and make short answers.

1. - \_\_\_\_\_ Robert play basketball?  
- Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
2. - \_\_\_\_\_ William and Stella live in Liverpool?  
- No, \_\_\_\_\_.
3. - \_\_\_\_\_ Melanie work in a bank?  
- Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
4. - \_\_\_\_\_ you and your brother like cucumber?  
- No, \_\_\_\_\_.
5. - \_\_\_\_\_ a seal live in the sea?  
- Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
6. - \_\_\_\_\_ you live with your boyfriend?  
- No, \_\_\_\_\_.
7. - \_\_\_\_\_ your sister study Italian at school?  
- No, \_\_\_\_\_.
8. - \_\_\_\_\_ monkeys eat bananas?  
- Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
9. - \_\_\_\_\_ Alan drive a bus?  
- No, \_\_\_\_\_.
10. - \_\_\_\_\_ your grandparents drink wine?  
- No, \_\_\_\_\_.

**B)** Fill in the gaps using the present simple of the verbs in brackets in the negative form. Use contracted forms.

1. Richard \_\_\_\_\_ (not work) in a supermarket.
2. Sophie and Lucy \_\_\_\_\_ (not like) electronic music.
3. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not drive) to work; I always take the underground.
4. The children \_\_\_\_\_ (not learn) German at school; they study French.
5. Kevin \_\_\_\_\_ (not try) very hard in class. He is very lazy!
6. They \_\_\_\_\_ (not speak) English very well.
7. We \_\_\_\_\_ (not feed) the dog five times a day.
8. Jack \_\_\_\_\_ (not ride) his bicycle every weekend.
9. My family and I \_\_\_\_\_ (not travel) to London at Christmas because it is expensive.
10. The boys \_\_\_\_\_ (not play) video games during the week.

**D)** Put the words in order to make sentences using the present simple.

1. sometimes / . / we / on / work / Saturdays
2. you / ? / go / to / do / the / at / beach / weekend / the
3. do / they / . / the / not / every / toilet / day / clean
4. ? / where / your / do / live / cousins
5. do / get / ? / you / how / school / to
6. usually / up / seven / I / at / get / o'clock /.
7. always / Sue / at / stays / home / night / . / at
8. ever / Nancy / hardly / meat / . / eats
9. your / sing / does / ? / daughter / well
10. often / drinks / Ella / juice / fruit / for / breakfast /.