

# PRESENT SIMPLE

## WHEN DO WE USE IT?

- **ROUTINES:**  
→ I **wake up** at 6 am.
- **FACTS**  
→ Water **boils** at 100 °C.
- **PERMANENT SITUATION**  
→ We **live** in Madrid.

| AFFIRMATIVE       |      | NEGATIVE          |      |     |           | QUESTIONS |                   |      |
|-------------------|------|-------------------|------|-----|-----------|-----------|-------------------|------|
| I                 | do   | I                 | do   | not | (don't)   | Do        | I                 | play |
| you               | do   | you               | do   | not | (don't)   | Do        | you               | play |
| he/<br>she/<br>it | does | he/<br>she/<br>it | does | not | (doesn't) | Does      | he/<br>she/<br>it | play |
| we                | do   | we                | do   | not | (don't)   | Do        | we                | play |
| you               | do   | you               | do   | not | (don't)   | Do        | you               | play |
| they              | do   | they              | do   | not | (don't)   | Do        | they              | play |

## PRESENT SIMPLE: KEYWORDS

- **EXPRESSIONS THAT REFER TO FREQUENCY:**

How often **does** Sarah **go** to the park?

I **play** tennis every Sunday morning.

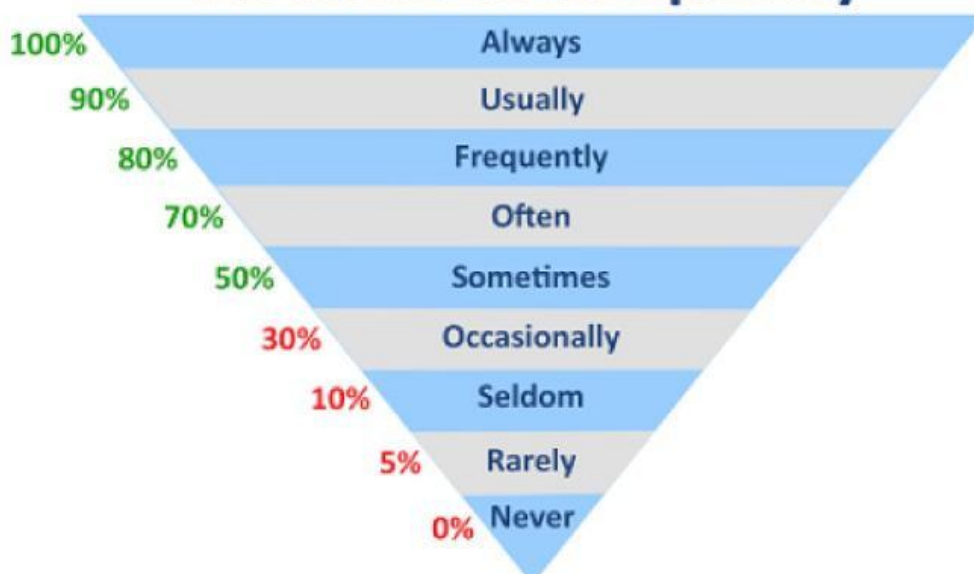
We **go** to the cinema once a month.

**How often...?**

**Every morning / evening / night / week / month / year**

**Two/three times a day/ week/ month / year**

### Adverbs Of Frequency



## PRESENT SIMPLE: PRACTICE

1. Complete the gaps with the appropriate form to make affirmative sentences.

a) I \_\_\_\_\_ (hate) tomatoes, but my sister \_\_\_\_\_ (love) them.

b) My neighbour's dog \_\_\_\_\_ (bark) a lot.

c) This potato salad \_\_\_\_\_ (be) too salty.

d) He \_\_\_\_\_ (cook) very well.

e) They \_\_\_\_\_ (travel) to Rome once a year.

2. Complete the gaps with the appropriate form to make negative sentences.

a) I \_\_\_\_\_ (not, go) to the cinema very often.

b) My students \_\_\_\_\_ (not, complain) about homework.

c) She \_\_\_\_\_ (not, read) at all.

d) We \_\_\_\_\_ (not, play) any instruments.

e) He \_\_\_\_\_ (not, call) his mom every day.



## PRESENT SIMPLE: PRACTICE

3. Complete the gaps with the appropriate form to make questions.

- a) \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (want) to go to the cinema with us?
- b) \_\_\_\_\_ she \_\_\_\_\_ (like) spinach?
- c) \_\_\_\_\_ I \_\_\_\_\_ (look) good in this dress?
- d) \_\_\_\_\_ we \_\_\_\_\_ (need) more cheese?
- e) How many times \_\_\_\_\_ the dog \_\_\_\_\_ (eat)?

Hate:



Love:



Bark:



Salty:



Complain:

