



Present or Past?

1. Complete the letter with the **present simple** or the **present continuous** of the verbs in brackets.

Dear Lizzie,

It's twelve o'clock and I am writing this by the pool. Right now, I _____ (drink) iced tea and I _____ (listen) to Robbie Williams' new single. It's good because I _____ (not need) to go to work today. I usually _____ (get up) at five and a driver _____ (fetch) me and _____ (take) me to the studio. But at the moment I _____ (not work) on a film so I _____ (enjoy) myself!

This is the life!

Love and kisses

Gloria

2. Complete the letter with the **past simple** or the **past continuous** of the verbs in brackets.

My best friend was on holiday and I _____ (look after) his white rabbit, Mr. Snowball. While I _____ (clean) his hutch one day, my mother _____ (call) me from the house. While I _____ (turn round) to answer her, Mr. Snowball _____ (jump) out of the hutch and _____ (run away). I _____ (search) everywhere but I couldn't find him. Two weeks later I _____ (get ready) to tell my friend the bad news when I _____ (look) out of the window and I _____ (get) a real surprise. Mr. Snowball _____ (sit) quietly outside the hutch with six little baby rabbits! Now the rabbit has a new name - Mrs. Snowball!!