

01 The present simple

The present simple is used to make simple statements of fact, to talk about things that happen repeatedly, and to describe things that are always true.



1.1 FILL IN THE GAPS BY PUTTING THE VERBS IN THE PRESENT SIMPLE

Jessica walks (walk) around the park every day at lunchtime.

- 1 Tony make (make) a huge breakfast for his family on Sundays.
- 2 I usually eat (eat) my lunch at 1pm at an Italian restaurant.
- 3 Fiona meet (meet) her friends at a café on Thursday evenings.
- 4 We sometimes play (play) tennis with our friends on Saturday mornings.
- 5 My cousin start work at 6am every morning.
- 6 The shop assistant leave (leave) work at 6pm in the evening.
- 7 You drink (drink) a lot of coffee every morning.
- 8 Paolo usually read (read) a book in the evenings.



1.2 MARK THE SENTENCES THAT ARE CORRECT



Steve usually finishes work at 5pm.

Steve usually finishs work at 5pm.



Greg works in a factory.

Greg works in a factory.



My dad watches TV every evening.

My dad watchs TV every evening.



Michel plays the piano beautifully.

Michel playes the piano beautifully.



Jane brushes her hair in the morning.

Jane brushes her hair in the morning.



Selma gos shopping after work.

Selma goes shopping after work.



Imran washes his clothes on Sunday.

Imran washs his clothes on Sunday.



Mary teaches French at a college.

Mary teachs French at a college.

02 The present simple negative

To make negative sentences using "be" in the present simple, "not" is added after the verb. For other verbs, the auxiliary verb "do not" or "does not" is used.



2.1 REWRITE THE SENTENCES, PUTTING THE WORDS IN THE CORRECT ORDER

French. not I am

I am not French.

4 my not are dogs They

1 doctor. is She a not

5 are You Egyptian. not

2 are New Zealand. We from not

6 is my This computer. not

3 not My American. is dad

7 engineer. an am I not



2.2 FILL IN THE GAPS USING "DO NOT" OR "DOES NOT"

Michael does not have a dog.

1 You work in the library.

6 My grandparents have a car.

2 He eat meat.

7 Nico work in the factory.

3 Val watch TV in the evening.

8 She go to work on Fridays.

4 I play football very often.

9 I go to restaurants very often.

5 We get up early on Saturdays.

10 You have a cat.

11 They work outside.



2.5 REWRITE THE SENTENCES IN THE NEGATIVE

This book **is** very interesting.

This book **isn't** very interesting.



1 Amy **works** as a receptionist in our office.



2 I **like** going to the health center.



3 Your company **is** very successful.



4 You **play** the guitar very well.



5 Jean **cooks** the dinner in the evening.



6 This TV show **is** very interesting.



7 Sonia and Rick **live** in Paris.



8 My son **is** a firefighter.



9 Our house **is** very big.



10 Sandra **works** late on Fridays.



11 My husband and I **relax** on weekends.



12 Edith and Sam **like** dancing in their free time.

