

STUDENT'S NAME: _____ CLASS: _____

Unit 1: Family life

Part 2: Language



PRESENT SIMPLE VS. PRESENT CONTINUOUS

1. Choose the correct form of the verb in each sentence.

1. Mrs Lan usually **does/is doing** the cooking in her family.
2. I'm afraid he can't answer the phone now. He **puts out/is putting out** the rubbish.
3. He **cleans/is cleaning** the house everyday.
4. My sister can't do any homework today. She **studies/is studying** for her exams.
5. My mother **does/is doing** the laundry twice a week.

2. Read the text and put the verb in brackets in present simple or present continuous.

Mrs Lam is a housewife. Every day she (1. do) _____ most of the housework. She cooks, washes the clothes, and cleans the house. But today is Mother's Day, so Mrs Lam (2. not do) _____ any housework. At the moment, she (3. watch) _____ her favourite TV programme. Her children (4. do) _____ the cooking and her husband (5. tidy up) _____ the house. Everybody (6. try) _____ hard to make it a special day for Mrs Lam.