

Fill in the blanks with the simple present or the present continuous form of the verb given.

1. Conversation between a grandmother and grandson:

A: You 're eating and working on your essay at the same time.
a. eat and work

B: That's not a problem, Grandma.

A: What _____? Is that a hamburger?
b. you/eat

B: No, it isn't. It's a veggie burger. I never _____ meat.
c. eat

A: You don't eat enough. Look at you. You're so thin.

B: I _____ to lose weight.
d. try

A: You always _____ in front of your computer. Take a break.
e. eat

I _____ soup now. When it's ready, please come to the table.
f. make

B: But I _____ on something important now.
g. work

A: How is that possible? You _____ to music, too.
h. eat and listen

B: I always _____ to music when I _____.
i. listen j. work or study

A: Whenever I _____, I _____ on my work.
k. work l. concentrate

I _____ other things at the same time.
m. not/do

B: You _____ the world of young people. We often multitask.
n. not/understand

A: You're right. I don't.

