

# PRESENT SIMPLE OR PRESENT CONTINUOUS? MEMORIAL DAY

**Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb in brackets in the Present Simple or Present Continuous.**

1. Every Memorial Day, people \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) cemeteries to honor soldiers.
2. Look! The family \_\_\_\_\_ (place) flowers on the grave right now.
3. We usually \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a barbecue with friends on Memorial Day.
4. Today, they \_\_\_\_\_ (prepare) food for a big Memorial Day picnic.
5. My uncle always \_\_\_\_\_ (tell) stories about the army during this holiday.
6. Listen! The band \_\_\_\_\_ (play) patriotic music at the parade.
7. People often \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) red, white, and blue clothes on Memorial Day.
8. This year, she \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) a blue dress for the celebration today.
9. The president usually \_\_\_\_\_ (give) a speech on Memorial Day.
10. Right now, he \_\_\_\_\_ (give) a speech at the national cemetery.
11. We \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) the parade on TV every year.
12. At the moment, we \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) the Memorial Day parade together.
13. Families often \_\_\_\_\_ (bring) flags to honor fallen soldiers.
14. Look! The children \_\_\_\_\_ (bring) small American flags to the park.
15. Many people \_\_\_\_\_ (remember) soldiers who died in wars on this day.
16. Today, I \_\_\_\_\_ (remember) my grandfather who was in the army.
17. They usually \_\_\_\_\_ (start) the celebration in the morning.
18. Right now, they \_\_\_\_\_ (start) the ceremony at the monument.
19. My neighbors always \_\_\_\_\_ (decorate) their house with flags.
20. Today, they \_\_\_\_\_ (decorate) their garden for the holiday party.