PRESENT SIMPLE VS PRESENT CONTINUOUS

QUICK GRAMMAR REVIEW (TÓM TẮT LÝ THUYẾT)

1. Present Simple (Hiện tại đơn)

- Thói quen, hành động lặp đi lặp lại.
- Sự thật hiển nhiên, chân lý.
- **Từ nhận biết:** *always, usually, often, everyday, on Mondays...*

2. Present Continuous (Hiện tại tiếp diễn)

- Hành động đang diễn ra ngay lúc nói.
- Kế hoạch / sự thay đổi tạm thời.
- **Từ nhận biết:** *now, at the moment, currently, Look!, Listen!...*

⚠ **Lưu ý:** Các động từ chỉ trạng thái (Stative Verbs) như: *think, believe, understand, love, need, taste, smell, belong, see...* thường không dùng dạng Tiếp diễn (-ing).

Phần 1: Fill in the correct verb form: PRESENT SIMPLE or PRESENT PROGRESSIVE.

1. I _____ I can do the homework all by myself. **(THINK)**
2. She _____ to be a nice girl. **(APPEAR)**
3. I _____ for a nonprofit organisation at the moment. **(WORK)**
4. Ian _____ a shower at the moment. Could you call back later? **(TAKE)**
5. Jack _____ in a few minutes. You have to hurry. **(LEAVE)**
6. I _____ to go swimming during the hot summer months. **(LOVE)**
7. That book _____ to me. Give it back. **(BELONG)**
8. I _____ what you are saying, but I _____ it. **(UNDERSTAND, NOT BELIEVE)**
9. My mum _____ a day off during the summer months. **(NOT GET)**
10. What _____ for a living? **(YOUR DAD, DO)**
11. I usually _____ the bus to school but today my sister _____ me. **(TAKE, DRIVE)**
12. What _____ ? - I _____ a glass of wine. Would you care to join me? **(YOU DRINK, HAVE)**

Phần 2: Fill in the correct verb form: PRESENT SIMPLE or PRESENT PROGRESSIVE.

1. I'm in Paris because I _____ French at a language school. **(STUDY)**
2. At the moment Cynthia _____ on the floor with her doll. **(LIE)**
3. I usually _____ as a secretary. **(WORK)**
4. I hate living in Seattle because it always _____ there. **(RAIN)**
5. I am sorry I can't hear what you _____ because everyone _____ so loudly. **(SAY, TALK)**
6. Jack _____ about his adventures in Tibet. **(CURRENTLY WRITE)**
7. _____ to come over for dinner tonight? **(YOU WANT)**
8. The delicious chocolate is _____ by a firm in Switzerland. **(MAKE)**
9. Look, I _____ two tickets for the circus. **(HAVE)**
10. Look, I _____ two tickets for the circus. **(HOLD)**

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Phần 2 (tiếp theo):

11. Compaq _____ computers but it _____ cars. **(MAKE, NOT MAKE)**
12. At the moment, the yen _____ against the dollar. **(FALL)**
13. Computers _____ more and more popular these days. **(BECOME)**
14. Everybody _____ money. It is very important. **(NEED)**
15. This milk _____ fresh. **(NOT TASTE)**
16. This afternoon I _____ my doctor about my skin problem. **(SEE)**
17. How is your cold today? It _____ a lot better than yesterday. **(SOUND)**
18. She normally _____ all the Harry Potter books, but right now I _____ she _____ something else. **(READ, THINK, READ)**
19. It is strange that people _____ some movies so seriously. **(TAKE)**
20. What _____ for a living? - Well he is a market consultant. **(YOUR DAD, DO)**

Phần 3: Fill in the correct verb form: PRESENT SIMPLE or PRESENT PROGRESSIVE.

1. He _____ the soap because he likes the smell of roses. **(SMELL)**
2. That food _____ delicious. **(TASTE)**
3. How much _____ ? **(THOSE APPLES, WEIGH)**
4. I _____ they will be late. They probably got stuck in the traffic. **(EXPECT)**
5. I _____ Joanna tonight. _____ with me? **(SEE, YOU COME)**
6. That dress _____ you perfectly. You _____ great. **(FIT, LOOK)**
7. I _____ of buying a new car. My old one always keeps breaking down. **(THINK)**
8. What _____ at? - The sky. - It _____ as if it's going to rain. **(YOU LOOK, LOOK)**
9. I usually _____ parties but I _____ this one. Everything is so boring. **(ENJOY, NOT ENJOY)**
10. I _____ what you mean. **(SEE)**
11. That famous opera singer _____ at City Hall tonight. **(PERFORM)**
12. Jim is a sensible person, but in this case he _____ foolishly. **(BEHAVE)**
13. He _____ a shower at the moment. You can't disturb him. **(HAVE)**
14. My parents _____ from Spain. Where _____ from? **(COME, YOUR PARENTS COME)**

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