

Simple Present

GRAMMAR PRACTICE

1 - Study and practice.

Verbs Rules

We use the Simple Present to talk about **routines, habits, and facts**.

For **I, You, We, They**, we use the **base form** of the verb.

- I **work** every day.

For **He, She, It, (third-person)** we usually add **-S, -ES** or **-IES** to the verb.

- He **works** every day.
- She **watches** TV.
- He **studies** English.



Rule 1 - Add -S

Most verbs only need **-S**.

work → works

eat → eats

She reads every night.

Rule 2 - Add -ES

Add **-ES** to verbs ending in:
-S, -SS, -SH, -CH, -X, -Z, -O

watch → watches

go → goes

fix → fixes

He goes to school.

Rule 3 - Y → IES

Verb ends with a **consonant + Y**, **remove Y** and add **IES**.

study → studies

carry → carries

try → tries

She studies English.

Verb ends with a **vowel + Y**,
just add **-S**.

play → plays

enjoy → enjoys

He plays soccer.

2 - Complete the sentences:

- She _____ breakfast at 7:00. (eat)
- He _____ to school by bus. (go)
- It _____ very fast. (run)
- She _____ English every day. (study)
- He _____ TV after dinner. (watch)

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3 - Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in the Simple Present.

John's Daily Routine

John **a)**____ (**to wake**) up at 6:30 in the morning. He **b)**____ (**to take**) a shower and **c)**____ (**to get dressed**). Then, he **d)**____ (**to eat**) breakfast and **e)**____ (**to drink**) a cup of coffee. After that, he **f)**____ (**to go**) to work at 8:00. He **g)**____ (**to work**) in an office and **h)**____ (**to use**) a computer. He **i)**____ (**to have**) lunch at 12:30 with his coworkers.

In the evening, John **j)**____ (**to cook**) dinner and **k)**____ (**to eat**) with his family. After dinner, he **l)**____ (**to watch**) TV or **m)**____ (**to read**) a book. He **n)**____ (**to go**) to bed at 10:00.

4 - Rewrite the verbs in 3rd person:

a) watch _____

b) play _____

c) read _____

d) practise _____

e) ride _____

f) cry _____

g) buy _____

h) brush _____

i) clean _____

j) wear _____

k) live _____

l) enjoy _____

m) fly _____

n) do _____

o) say _____

p) go _____

q) arrive _____

r) have _____

s) teach _____

t) carry _____

u) drink _____

v) cook _____

w) sing _____

x) study _____



I **wake up** early.
She _____ early.



I **wash** the car.
He _____ the car.



I go home.
She _____ home.