

PRESENT CONTINUOUS

I **AM WORKING NOW**.

HE **IS STUDYING AT THE MOMENT**.

THEY **ARE PLAYING TENNIS TODAY**.

Vamos a usar PRESENT CONTINUOUS para hablar de las acciones que estamos haciendo **NOW**: ahora, **AT THE MOMENT**: en este momento, **TODAY**: hoy.

Para formar las oraciones en afirmativo y negativo usamos esta estructura:

AFFIRMATIVE	subject	AM / IS / ARE	verb-ING.
NEGATIVE	subject	AM NOT / ISN'T / AREN'T	verb-ING.

❖ Cuando decimos **SUBJECT** nos referimos a quién realiza la acción. Puede ser un pronombre: I – HE – SHE – IT – YOU – WE – THEY o un nombre o sustantivo: Julia, the class, the children, my dad, the mobile phone.

❖ En Segundo lugar, usamos el verbo TO BE que como ya dijimos es **AM / IS / ARE** según el sujeto que tengamos:

I AM

HE/SHE/IT IS

YOU/WE/THEY ARE

❖ Por último ponemos el **VERB** con **ING**: (play) **PLAYING**, (have) **HAVING**, (run) **RUNNING**, (study) **STUDYING**, etc.

ACTIVITIES:

(1) CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION. (Elijo la opción correcta)

1. He is **DOING / DO** exercise today.
2. They **IS / ARE** working now.
3. I **AM NOT / ISN'T USING** my computer at the moment.
4. She is **HAVEING / HAVING** breakfast now.
5. We **AREN'T / ISN'T** doing our homework today.
6. Mum and Dad **IS / ARE** watching TV now.
7. The cat **ISN'T / AM NOT** drinking milk.
8. Barbara is **GETTING / GETING** dressed at the moment.

(2) WRITE SENTENCES IN PRESENT CONTINUOUS (Escribimos oraciones en Presente Continuo usando la estructura explicada arriba y la información dada en la actividad)

Example:

You / do homework now. You **are doing** homework now.

1. She / sleep at the moment.
2. I / drink some juice now.
3. They / eat pizza today.
4. John / play his favourite sport today.
5. The phone / ring.
6. We / study English now.
7. The teacher / read a book.
8. Mum / cook dinner now.
9. Sam and Tom / play football in the park today.
10. The baby / watch cartoons on TV at the moment.

TENER EN CUENTA:

Si el verbo **termina en E**, al agregarle la **ING** le sacamos la **E**. Example: **HAVE – HAVING**.

El verbo **duplica la última letra** cuando termina en consonante + vocal + consonante.

Example: **GET – GETTING**