

PRESENT SIMPLE

VS

PRESENT CONTINUOUS

SIMPLE PRESENT

AFFIRMATIVE FORM

NEGATIVE FORM

INTERROGATIVE FORM

I		I	do not (don't)		Do	I	
You	work	You				you	
He	goes	He				he	
She	workS	She	does not (doesn't)	work	Does	she	
It	studies	It				it	work?
We		We				we	
You		You				you	
They	work	They	do not (don't)		Do	they	

every day, on Monday, always, often, usually, at the weekend

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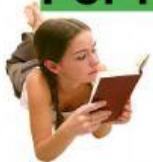
• PRESENT SIMPLE USES:

-S , -es or ies?

Verbs ending in	Third Person	Example
S	add – es	<i>He passes</i>
Z	add – es	<i>She waltzes</i>
Sh	add – es	<i>He washes</i>
Ch	add – es	<i>She watches</i>
X	add – es	<i>He fixes</i>
O	add – es	<i>She goes</i>
consonant+y	change Y to I, then add -ES	<i>She studies</i>
others	add -S	<i>It plays</i>

• **PRESENT SIMPLE USES:**

- **For repeated action in the present**
SHE READS A BOOK EVERY WEEK.



- **For permanent situations**



I LIVE IN ARGENTINA.

- **For general truths and laws of nature**

ELEPHANTS LIVE A LONG LIFE.

PRESENT CONTINUOUS

AFFIRMATIVE FORM			NEGATIVE FORM			INTERROGATIVE FORM		
I	am		I	am not		Am	I	
You	are		You	are not (aren't)		Are	you	
He She It	is	working	He She It	is not (isn't)	working	Is	he she it	working?
We You They	are		We You They	are not (aren't)		Are	we you they	

now, at the moment, today

• **PRESENT CONTINUOUS USES:**

- **For temporary situation**



SHE IS READING A BOOK NOW.

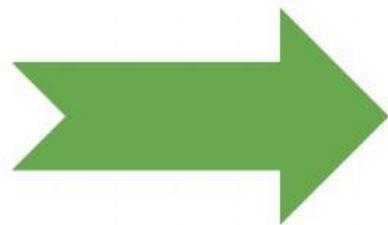
• PRESENT CONTINUOUS USES:

- For actions happening at the time of speaking



HE IS PAINTING AND THEY ARE TALKING.

- **EXAMPLES:**



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SIMPLE PRESENT



PRESENT CONTINUOUS



You **read** in the afternoon

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You **are reading** now

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