

Reading and Grammar

Present Simple: HE / SHE / IT

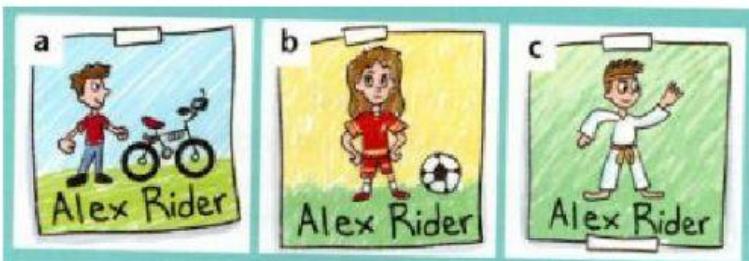
1- Do you remember the meaning of these pronouns?

He: _____

She: _____

It: _____

2- Read about Alex Rider. Choose the correct picture.



BOOK DAY



Year 5's favourite books and characters

I love the Alex Rider books by Anthony Horowitz. Alex Rider is my hero. He's 14 years old. He's got brown eyes and short brown hair. He's a student at Brookland Comprehensive School. He doesn't live with his parents; he lives in London with his guardian, Jack Starbright.

Alex doesn't go to school every day. He's a spy; he works for MI6. He doesn't drive a James Bond car, but he rides an amazing bike with lots of spy gadgets. He speaks four languages. He likes sport. He plays football and he does karate. He's a black belt. Alex's surname is Rider, but does he like horses? No, he doesn't! Alex has fantastic adventures in the books. I recommend them!

3- Read the text again. Match the sentences halves.

1 Alex lives	a horses?
2 Alex doesn't go	b four languages.
3 Alex speaks	c in London.
4 Does he like	d to school every day.

These sentences are in the present simple, too.

Be carefull! The verb changes in *he, she, it* sentences.



I live...	→ He lives...
I don't drive...	→ She doesn't drive...
Do you speak...?	→ Does she speak...?

4- Match sentences halves to make the rules.

1 We use <i>does</i>	a in negative sentences.
2 We use <i>doesn't</i>	b in positive sentences.
3 We add an s to the verb	c to make questions.

Remember!

I have lunch at two o'clock.
He has lunch at one o'clock.
NOT He haves lunch at one o'clock.

5- Answer the questions about Alex Rider.

- 1 Does he live with his mum and dad?
- 2 Does he live in London?
- 3 Where does he go to school?

6- Complete the text about Matilda with the correct form of the verbs in the box.

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Remember!

She lives in London. She doesn't live in Leeds.

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Matilda by Roald Dahl is my favourite book.

Matilda is the main character. She ¹✓ lives with her parents and her brother, Michael. Michael ²✗ books; he ³✓ television all day.

Matilda is clever. She loves books, and she ⁴✓ to the library every day. The librarian is surprised! She ⁵✓ books for children and books for adults, too. Her mum and dad don't understand Matilda. She isn't happy at home...

