EXERCISE 1: Complete the sentences with the simple present or the present progressive form of the verbs in parentheses.

1. Kristin can't come to the phone because she *(wash)* _____her hair.

2. Kristin *(wash)* _____ her hair every other day or so.

3. Tony *(sit, usually)* _____in the front row during class, but today he *(sit)* _____ in the last row.

4. Please be quiet. I *(try)* ._____ to concentrate.

5. *(you, lock, always)* _____the door to your apartment when you leave?

6. I wrote to my friend last week. She hasn't answered my letter yet. I *(wait, still)*_____ for a reply.

7. After six days of rain, I'm glad that the sun *(shine)* _____today.

8. Every morning, the sun *(shine)* _____*(wake)* _____ me up.

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