

UNIT 7: HEALTHY & WISE



Let's learn.

Every sentence has a subject and a verb. The verb usually tells what the subject is or does.

- A. The indefinite pronouns *anyone, everyone, someone, somebody, no one, nobody* are always **singular subjects**. Therefore, they require **singular verbs**.

Examples: *Everyone has to be present in the meeting.*
Somebody has taken her diary.
Nobody is allowed to leave the hall.

- B. **Collective nouns** take a **singular verb**, such as a group, a team, a committee, a class, and a family.

Examples: *The team practises hard before their final match.*
The committee decides to go ahead with the plan.
The family has a lot of pets.

Complete the paragraph with the correct form of verb.

- **Note: be = is / are**

Many families like to eat out due to their busy lifestyle. There _____ (be) still a lot of people who _____ (prepare) food at home. One of them _____ (be) Encik Hakimi. He _____ (prepare) his own breakfast before he _____ (go) to work. He strongly _____ (believe) that home-made food _____ (help) him to stay healthy and fit. Everyone in the staff room _____ (agree) with him.