

## LESSON 8: PRESENT SIMPLE & CONTINUOUS

Exercise 1: Choose the correct word or phrase.

1. I **study / am studying** English at the moment.
2. We **don't often go / often don't go** to the library.
3. Stacy **is doing / are doing** her morning exercise right now.
4. **Does Gary play / Is Gary playing** football with his friends now?
5. In Hide and Seek game, you **close / are closing** your eyes and count from 1 to 10.
6. I **have / am having** a shower once a day.
7. **Do you go / Are you going** to the park every day?
8. Look! Mia and Scarlett **climb / are climbing** a tree.
9. **Are you / Is you** okay? You look tired.
10. What **do you / you** do at weekends?

Exercise 2: Put the verbs in the correct **present simple** form.

1. It \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) every day in Da Lat in wet season.
2. My parents \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to work at 7:30 a.m every morning.
3. Maria \_\_\_\_\_ (never, be) late for school.
4. My brothers \_\_\_\_\_ (sometimes, play) with their toys.
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not visit) my grandparents once a month.
6. She \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) a happy person.
7. What \_\_\_\_\_ (he / do) in his free time?
8. \_\_\_\_\_ (you, be) from class 4A? Yes, I am.
9. I \_\_\_\_\_ (like) chicken but my sister \_\_\_\_\_ (not like) it.
10. We \_\_\_\_\_ (hate) playing football but Huy \_\_\_\_\_ (love) it.

Exercise 3: Put the verbs in the correct **present continuous** form.

1. Be quite! I \_\_\_\_\_ (do) my homework.
2. My cousin \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) a funny hat.
3. Look! My cats \_\_\_\_\_ (chase) a mouse in the garden.
4. Jack \_\_\_\_\_ (not ride) his bicycle to school now.
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not have) lunch with Sabina at the moment.
6. My children \_\_\_\_\_ (not sleep). They \_\_\_\_\_ (read) books.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ (you play) music up there? It's really noisy!
8. What \_\_\_\_\_ (she, do) now? She \_\_\_\_\_ (cook) dinner.

**Exercise 4: Read and choose the correct answer.**

1. Are you making breakfast, Mom? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. I am                                      B. You am                                      C. You are
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Christine \_\_\_\_\_ TV now?  
A. Is – watch                                      B. Is – watching                                      C. Does – watch
3. My dad often \_\_\_\_\_ newspapers every morning.  
A. read                                      B. is reading                                      C. reads
4. My family \_\_\_\_\_ four people: my dad, my mom, my sister and me.  
A. has                                      B. has got                                      C. A & B
5. My friend's dog - Bailey \_\_\_\_\_ excited when she sees me.  
A. is always                                      B. always is                                      C. A & B
6. \_\_\_\_\_ you listen to music often? No, I \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. Do – don't                                      B. Do – do                                      C. Don't – do
7. Jason \_\_\_\_\_ travelling a lot.  
A. am liking                                      B. likes                                      C. like
8. I usually \_\_\_\_\_ to school. But I'm tired today so my dad \_\_\_\_\_ by his car now.  
A. walk – is taking                                      B. walks – takes                                      C. am walking – is taking

**Exercise 5: Write. Use the **present simple** or **present continuous** form of the verb.**

0. Ben / have got / short hair → Ben has got short hair.

1. Be quiet! The baby / sleep.

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2. you / do / your homework at the moment?

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3. I / not like / bananas.

\_\_\_\_\_

4. the sun / shine / now?

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5. We / eat / lunch/ at 12 every day.

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6. Jean / not / go / to school on Monday afternoons.

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7. My dog / not run / right now.

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