

Grammar (present tenses review)

Ex.1. Choose what tense it is (PS – present simple, PC – present continuous, PPS – present perfect simple, PPC – present perfect continuous)

- 0 I haven't decided what I want to do yet. **PPS**
- 1 I always do my homework when I get home from school. _____
- 2 Liam hasn't been doing well at school for a few months. _____
- 3 My sister's always talking on her phone. _____
- 4 They've been thinking about buying a new house for more than a year now. _____
- 5 Jim's forgotten to do his homework again. _____
- 6 Steve doesn't want to go to university next year. _____
- 7 It's the last week of term so we're not doing very much at school. _____

Ex.2. Complete the sentences with the words in the list

've been writing | don't write | 've played
's playing | hasn't been playing | plays
haven't written | 'm writing

- 1 No, he's not busy. He _____ cards on the computer.
- 2 I _____ my party invitations. Who should I invite?
- 3 Most people _____ letters, just emails.
- 4 I _____ all morning. My hand's tired.
- 5 My cousin usually _____ tennis twice a day. He loves it.
- 6 I _____ to thank my aunt for my present yet. I must do it tonight.
- 7 We _____ all of these games. Have you got any others?
- 8 She's not very good at the piano. She _____ for very long.

Ex.3. Complete the conversation with the verbs in the correct tense form (present simple/present continuous/present perfect/ present perfect continuous)

JULES 0 Have you seen (see) Tara recently? I ¹ _____ (not see) her for weeks.

DAN No, but she ² _____ (text) me most days.

JULES So what ³ _____ (do) these days?

DAN Well, she ⁴ _____ (train) really hard for the past month.

JULES Training? For what?

DAN She ⁵ _____ (want) to be a professional footballer. Chelsea football club ⁶ _____ (invite) her to train with them. She starts with them on Monday.