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WORKSHEET 1



Use of English – Present simple

We use the present simple to talk about states, routines and habits.

He **is** really cheerful and fun to be with. (state)

I **start** school at 9 o'clock every day. (routine)

I always **play** online at the weekends. (habit)

	Positive	Negative
I/You/We/They	I read the newspaper.	I don't read the newspaper.
He/She/It	She reads the newspaper.	She doesn't read the newspaper.



Fact The sun **rises** in the east.



Habit We **drink** milk every day.

Spelling rules for the third-person singular

Verb Type	Base Form			Third-person Singular			Rule
most verbs	use	find	tell	uses	finds	tells	+ -s
verbs ending in -ch, -sh, -s, -x	catch	match	push	catches	matches	pushes	+ -es
verbs ending in a consonant + -y	carry	try	reply	carries	tries	replies	-y → -ies
verbs ending in a vowel + -y	say	play	enjoy	says	plays	enjoys	+ -s
exceptions	have	do	go	has	does	goes	-



I. Choose the correct answer

0. You _____ too much TV.
A. watch B. watchs C. watches

1. She _____ everything on the yard sale.
A. sell B. sells C. selles

2. Tim _____ the table.
A. set B. sets C. setes

3. I _____ with my credit card in the shop.
A. pay B. pays C. paies

4. The baby _____ to reach her toes.
A. try B. trys C. tries

5. The telephone _____ twice a day.
A. ring B. rings C. ringes

6. Mindy _____ flowers everyday after school.
A. water B. waters C. wateres

II. Give the correct form of the verbs in the brackets

0. *He (love) loves going to the museum.*

1. John (get) _____ up early every morning.

2. Bees (fly) _____ around the flowers in the garden.

3. Sarah (have) _____ a party on her birthday every year.

4. My younger sister (go) _____ to kindergarten.

5. Some twins (look) _____ different.

6. Spring (come) _____ after winter.

7. She (be) _____ talkative and cheerful.

II. Underline the correct answer

0. It (rain / rains) a lot in autumn.

1. Clark and Sam (don't / doesn't) play tennis. They usually (play / plays) basketball.
2. Joe (don't / doesn't) ride a motorbike. He always (ride / rides) his bike.
3. Mr. Temper (don't / doesn't) work in an office. He (work / works) in a factory.
4. David (is / isn't) selfish, which means he is generous.
5. Mr. Brown (don't / doesn't) have a kitten. He (have / has) a dog.
6. The children (don't / doesn't) swim on Sundays. They (go / goes) fishing.



I. Write the sentences

POSITIVE

0. *She swims everyday.*
1. _____
2. *My parents play tennis together.*
3. _____
4. *Lina is outgoing and talkative.*
5. _____
6. *He has got a rubber swimming pool.*
7. _____
8. *Marian visits her grandparents at weekend.*

NEGATIVE

- *She doesn't swim everyday.*
→ Mike doesn't ride the school bus.
→ _____
→ She doesn't listen to the radio.
→ _____
→ The children don't swim in the sea.
→ _____
→ My parents don't work on Saturdays.
→ _____

II. Look at the pictures and complete the sentences in present simple



watch

live

open

need

1. The bookstore _____ on Sunday.
2. Mr. Simpson _____ the news every night.
3. Lucy _____ an umbrella.
4. The camels _____ in the high mountains.

III. Put the words in the right order

0. *My brother / understand / Chinese.*

--> *My brother understands Chinese.*

1. *gets / up / very / Paul / usually / early/ . /*

--> _____

2. *the / The/ . / play / garden / in / children/*

--> _____

3. *selfish/ Ryan/ but/ is/ hard-working.*

--> _____

4. / I / . / history / documentary / watch / lesson/ in

--> _____

5. too / Our / speaks / . / fast / teacher

--> _____

6. every / ride / school / . / morning / bike / to / I / my

--> _____

7. boils / at / Water / . / 100°C

--> _____

8. bad-tempered/ She/ Anna/ gets/ angry/ ./ is/ easily/ ./

--> _____

IV. Write about you, your friends and / or family, using *Present simple tense*



Write about what you usually do, how you spend your time, your likes and dislikes.

Write about what you are doing at the moment, or these days.