

# PRESENT SIMPLE OR CONTINUOUS?

1. Complete with a verb in the PRESENT SIMPLE or PRESENT CONTINUOUS:

- a) Anne  (read) the newspaper in the living room at the moment.
- b) Costin usually  (walk) to school every morning.
- c) I  (not/understand) this word.
- d) Daniel  (look up) a word in the dictionary right now.
- e) What  (you/do) at the moment?
- f) How often  (you / listen) to classical music?
- g) I always  (work) hard to pass my exams.
- h) David never  (work) hard to pass his exams.
- i) Where  (David/go) right now? He  (go) to the supermarket.
- j) We  (not/have lunch) now. We  (watch) TV.

4. Do, Does, Am, Is, Are? Use short forms for the negative.

- a) We  (not) doing our English homework at the moment.
- b)  you speaking with your sister?
- c)  you prefer cake or fruit?
- d)  Anne go to the cinema with you on Sundays?
- e) I  trying to concentrate, but there is a lot of noise.
- f) Our friends  surfing on the Internet.
- g) Liz  (not) help her parents with the housework.
- h) Peter  checking the vocabulary.
- i) My brother  (not) watching TV.
- j)  he like music?
- k)  you make your bed every morning?
- l)  you ever visit museums?
- m) How often  you visit your grandparents?
- n) Claire  working hard to pass her tests.
- o)  I speaking with Mr Welsh?
- p)  your parents coming to the meeting?

**2. Change the following sentences into the negative. Use short forms:**

a) Annie revises her notebook before exams.

b) I'm dancing at the moment.

c) We're giving a party on Saturday.

d) George drives his car to work every morning.

e) We do a lot of homework.

f) Jane is checking the grammar reference now.

g) They are looking for you in the garden.

**3. Ask questions for the following answers:**

I play football once a week.

Yes, I love pizza.

No, Mike hates broccoli.

I live in Oxford.

Yes, I am listening to music.

No, my sister isn't singing.

No, I don't work on Saturdays.