

# 11

Present Continuous • Spelling of verb + *-ing*  
 Whose is it? • Parts of the body  
 Writing – describing people

Looking good!

## Present Continuous

### 1 I'm working hard because ...

Match a line in A with a line in B.

A	B
1 I'm working hard	a because he doesn't earn much.
2 Len's buying his wife a present	b because they're dry and the sun's hot.
3 Jane's washing her hair	c because it's her birthday soon.
4 Peter's looking for a better job	d because I've got exams next week.
5 We're buying some new clothes	e because he's hungry.
6 She's watering the flowers	f because she's going to a party tonight.
7 The baby's crying	g because we're going to a wedding soon.

### 2 Spelling of verb + *-ing*

Write the *-ing* form of the verbs.

1 walk	walking
2 have	_____
3 read	_____
4 stop	_____
5 use	_____
6 listen	_____
7 run	_____
8 say	_____
9 swim	_____
10 come	_____
11 do	_____
12 put	_____
13 ride	_____
14 drive	_____
15 think	_____

### 3 What are you doing?

**T 11.1** Write sentences that are true for you.

1 wearing a suit	I'm (not) wearing a suit.
2 wearing trainers	_____
3 listening to the teacher	_____
4 sitting in my bedroom	_____
5 working with a friend	_____
6 doing an English exercise	_____
7 drinking coffee	_____
8 my parents working	_____



#### 4 Describing people

Look at the people in the pictures. Describe them. What are they wearing? What are they doing? Write some sentences about them.

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#### 5 Making questions

Put the words in the correct order to make questions in the Present Continuous.

1 you/what/are/doing/? What are you doing?

2 cooking/are/you/what/?

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3 tonight/out/you/going/are/?

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4 playing/we/time/tennis/what/are/?

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5 crying/daughter/why/is/your/?

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6 dinner/are/Ken/and/Ellen/for/coming/when/?

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# Present Continuous and Present Simple

## 6 What do they do? What are they doing?

**11.2** Look at the pictures and answer the questions.

1 What does Tom do? He's a pilot.

2 Is he flying a plane now? No, he isn't.

3 What's he doing?

4 What does Fiona do?

5 Is she designing buildings now?

6 What's she doing?

7 What does Brian do?

8 Is he delivering letters now?

9 What does Nina do?

10 Is she working in a shop now?

11 What's she doing?



Tom



Fiona



Brian



Nina

## 7 Present Continuous or Present Simple?

1 Choose the correct form of the verb.

1 I have / I'm having a shower every morning.

2 Look! It's raining. / It rains. We can't go to the beach.

3 What are you doing / do you do tonight? Are you going / Do you go out?

4 What are we having / do we have for dinner tonight?

5 Where are you usually going / do you usually go on holiday?

6 What are you doing / do you do under the table?

7 I'm trying / I try to find my pen.

2 Complete the sentences with the verb in the Present Continuous or Present Simple.

1 **rain**

Oh no! It's raining. We can't play tennis.  
It always rains a lot in April.

2 **read**

I read a very good book at the moment.  
I read in bed every night.

3 **drink**

We drink champagne because it's our wedding anniversary today.

We always drink champagne on special occasions.

4 **work**

She's a doctor. She works in St Mary's Hospital.

She works hard because she has an exam tomorrow.

5 **not eat**

I don't eat that! It looks disgusting!

Vegetarians don't eat meat.

6 **speak**

Look! Peter speaks French to that man over there.

How many languages does he speak?

7 **do**

Why do we always do boring exercises?

Why do we do this exercise now?

8 **Auxiliary verbs**

Complete the sentences with *am/is/are* or *do/does/don't/doesn't*.

1 John's a vegetarian. He eat meat.

2 A Where you going?

B I going to the bank.

3 How many children your sister have?

4 A I looking for a pair of black shoes.

B Certainly. What size you take?

5 A Why Hans studying Chinese?

B Because he going to China on holiday.

6 A Bonjour! Ça va?

B Sorry. I understand. I speak French.

7 A What you want to do tonight?

B Why we go and see James?

A We can't because he working late tonight.

## Whose is this? It's his

### 9 Whose is the book?

Look at the people in the pictures. Write questions and answers about the objects.



1 book?

Whose is the book? It's hers.

2 bike?

3 hat?

4 car?

5 sunglasses?

6 trainers?

7 suncream?

8 sports bag?

9 dog?

10 children?

## 10 It's ours

**T 11.3** Rewrite the sentences with the possessive pronoun.

1 It's our school.

*It's ours.*

2 It's my book.

3 It's your car.

4 They're their tickets.

5 They're her jeans.

6 This is my wallet.

7 This is your present.

8 These are your cigarettes.

## 11 Check it

Correct the sentences.

1 Where your sister work?

*Where does your sister work?*

2 I'm go to the cinema tonight.

3 Who's is this jacket on your chair?

4 We no wear a uniform at my school.

5 That's my husband over there. He stands near the window.

6 What you doing after school today?

7 Sorry. You can't speak to Jenny. She's have a bath.

8 Whose that girl over there? She looks nice.

9 Peter's a businessman. He's work all over the world.

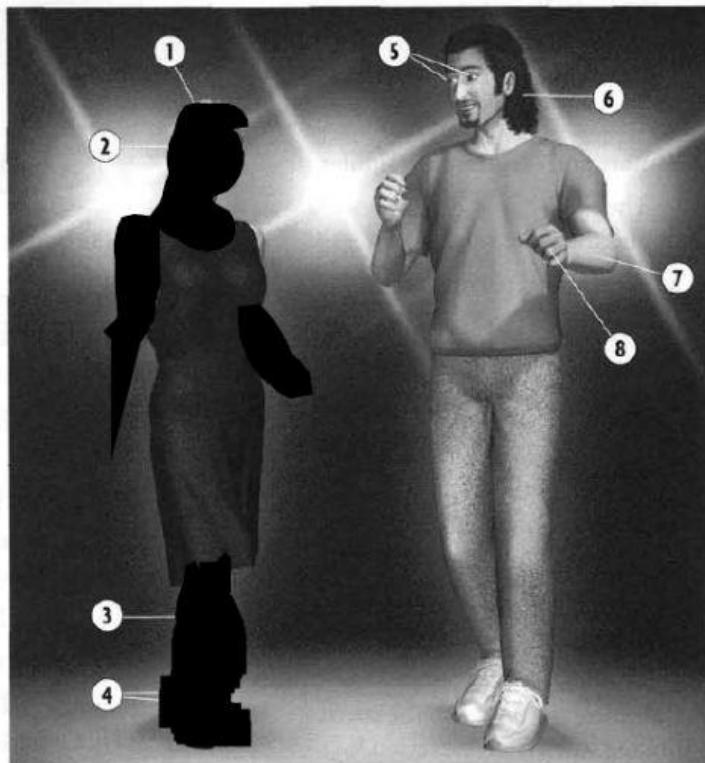
10 At the moment Peter's work in Russia.

## Vocabulary

### 12 Parts of the body

**T 11.4** Label the picture using the words in the box.

eyes leg arm head feet hand face hair



1 *head* \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

5 \_\_\_\_\_

6 \_\_\_\_\_

7 \_\_\_\_\_

8 \_\_\_\_\_

2 Now describe each person.

The girl *isn't very tall. She's got blond hair. She's wearing ...*

The boy \_\_\_\_\_

## Writing

### 13 Linking words – *although, but*

Complete the sentences with words from the box.

although because but  
too both for example

- 1 I like coffee, and I like tea, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 Kate and Meg are very similar. They \_\_\_\_\_ like dancing and they love cats.
- 3 We stopped playing tennis \_\_\_\_\_ it started to rain.
- 4 It was cold, \_\_\_\_\_ we went swimming.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ it was cold, we went swimming.
- 6 There's so much to do at the weekend. \_\_\_\_\_, you can go skiing or skating.

### 14 Describing people

- 1 Complete the text with the correct linking word from exercise 13.



### MY BROTHERS

I have twin brothers, Tim and Tom. They are very similar and a lot of people don't know which twin is which. They (1) \_\_\_\_\_ have blond hair and blue eyes, and they always wear jeans and T-shirts.

They like wearing the same things, and they like doing the same things, (2) \_\_\_\_\_. (3) \_\_\_\_\_, they both like pop music and they're crazy about football and computers. They go to a football match every Saturday. They'd like to play computer games every night, (4) \_\_\_\_\_. our mother says they can't (5) \_\_\_\_\_. they have a lot of homework.

(6) \_\_\_\_\_ they're twins, they aren't the same in every way. (7) \_\_\_\_\_, Tim works hard at school, (8) \_\_\_\_\_ Tom doesn't. He's a bit lazy.

Our mother is often away from home (9) \_\_\_\_\_ she travels a lot in her job, so we all help in the house. Most of the time it's fine, (10) \_\_\_\_\_. sometimes we fight a bit! (11) \_\_\_\_\_ they are noisy and annoying. I think it's fun to have twin brothers.

- 2 Write about 100 words about someone in your family.

**Paragraph 1** Description

**Paragraph 2** Likes/dislikes

**Paragraph 3** Personality