

Present

SIMPLE

Mostly Permanent Situations

- I live in New York
- Sally studies at Oxford University.
- I work in a bank.

Describing Habits and Frequency of Actions

- In summer I have my breakfast in the garden.
- The children make their beds each morning.
- She loses her credit card almost every month.

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CONTINUOUS

Temporary Actions Happening Now

- I'm living in New York this summer.
- He's studying at Oxford this semester.
- I am working from home today because my daughter's sick.

Habitual actions that continue for a period of time or annoying habits (+ always).

- I'm having breakfast between 7 and 7.30.
- The children are always making noise!
- She is always losing her car keys.

I usually _____ to work, but today I _____ the bus because my car is broken.

I _____ in a hotel while my house is being repainted.

My husband _____ a lot for work. He _____ to Japan right now!

I _____ my car keys once every two years, but you _____ losing yours!

I _____ about work when I have real problems, but he _____ about his boss all the time!

They _____ with us until they find an apartment.

Ugh! Every time I see you, you _____ video games! Do something else for a change!

We _____ on holidays maximum twice a year, but she _____ on holiday all the time !