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Britain: the good & the bad

The English country house is certainly an icon of British culture.
Julian Fellowes, British actor

G present simple $+$ and $-$ **V** verb phrases: cook dinner, etc. **P** third person $-s$

1 VOCABULARY verb phrases

a Circle the correct verb.

- 1 go / play tennis
- 2 take / wear an umbrella
- 3 do / make exercise
- 4 say / speak sorry
- 5 like / live animals
- 6 read / watch a book
- 7 do / want a coffee
- 8 say / speak German

b Match the verbs and nouns to make verb phrases.

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|---------|----------|-----------------|
| 1 need | <u>f</u> | a homework |
| 2 drink | ___ | b TV |
| 3 wear | ___ | c a car |
| 4 go | ___ | d mineral water |
| 5 live | ___ | e to the cinema |
| 6 do | ___ | f a new phone |
| 7 watch | ___ | g in a flat |
| 8 drive | ___ | h glasses |

c Complete the verb phrases.



1 cook _____ dinner _____



2 pl _____ the
g _____



3 w _____ in an
o _____



4 l _____ to
m _____



5 d _____ h _____



6 h _____ a
g _____



7 e _____ v _____



8 sp _____
Ge _____

2 GRAMMAR present simple $+$ and $-$

a Circle the correct answer, a or b.

- 1 A lot of British people ... animals.
a like b likes
- 2 It ... a lot in my country.
a don't rain b doesn't rain
- 3 Lewis ... a fast car.
a drive b drives
- 4 People ... identity cards in Britain.
a don't have b doesn't have
- 5 You ... a lot of books.
a read b reads
- 6 My boyfriend ... English.
a don't speak b doesn't speak
- 7 We ... a new computer.
a need b needs
- 8 I ... Chinese.
a don't speak b doesn't speak

b Complete the sentences.

- 1 I don't play (not play) tennis.
- 2 They _____ (not go) to the cinema.
- 3 Paul _____ (have) four young children.
- 4 Her father _____ (not work) in an office.
- 5 It _____ (rain) a lot.
- 6 We _____ (live) in a big flat.
- 7 My parents _____ (not speak) English.
- 8 My brother _____ (study) at Oxford University.
- 9 You _____ (not do) your homework.
- 10 The restaurant _____ (open) at 11.30.

c Complete the text with a or verb.

cook finish go like live study want work



Hi! I'm Catrin and I'm a student. I ¹ live in a flat with two other girls: Aisha and Holly. Aisha and I ² _____ history, but Holly ³ _____ in an office. She isn't very happy because she ⁴ _____ her job. She ⁵ _____ a new job! Aisha and I ⁶ _____ to university at 8.30 in the morning, but we ⁷ _____ very late. In the evening, we ⁸ _____ dinner for Holly, and she's very happy.

d Complete the You column in the chart. Then write or sentences.



	Ryan	Sarah	You
eat vegetables	✓	✗	
wear glasses	✗	✓	
drink mineral water	✓	✗	
do housework	✓	✗	
play the guitar	✗	✓	

Ryan

- 1 Ryan eats vegetables.
- 2 He doesn't wear _____.
- 3 He _____.
- 4 _____.
- 5 _____.

Sarah

- 6 Sarah _____.
- 7 She _____.
- 8 _____.
- 9 _____.
- 10 _____.

You

- 11 I _____.
- 12 _____.
- 13 _____.
- 14 _____.
- 15 _____.

3 PRONUNCIATION third person -s

a Circle the word which ends in /ɪz/.

- 1 likes works dances
- 2 lives drinks watches
- 3 drives finishes plays
- 4 uses takes speaks
- 5 does listens closes
- 6 changes gives wears

b 3.1 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the words.

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