

## Present Continuous Tense

Make the present continuous. You can use the short form or the longer form. For example, 'she's' or 'she is'.

1. (she / go home now)

2. (I / read a great book)

3. (she / not / wash her hair)

4. (the cat / chase mice?)

5. (she / cry?)

6. (he / not / study Latin)

7. (we / drive to London?)

8. (they / watch TV?)

9. (where / she / go now?)

10. (I / not / leave now)

11. (you / not / run)

12. (why / he / leave?)

13. (how / I / travel?)

14. (it / not / rain)

15. (when / we / arrive?)

## Present Simple Tense

**A Add -s, -es or -ies to the verbs below to form the Present Simple for he, she or it.**

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|---------------------|---------------|----------------|
| 1 stop <u>stops</u> | 5 mix .....   | 9 go .....     |
| 2 watch .....       | 6 tie .....   | 10 catch ..... |
| 3 study .....       | 7 dress ..... | 11 enjoy ..... |
| 4 do .....          | 8 try .....   | 12 lose .....  |

**B Complete the sentences with the Present Simple form of the verb in brackets.**

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|---|---|
| 1 Mum <u>washes</u> (wash) the car once a week. | 5 Every year Helen ..... (go) to France.      |
| 2 Children usually ..... (like) ice cream.      |   |
| 3 ..... you ..... (know) the way to the lake?   | 6 He ..... (not visit) his friends every day. |
| 4 Bob ..... (study) French on Saturdays.        |   |

**C Write each sentence in the negative. Then write an affirmative sentence using the words in brackets.**

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| 1 You need more spelling practice. (reading)<br>a <u>You don't need more spelling practice.</u><br>b <u>You need more reading practice.</u> | 3 I study on Saturdays. (Sundays)<br>a .....<br>b .....      |
| 2 My dad reads the newspaper every day. (a book)<br>a .....<br>b .....  | 4 Mark goes to karate lessons. (piano)<br>a .....<br>b ..... |

**D Write questions and answer them about yourself.**

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|---|--|
| 1 your grandma / often / visit you / ?<br><u>Does your grandma often visit you?</u><br><u>Yes, she does. / No, she doesn't.</u> | 3 your dad / play / the guitar / ?<br>.....<br>.....         |
| 2 you / watch / TV / in the evening / ?<br>.....<br>.....   | 4 your friends / like / computer games / ?<br>.....<br>..... |

## Past Simple Tense

**A Write the Past Simple of each verb in the correct column.**

open marry like try bake stop mix plan repeat worry decide travel

-ed	-d	-ied	double consonant + -ed
<i>opened</i>			

**B Complete the sentences with the Past Simple of the verbs in brackets.**

- My sister ..... *tried* ..... (try) to bake a cake last Saturday.
- We ..... (not order) steak and chips at the restaurant yesterday.
- I ..... (phone) my cousin in Canada three days ago.
- The children ..... (play) on the computer yesterday.

**C Write the questions. Then answer them.**

- you / watch TV / last night  
*Did you watch TV last night?*  
*Yes, I did. / No, I didn't.*
- your friends / play football / yesterday
- your mum / bake / a cake / last weekend
- you / phone / a friend / an hour ago

**D Write the Past Simple form of the verbs.**

- take ..... *took* .....
- drink .....
- ride .....
- give .....
- think .....
- have .....
- go .....
- wake .....
- buy .....

**E Write questions with the words below. Then answer the questions according to the pictures. Use the Past Simple.**



- Rob / buy a small car  
*Did Rob buy a small car?*  
*No, he didn't. He bought a jeep.*
- Jenny / wear a skirt / to the party
- cowboys / drive cars / in the 1880s
- the teacher / speak Greek / in the lesson

