# PRESENT SIMPLE, PRESENT CONTINUOUS or PAST SIMPLE?

1. Can I talk to you? – No, you can´t. I _____ (have) a bath.
2. She _____ (listen) to music every morning.
3. We _____ (not/like) metal music, we _____ (prefer) rock.
4. When he _____ (see) the accident yesterday, he _____ (help) the driver.
5. What _____ (you/do)? – I _____ (look) for my glasses.
6. They _____ (bring/always) presents when they _____ (visit) us.
7. When we _____ (be) younger, we _____ (think) Prague was in France.
8. He _____(not/win) the award in 2006.
9. That´s typical! He _____ (want) to win every time he _____ (participate) in a competition.
10. Why _____ (you/bring) that toy to school last week? – Because I _____ (want) to show it to my schoolmates.
11. Be quiet, please. My children _____ (try) to sleep.
12. They _____(not/go) to school at weekends.
13. Why _____(you/believe) him? He _____(tell/never) the truth. He _____(lie/always).
14. She _____ (decide) to visit London last month. She _____ (meet) interesting people, _____ (see) wonderful sights, and _____ (enjoy) herself a lot.
15. Where _____ (she/be)? I _____ (wait) for her.
16. _____ (they/know) that water _____ (boil) at 100 degrees Celsius?
17. My parents _____ (build) the house in 1985.
18. He _____ (not/marry) her because she _____ (break) up with him last year.
19. Look at her! She _____ (sit) in the park over there. Isn´t she wonderful?
20. _____ (he/like) the book he _____ (borrow) yesterday?

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1 Look! Steve _____ **(DANCE)** with another girl.

2 Joe said something funny and we all _____ **(LAUGH)**.

3 Nick _____ **(WORK)** from early in the morning until late at night every day.

4 I was surprised that Allan _____ **(NOT WIN)**.

5 Alex was looking for the treasure, but he _____ **(NOT FIND)** it.

6 Richard _____ **(OFFER)** Kate something to drink, but she said she wasn't thirsty.

7 Tom is much shorter and _____ **(WEIGH)** much less than Jack.

8 We _____ **(STAY)** at home because it's raining.

9 James _____ **(WRITE)** a love letter to Cindy, but never _____ **(GIVE)** it to her.

10 When was the last time you _____ **(CELEBRATE)** Christmas with your whole family?

11 Bill typically _____ **(FINISH)** his work at 2:30.

12 Roy _____ **(NOT NEED)** to come into the office on Mondays.

13 In Japan, the new school year _____ **(BEGIN)** in April.

14 Could you please be quieter? David _____ **(SLEEP)**.

15 Neil can get there in ten minutes if he _____ **(DRIVE)** fast.

16 Why _____ you _____ **(DECIDE)** to name your son Simon?

17 Sam _____ **(WASH)** his car at least once a week.

18 _____ you _____ **(WATCH)** the news on TV every day?

19 How often _____ you _____ **(LOOK)** at yourself in the mirror?

20 Edward _____ **(PAINT)** that picture last summer.

21 The girl _____ **(JUMP)** to her feet and _____ **(LEAVE)** the room.

22 She feeds her dog the same thing that she _____ **(EAT)**.

23 Lisa _____ **(VISIT)** Randy every time that she's in the United States.

24 Do you want to hear about what I _____ **(DO)** last summer?

25 Alex _____ **(GET)** into bed and _____ **(TURN OFF)** the light.

26 _____ you _____ **(PREFER)** green or black tea?

27 _____ you _____ **(KNOW)** anybody who can teach my kids French?

28 Look at the boy and the dog that _____ **(RUN)** over there.

29 Tom said that he hated the song we _____ **(SING)** last night.

30 The weather was cold and it _____ **(RAIN)** a lot.

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