

## Правописание

- ◆ В глаголах, оканчивающихся на **-е**, обычно опускается **-е** и прибавляется **-ing**.  
*dance - dancing*    **НО**    *agree - agreeing*
- ◆ В глаголах, оканчивающихся на **ударный слог с кратким гласным** между двумя согласными, конечная согласная буква удваивается и прибавляется **-ing**.  
*refer - referring*    *run - running*  
*get - getting*    **НО**    *open - opening*
- ◆ В глаголах, оканчивающихся на **-l**, эта буква удваивается и прибавляется **-ing**.  
*travel - travelling*
- ◆ В глаголах, оканчивающихся на **-ie**, опускается **-ie** и прибавляется **-y + -ing**.  
*lie - lying*    *die - dying*

*talk, dive, swim, shop, lie, study, mend, write,  
try, take, cook, stop, sleep, die, sit*

**+ ing**

*talk* → *talk***ing**

**~~-ie~~ → y + ing**

**~~-e~~ → ing**

**двойная согласная  
+ ing**

**ALL UNITS Match sentences 1 and 2 with their meanings, A or B, in each pair.**

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| 0 1 Nick's having a shower.                          | → A There's a shower, not a bath, in his flat. |
| 2 Neil has a shower.                                 | → B He's wet.                                  |
| 1 1 Sally works from home.                           | A Her office is in her home.                   |
| 2 Samantha is working from home.                     | B She is at home today to wait for a builder.  |
| 2 1 David's cold.                                    | A He feels ill.                                |
| 2 Derek has a cold.                                  | B The heating is turned off.                   |
| 3 1 Steve always plays his guitar in the evening.    | A His guitar playing really annoys me.         |
| 2 Simon is always playing his guitar in the evening. | B I don't mind his guitar playing.             |
| 4 1 Marianne's living in Edinburgh.                  | A She usually lives in London.                 |
| 2 Marie lives in Edinburgh.                          | B She doesn't live in London.                  |
| 5 1 Teresa loses weight every year.                  | A She's on a good diet.                        |
| 2 Thea is losing weight.                             | B She always eats less in the summer.          |
| 6 1 Heidi is a good doctor.                          | A She visits her when she feels ill.           |
| 2 Helen's got a good doctor.                         | B She has lots of experience.                  |
| 7 1 Paul travels a lot on business.                  | A He's on a plane.                             |
| 2 Patrick is travelling on business.                 | B He's an international salesman.              |

**Choose the correct words in *italics*. In one sentence, both answers are possible.**

**2.57 Listen and check.**

- 0 Fatima's a really good friend. She never forgets / *is forgetting* my birthday.
- 1 Selina *doesn't work* / *isn't working* in her office at the moment because the builders are there.
- 2 Mmm. Those roses *smell* / *are smelling* lovely. Are they from your garden?
- 3 I can't believe how difficult my new course is. *I find* / *I'm finding* it really hard to keep up with all the reading at the moment.
- 4 These are difficult times because food and fuel prices *go up* / *are going up* quickly.
- 5 *Do you believe* / *Are you believing* anything that child says?
- 6 Harry isn't at work because *he feels* / *he's feeling* unwell.
- 7 In the film 'Australia' two young people *meet* / *are meeting* and become friends during World War II.
- 8 Some of the students *don't understand* / *aren't understanding* basic mathematical ideas.



## Present tenses

Choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

- 1 The meals here ..... very expensive.  
A isn't B aren't C not are
- 2 ..... I invited to Jim's party?  
A Amn't B Don't C Aren't
- 3 The shoe shop ..... the shoes I saw last week.  
A doesn't have got B hasn't got C doesn't got
- 4 I'm exhausted. I'm going to ..... a sleep for half an hour.  
A have B be C have got
- 5 Don't bother to invite Gerry – he ..... musicals!  
A doesn't like B doesn't likes C isn't like
- 6 I really like Leona Lewis – she ..... so well.  
A sing B is sing C sings
- 7 Most children ..... enough green vegetables.  
A eatn't B don't eat C not eat
- 8 We don't need to rush – this bus ..... late!  
A is always B always is C always
- 9 I ..... on a colour printer, but mine is broken at the moment.  
A am usually print B print usually C usually print
- 10 ..... on the report for Grant Brothers at the moment?  
A Are you work B You work C Are you working
- 11 'Is Alana coming this evening?' 'No, she ..... at home with the kids.'  
A staying B stays C is staying
- 12 Let's put the heating on. The nights ..... colder now.  
A are getting B get C is getting
- 13 Can you tell the children to be quiet? They .....!  
A argue always B are always arguing C always argue
- 14 In this picture, the woman ..... a car that's broken down.  
A is repairing B is repair C repairs
- 15 A student teacher ..... our class while Ms Bennett has her baby.  
A takes B does take C is taking
- 16 What ..... when you're in bed at night?  
A you usually read B do you usually read C are you usually reading
- 17 The film ..... with a car crash, and then ...  
A is open B opens C is opening
- 18 Older people ..... more help from the government this year.  
A get B are get C are getting
- 19 'Is this the soup for the dinner party tonight? Mmm, it ..... delicious!'  
A tastes B is tasting C is tasty
- 20 ..... the date of Dan's wedding anniversary? I've forgotten it.  
A Do you remember B Are you remembering C You remember