

PRESENT SIMPLE AND PRESENT CONTINUOUS

Fill in the blanks with the present simple of the verbs in brackets.

1. Paul (not/speak) English well.
2. My brother (help) me with my homework.
3. The children usually (eat) in the school canteen.
4. (she/ live) in a flat or in a house?
5. My father (drive) us to school.
6. The teacher (not/ be) in class today.
7. Who (like) classical music?
8. Some people (not/ have) parties to celebrate their birthday.

3. Underline the right tense:

1. My mum **goes/is going** to the market on Friday.
2. **Do you like/Is he liking** cinema?
3. The children **play/are playing** chess now.
4. "Where's Tony?" "He **studies/is studying**"
5. The programme **finishes/is finishing** at 10.
6. Sally **has/is having** coffee after lunch.
7. **Do you fly/ Are you flying** to Paris on Monday or on Tuesday?
8. My mother **doesn't play/ isn't playing** tennis.
9. What time **does the concert begin/ is the concert beginning**?
10. I **usually get up/ am usually getting up** at 7:30 on weekdays.
11. What **do you think/ are you thinking** of the new teacher?

2. Complete the sentences with the present continuous of the verbs in brackets.

1. Mary the homework (not/do), she (listen) to music.
2. (you/ revise) for tomorrow's exam?
3. What (Paul/wear) today?
4. "..... (you/ work) on Saturday, Susan?" "Yes, I"
5. The cats and the dogs (fight).
6. Mrs Brown (iron) some shirts.
7. "..... (your sister/ read), Sue?"
"No, she"



4. Fill in the gaps with the correct present simple/ continuous form:

1. Dan usually milk for breakfast (have)
2. My friends (not/ come) to the party next Sunday.
3. Pat normally (work) in Rome, but this year she (work) London.
4. What (you/ read), Tim?
5. My father (not/ smoke).
6. We (tidy) our room now. We always (tidy) it on Saturday.
7. My brother (think) politicians (lie) to get