

PRESENT SIMPLE VS PRESENT CONTINUOUS

Complete the rules in the grammar table. Write *simple* or *continuous*.



1 To talk about facts, habits and routines, we use the present <input type="text" value="..."/> .
2 To talk about an action in progress, we use the present <input type="text" value="..."/> .
3 We use <i>always</i> , <i>usually</i> , <i>sometimes</i> and <i>never</i> with the present <input type="text" value="..."/> .
4 We use <i>now</i> and <i>at the moment</i> with the present <input type="text" value="..."/> .

Write the correct form of the verb in each pair of sentences.



play

- 1 Today I ✓ 'm playing with my uncle's dog, Patch.
- 2 I always ✓ play with Patch at the weekend.

lie

- 3 Every day after school I _____ on my bed and read a book.
- 4 Look! The cows in that field _____ down.

eat

- 5 Large spiders _____ frogs and other small animals.
- 6 Oh! The cat _____ our dinner! Do cats like spaghetti?

swim

- 7 In this photo a group of dolphins _____ next to our boat. Amazing!
- 8 Dolphins _____ quite fast, up to 32 km an hour.

