

The Simple Present Tense

Remember: When talking about the daily activities or general truths about **one** person or thing, place an **'s'** at the end of the action word.

If the action word ends with **ch, sh, s, x** or **z**, add **'es'** at the end of the word.

If the action word ends with **y**, change the **y** to an **'i'** and add **'es'**.

For example: She **cries** for her bottle.



Write the correct form of the verb in the brackets to complete each sentence.

Example: The bird flies over the tree. (fly)

1. The student _____ to do his best. (try)
2. Mary _____ the books to the car in the morning. (carry)
3. The parrot _____ everything the man says. (copy)
4. Harry _____ every night. (study)
5. The hairdresser _____ my hair. (dry)