

The difference in Present tense/ Present Progressive/ Simple/Near Future**A. WHEN WE USE THEM**

In English and Spanish- both Present (what you learned last year) and Present Progressive talk about things going on right now -

Present tense - more general

Pres. Progressive- IN PROGRESS right now will end shortly

Simple/Near Future- things that are *going to happen* soon

B. HOW TO FORM THE TENSES (*if your answer is similar to what I have typed then you are fine*)

Present tense - drop -ar, -er and -ir from infinitive add the present tense endings, watch out for irregs and stem changes

Pres. Progressive-

Simple/Near Future-

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| To translate this to Spanish | You would use Pres/Pres Prog/Simple Future |
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| <u>Modelo</u> : Susie eats fish on Tuesday. | Present |
| The girls are going to the store now. | |
| The girls are going to go to the store tomorrow. | |
| My mom is cleaning the house. | |
| We go to church on Sundays. | |
| The dog is going to puke. | |
| I am boring. | |
| DaKeesha is living her best virtual life. | |
| Her brother and I are going to get married. | |
| If I get one more email I am going to lose it. | |
| Bexley and Effie are going to swing from the tree | |
| Mrs. Averett teaches Biology. | |

D. Escribe en español- Ten cuidado- be careful to choose the correct tense.

1. I am drawing dogs on my paper.
2. The boys go to the gym on Tuesday.
3. The class is going to study today.
4. My boyfriend and I are watching Netflix.
5. My mother is reading a book.
6. Susana runs to school.
7. Our dog is eating cheese right now!
8. You (informal) are going to walk home.
9. Why are you (informal) sleeping in Spanish class?
10. You (formal) are going to carry my backpack.