

Video Lesson - Present Simple

A

Watch the video lesson about the present simple tense.



B

Study the rules of conjugation.

Verbs ending in consonant + y >> drop the y and add -ies	study >> studies fly >> flies copy >> copies
Verbs ending in -ss, -sh, -ch, -x and -o >> add -es	go >> goes kiss >> kisses match >> matches
Other verbs >> add -s	play >> plays work >> works dance >> dances



C

Use the following verbs to complete the sentences using the present simple. Sometimes you need the negative.

believe eat play go grow
produce rise take translate

1. The earth _____ round the Sun.
2. Cotton _____ in cold climates.
3. The sun _____ in the east.
4. Silkworms _____ silk
5. Vegans _____ meat or dairy products.
6. An atheist _____ in God.
7. An interpreter _____ from one language into another.
8. A flight from New York to London usually _____ about 7 hours.
9. Serena Williams _____ soccer.

D

Read the situations and ask Joanne questions about herself and her relatives.

1. You know Joanne plays golf. You want to know how often.
How often do you play golf? _____?
2. You know Joanne works as a flight attendant. You want to know where.
_____?
3. You know her brother is a professor. You want to know what he teaches.
_____?
4. You want to know when her brother usually visits her.
_____?

