

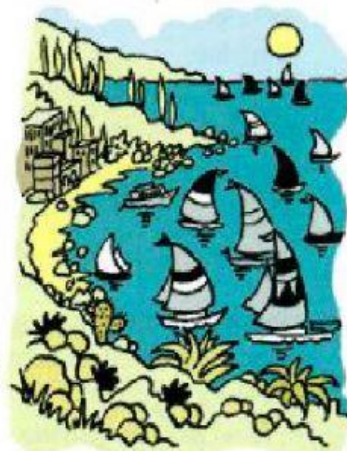
Present Continuous

- B** Finish the postcard using the words in brackets () in the Present Continuous. Use full forms (e.g. *is sitting*).

Dear Peter,

Jenny and I (▶) *are staying* (stay) here for a week.
 The sun (1) (shine) and it's very hot.
 We (2) (sit) on the beach and I
 (3) (drink) an orange juice.
 We (4) (not/swim) because we're
 both tired. We (5) (watch) the boats on
 the sea at the moment. They (6) (travel) fast,
 but I can see fifteen or sixteen. Jenny (7) (read)
 her book, and I (8) (write) all the postcards!

Jim and Jenny



- C** Match the two halves of the sentences. Then put in the correct form of the verb in brackets ().

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| ▶ My aunt <i>is staying</i> (stay)
with us this week | a so he can't drink beer at the moment. |
| 1 I (go) to work by
bike this week | b because she (work)
at home. |
| 2 My father (take)
some medicine | c so she (stay) at
home today. |
| 3 Anna is not in the office this week | d so I <i>am sleeping</i> (sleep) in the
living room. |
| 4 Pauline needs some exercise | e because our oven is broken. |
| 5 We (eat) in a
restaurant this week | f because he wants to get a good mark. |
| 6 Jill doesn't feel well | g because I haven't got money for petrol. |
| 7 Tom (study)
more now | h so she (walk) to
school this week. |

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