

## GRAMMAR

### Present continuous and present simple

1 Look at the examples from the listening. Write *simple* or *continuous*.

Complete the rules with the underlined words.

Present \_\_\_\_\_

I Today, I'm **talking** about my morning routine.

I'm **having** cereal with fruit today.

At the moment, I'm **wearing** my favourite T-shirt.

I'm **leaving** the house now.

I'm **not wearing** my uniform today.

Present \_\_\_\_\_

I never **have** a shower in the morning.

I always **check** my messages in the morning.

I sometimes **have** toast and butter.

I usually **wear** my uniform.

I don't usually **have** a shower in the morning.

We often use the **present simple** with words like \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

We often use the **present continuous** with words like \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

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2 Complete the sentences with the correct tense of the verbs in brackets.

0 I I'm shopping (shop) at the moment. I can't talk.

1 My mum always \_\_\_\_\_ (cook) nice food.

2 I stay (stay) at home today. I not go (not go) to school.

3 It's five o'clock now and I watch (watch) TV with my sister.

4 What time your dad usually (get up) on Sundays?

5 It's OK, Jack not sleep (not sleep) at the moment. You can go and talk to him.

Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 We never eat / 're never eating dinner at a restaurant.
- 2 I go / 'm going swimming after school every day.
- 3 Shh! My baby brother sleeps / 's sleeping at the moment.
- 4 What do you usually have / are you usually having for breakfast?
- 5 Are you watch / watching TV now? No, I'm not / it isn't.
- 6 My mum doesn't work / isn't working today. She's on holiday.
- 7 We always go / are always going to school by bus.

Choose the correct words or phrases to complete the sentences.

- 1 I always / at the moment prepare my school bag before school.
- 2 My parents now / always watch TV in the evening.
- 3 My brother is making breakfast now / usually.
- 4 Why have you got your maths book? We're studying English often / today.
- 5 What are you doing sometimes / at the moment?
- 6 I don't usually / never go to bed at 9 o'clock.

every day	on Sundays
Listen!	right now
now	always
today	at the moment
sometimes	often
usually	Look!

## Present Simple


## Present Continuous


Complete the sentences with the present simple or present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

- 0 He plays (play) tennis every day.
- 1 I never ..... (tidy) my room. My mum hates it!
- 2 They usually ..... (watch) films at the weekend.
- 3 My dad ..... (cook) breakfast today.
- 4 My mum ..... (not work) in a school. She's a police officer.
- 5 Jack ..... (not work) today because he's not very well.
- 6 What book ..... (you / read) at the moment? Is it good?