

CHAPTER 1: PRESENT SIMPLE

LESSON 1: INTRODUCTION TO PRESENT SIMPLE

Is used to describe habits, general truths, scheduled events.
CANNOT have “tobe” and “a verb” at the same time

PRESENT SIMPLE WITH TO BE

AFFIRMATIVE	NEGATIVE	INTERROGATIVE
(+) S + to be + Adj/NP/PrepP...	(-) S + to be + not+ Adj/NP/PrepP...	(?) (Wh/H) + To be + S + Adj/NP/PrepP...
These books are expensive	These books are not expensive	Are these books expensive?
they are students	They are not students	Are they students?
She is a teacher	She is not a teacher	Is she a teacher?
I + am You/we/they + are She/he/it + is	Is not = isn't Are not = aren't Am not = am not	Are you ok ? - Yes , I am - No , I am not Who is your teacher? - The women in blue dress .

PRACTICE EXERCISES

1. True or False.

Read and circle True or False.



I'm seven years old. I have got one brother and one sister. They **are** older – he **is** eight and she's ten. My mum **is** a doctor. My dad **isn't** a doctor, he's a teacher. We **are** very happy because it's Saturday and we **aren't** at school!

a. He is seven years old.	<input type="radio"/> True	<input type="radio"/> False
b. His sister is six years old.	<input type="radio"/> True	<input type="radio"/> False
c. His dad is a teacher.	<input type="radio"/> True	<input type="radio"/> False
d. They are sad today.	<input type="radio"/> True	<input type="radio"/> False

2. Choose the answer!

Read the sentence. Circle the correct answer.



a. I <u> </u> 12 years old. am / is / are
b. My brother <u> </u> at university. he's / is / are
c. He <u> </u> good at swimming. not / 's not / note
d. <u> </u> she in the school play? Ares / Is / Am
e. I <u> </u> short. is / 'm / 's
f. They <u> </u> always late for school. arent / aren't / ares

3. Make it right!

Find the mistake, correct it and write it correctly.

- a. We not tired.
- b. I from Turkey.
- c. They is at the park.
- d. Are that your dog?
- e. Im very tall.
- f. My dad are an engineer.
- g. He's n't angry.



We are

Write in the correct Verb to be.

1. Donna my best friend.
2. Ron and Dave brother and sister.
3. My grandmother 90 year old.
4. You a good student.
5. My house very pretty.
6. I not at home.
7. Dan and I in school right now.
8. My book 300 pages long.
9. My friends funny.
10. The children at a summer camp.

Rewrite the sentences in the negative form.

1. Lilly and Sean are on vacation.

2. Ben is hungry right now.

3. My mother is a teacher.

4. I am at the cinema.

5. It is about to rain today.

6. The books are heavy.

7. They are poor.

8. The kitchen is clean.

4. Complete the sentences:

1. I think I ____ in a good way.
2. They like to be as they ____.
3. It ____ good that it ____ sunny.
4. We ____ a good team.
5. You ____ so beautiful in that sparkling dress.
6. How ____ I to see her?
7. This old building ____ a historical landmark in the heart of the city.
8. If he ____ here, this won't happen.
9. We ____ too different from each other.
10. That ____ the stupid story they ____ so curious about.
11. She ____ absolutely gorgeous!
12. He ____ always very pleasant to me.
13. They will not know who we ____.
14. They know what you ____ a famous singer.
15. She ____ an avid reader who enjoys exploring different literature genres.
16. We ____ are lifelong friends who have known each other since childhood.
17. The mountains ____ breathtaking and marvelous in their rugged beauty.
18. It ____ important to maintain a healthy diet and exercise routine.
19. My favorite color ____ a vibrant shade of turquoise.
20. The city park ____ a peaceful place located in the central.