Present Simple



Verbs ending in -ss, -sh, -ch, -x, -o → -es
I wash – he washes I go – he goes

Verbs ending in consonant + -y → -ies
I cry – he cries BUT I play – he plays

1 Fill in the correct form of the verbs.

1 I live – he ...lives...
2 I play – he .....
3 I watch – he .....
4 I do – he .....
5 I read – he .....
6 I write – he .....
7 I fly – he .....
8 I work – he .....
9 I wash – he .....
10 I miss – he .....
11 I give – he .....
12 I brush – he .....
13 I buy – he .....
14 I teach – he .....
15 I cry – he .....
16 I go – he .....
17 I sit – he .....
18 I tidy – he .....

2 Choose the correct item.

1 Chloe **watch** / **watches** TV every evening.
2 Our teacher **read** / **reads** lots of books.
3 Dad **go** / **goes** to work by bus every morning.
4 I **drink** / **drinks** lots of water.
5 Paul **fly** / **flies** his kite on windy days.
6 The children **play** / **plays** in the park on Saturdays.
7 We **live** / **lives** in a big house.
8 The boys **hate** / **hates** fish.
9 My mum **wear** / **wears** a uniform to work.
10 He **ride** / **rides** his bike to school every morning.
11 I usually **fish** / **fishes** in the river near my house.
12 They are from Italy. They **speak** / **speaks** Italian.

3 Look and write. Put the verbs in brackets into the *present simple* negative.



1 They ...don't start... **(start)** school at 9 o'clock.



2 He ..... **(like)** fish.



3 She ..... **(have)** lunch at 12 o'clock.



4 He ..... **(watch)** TV in the evenings.



5 We ..... **(live)** in Paris.



6 I ..... **(ride)** my bike to school.

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