UNIT 3

I am doing (present continuous)

A



She**'s eating**.
She **isn't reading**.



It**'s raining**.
The sun **isn't shining**.



They**'re running**.
They **aren't walking**.

The present continuous is:
am/is/are + do**ing**/eat**ing**/runn**ing**/writ**ing** *etc.*

I	**am**	(not)	**-ing**	I**'m** work**ing**.
he / she / it	**is**	(not)	**-ing**	Chris **is** writ**ing** a letter. She **isn't** eat**ing**. (*or* She**'s not** eat**ing**.) The phone **is** ring**ing**.
we / you / they	**are**	(not)	**-ing**	We**'re** hav**ing** dinner. You**'re not** listen**ing** to me. (*or* You **aren't** …) The children **are** do**ing** their homework.

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3.1 What are these people doing? Use these verbs to complete the sentences:

~~eat~~ **have** **lie** **play** **sit** **wait**



1 She's eating an apple.
2 He ..... for a bus.
3 They ..... football.
4 ..... on the floor.
5 ..... breakfast.
6 ..... on the table.

3.2 Complete the sentences. Use one of these verbs:

build **cook** **go** **have** **stand** **stay** **swim** **~~work~~**

1 Please be quiet. I 'm working.
2 'Where's John?' 'He's in the kitchen. He ..... .'
3 'You ..... on my foot.' 'Oh, I'm sorry.'
4 Look! Somebody ..... in the river.
5 We're here on holiday. We ..... at the Central Hotel.
6 'Where's Ann?' 'She ..... a shower.'
7 They ..... a new theatre in the city centre at the moment.
8 I ..... now. Goodbye.

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3.3 Look at the picture. Write sentences about Jane. Use **She's -ing** or **She isn't -ing**.



1 (have dinner) Jane isn't having dinner.
2 (watch television) She's watching television.
3 (sit on the floor) She .....
4 (read a book) .....
5 (play the piano) .....
6 (laugh) .....
7 (wear a hat) .....
8 (write a letter) .....

3.4 What's happening at the moment? Write true sentences.

1 (I / wash / my hair) I'm not washing my hair.
2 (it / snow) It's snowing. OR It isn't snowing.
3 (I / sit / on a chair) .....
4 (I / eat) .....
5 (it / rain) .....
6 (I / learn / English) .....
7 (I / listen / to music) .....
8 (the sun / shine) .....
9 (I / wear / shoes) .....
10 (I / read / a newspaper) .....

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