

**1. Choose the correct verb form (Present Simple or Present Continuous) for each sentence. Use the words provided in the brackets to complete the sentences.**

1. Sarah usually \_\_\_\_\_ (talk) a lot, but today she \_\_\_\_\_ (be) surprisingly quiet.

2. My brother always \_\_\_\_\_ (act) shy when he \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) new people.

3. Why is Tom \_\_\_\_\_ (behave) so mean today?

4. Normally, he \_\_\_\_\_ (seem) quite friendly.

5. The students \_\_\_\_\_ (study) for their exams now, so they \_\_\_\_\_ (be) very busy.

6. She \_\_\_\_\_ (have) wavy hair. Today she \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) a hat.

7. James \_\_\_\_\_ (be) a clever student; he \_\_\_\_\_ (always, do) well in his exams.

8. Don't disturb Mike; he \_\_\_\_\_ (read) a book and \_\_\_\_\_ (prefer) to be quiet.

9. The children \_\_\_\_\_ (be) usually talkative, but today they \_\_\_\_\_ (play) quietly.

**2. Choose the correct form of the verb (Present Simple or Present Continuous) to describe each person based on their behavior.**

1. Lucy \_\_\_\_\_ (talk) so much! She's really \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Mark \_\_\_\_\_ (act) shy in social situations, but today he \_\_\_\_\_ (be) more confident.

3. My friend Tim \_\_\_\_\_ (be) always mean to his siblings; it's not nice.

4. Why is Jenny \_\_\_\_\_ (not/answer) today? She \_\_\_\_\_ (solve) math problems easily.

5. Mr. Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ (be) usually quiet, but today he \_\_\_\_\_ (talk) a lot in the staff meeting.

6. Sarah \_\_\_\_\_ (be) not stupid; she \_\_\_\_\_  
(always, come up) with creative ideas.

7. Tom \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a bald head, but he  
\_\_\_\_\_ (grow) a beard these days.

8. The Smiths \_\_\_\_\_ (be) very generous; they  
\_\_\_\_\_ (always, help) their neighbors.