

- 1** Complete the sentences with the correct present simple form of the verbs in the box. Then categorise the sentences.

be (x2) go (x2) have got play

- I go to school every day.
- He is an only child.
- She has straight blonde hair.
- They often go to the cinema at weekends.
- We are in our late twenties.
- Sam always plays tennis on Wednesdays.

| Fact | Something that happens regularly |
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- 2** Complete the sentences with the correct present continuous form of the verbs in the box. Then categorise the sentences.

come do go live start study

- I 'm studying Spanish for a few months.
- We are going to the USA on holiday this year.
- She is coming to the concert with us tonight.
- He is doing his homework at the moment.
- They are living with their grandparents until the house renovations are finished.
- Be quiet please! The film is starting.

| Something that's happening now | Temporary situation | Future plans |
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- 3** Rewrite the sentences with the correct form of the verbs.

-  1 Carla comes shopping with me on Saturday.  
Carla is coming shopping with me on Saturday.
- 2 When we're together, we always are having fun.  
When we're together, we always have fun.
- 3 I want to go to a shop which is having really lovely clothes.  
I want to go to a shop which has really lovely clothes.
- 4 Carla meets me there tomorrow at 6 pm.  
Carla will meet me there tomorrow at 6 pm.
- 5 After shopping, we join our friends at the café.  
After shopping, we will join our friends at the café.

- 4** Write sentences using the present simple or continuous form of the verbs.

- Tim / code / computer programs / free time  
Tim codes computer programs in his free time.
- I / take part / swimming competition / tomorrow  
I will take part in a swimming competition tomorrow.
- Stella / have got / dark / curly / hair  
Stella has got dark curly hair.
- My sister / be / usually / cheerful / but today / feel / a bit miserable  
My sister is usually cheerful but today she feels a bit miserable.
- John / practise / guitar / bedroom / moment  
John is practising guitar in his bedroom at the moment.
- Alicia / be / really into / tennis / but / not play / very well  
Alicia is really into tennis but she doesn't play very well.

- 5** Choose the correct verbs. Then tick (✓) the sentences that use a state verb which describe what we think or feel.

- What does 'careless' mean? ✓
- Say the truth! I don't believe / 'm not believing you. ....
- We have / has got PE on Mondays. ....
- She isn't knowing / doesn't know the answer. ....
- Do you own / Are you owning a mobile phone? ....
- My dad works / working at the city bank. ....

- 6** Decide if the adjectives need a weaker or a stronger adverb. Then complete the sentences with a suitable adverb from the box.

a bit fairly quite really very

- My friend Adam is ↑ really sporty. He's great at all ball sports, and swims ↑ very well, too.
- Sonia is ↓ a bit friendly with me, but I notice that she's often ↑ really unkind to others.
- My friends say I can sometimes be ↓ a bit impatient, but luckily it isn't ↑ very often.
- We went to a ↑ really interesting concert at the weekend. It was ↑ very amazing!
- Our teacher was ↓ a bit impolite about our test results. She said we could do ↑ very well if we made more effort.
- Poor Tessa is ↑ really miserable since her best friend moved to a town ↓ a bit far away.