

## Exercise Tenses

Directions I: Change the infinitives in brackets to either the Present Simple or the Present Continuous Tense.

1. The term always (end) \_\_\_\_\_ on a Friday.
2. The ice-cream we are eating (taste) \_\_\_\_\_ very good.
3. He (love) \_\_\_\_\_ his children and (prefer) \_\_\_\_\_ to spend money on school fees rather than on himself.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ you (wash) your hands before every meal?
5. The train still (stand) \_\_\_\_\_ in the station. \_\_\_\_\_ you (think) we can just catch it?
6. \_\_\_\_\_ you (remember) the name of that girl who (walk) \_\_\_\_\_ on the other side of the street?
7. Joan still (do) \_\_\_\_\_ her homework. Her sister, who always (work) \_\_\_\_\_ quicker, (play) \_\_\_\_\_ in the garden.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ you (see) the house on the corner? That is where I born.
9. He now (feel) \_\_\_\_\_ that there is little hope of success.
10. I rarely (carry) \_\_\_\_\_ an umbrella, but I (carry) \_\_\_\_\_ one now because it is raining.
11. He (speak) \_\_\_\_\_ five languages quite fluently.
12. The moon (go) \_\_\_\_\_ round the earth.
13. She always (complain) \_\_\_\_\_ about his health.
14. The bicycle which he (use) \_\_\_\_\_ today (belong) \_\_\_\_\_ to me.
15. Jim and John (not agree) \_\_\_\_\_ about how they should share the reward.
16. George (seem) \_\_\_\_\_ rather tired today.
17. John (pass) \_\_\_\_\_ the post office on his way to work every day.
18. He now (realize) \_\_\_\_\_ he has made a mistake and (think) \_\_\_\_\_ of resigning
19. We nearly always (spend) \_\_\_\_\_ our holidays at the seaside but this year we (go) \_\_\_\_\_ to France.
20. Why are you (wear) \_\_\_\_\_ a coat this morning? I never (wear) \_\_\_\_\_ one till November.
21. What you (do) \_\_\_\_\_ at this moment? If you (not do) \_\_\_\_\_ anything, please help me.
22. I (notice) \_\_\_\_\_ that Mary (wear) \_\_\_\_\_ a new hat today.
23. These twins, who (resemble) \_\_\_\_\_ one another so strongly, (study) \_\_\_\_\_ arts at present.
24. He generally (come) \_\_\_\_\_ to my office every day but today he (visit) \_\_\_\_\_ his parents in the country.
25. Just listen to that noise! What on earth (happen) \_\_\_\_\_ out there?