



PRACTICE WORKSHEETS

VERB TO BE

1 Put *am, is, or are* in each space.

- a) This *is* my family.
- b) These my parents.
- c) Lucy English.
- d) We in the garden.
- e) This her pen.
- f) Maria and Anna students.
- g) My dog happy.
- h) I happy.

2 Change the sentences into negative sentences.

- a) It's hot today. *It isn't hot today.*
- b) I'm at home.
- c) My friends are here.
- d) You're a teacher.
- e) We're at the cinema.
- f) This is difficult.
- g) Katy is happy.

3 Change the statements into questions.

- a) I'm late. *Am I late?*
- b) You're ill.
- c) We're right.
- d) He's fifteen.
- e) It's cold.
- f) The school is in this street.
- g) My books are in your bag.

4 Choose the most suitable answer to each question.

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| a) What's your name? | 1 No, I'm Brazilian. |
| b) Are you Portuguese? | 2 I'm fifteen. |
| c) Are you at school? | 3 My name is Carlos. |
| d) How old are you? | 4 No, it's easy. |
| e) Is English difficult? | 5 Yes, I'm a student. |

PRESENT SIMPLE

1 Look at the pictures. Complete each sentence with a verb from the box.

arrive ~~like~~ live rain start teach



David likes
chocolate.



It here
in November.



Liz with
her family in Italy.



George often
..... late.



The lesson
..... at 6.00.



Kate and Jim
English in Spain.

2 Underline the correct word in each sentence.

- Juan and Carmen live/lives in Madrid.
- Harry watch/watches television every evening.
- I usually go/goes to school by bus.
- It never snow/snows in this city.
- Sam live/lives in that house.
- You never clean/cleans your teeth!
- Carol get/gets up early every day.
- All the buses leave/leaves from this bus-stop.

3 Complete each sentence. Use the verb and frequency adverb in brackets.

- a) Tina (sometimes, miss) ... *sometimes misses* ... the bus to school.
- b) I (never, get up) before 6.00.
- c) We (usually, have) a holiday in August.
- d) Jim and Helen (often, go) to the theatre.
- e) I (often, sing) in the shower.
- f) Pat (sometimes, play) football on Sunday.
- g) You (never, finish) your homework!
- h) Our teacher (always, wear) a tie.

4 Complete each sentence. Put the words in brackets into the correct order.

- a) Our (smoke, not, teachers, do) ... *teachers do not smoke* ... at school.
- b) Where (Helen, live, does) ?
- c) (do, not, go, we) to the cinema on Friday.
- d) (David, does, ride) a bike?
- e) (play, do, you) football after school?
- f) Kate (like, does, not) oranges.
- g) I (lunch, usually, have) at 1.30.

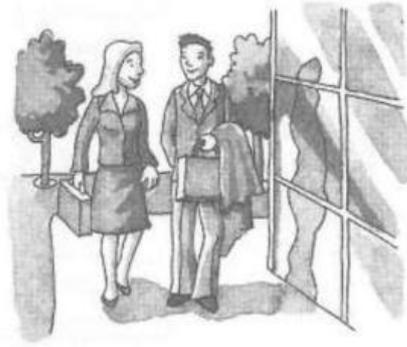
5 Complete each sentence. Use the words in brackets.

- a) Mary (like, not) ... *does not like* ... baseball.
- b) (wash, Peter) his face every morning?
- c) (watch, you) television every day?
- d) I (eat, not, often) fruit.
- e) (have, we) homework today?
- f) My friends (live, not) near my house.

3 Look at the pictures. Write a question or a negative sentence.



Jack



Alice and Mike

- a) Jack – get up at 7.00 *Does Jack get up at 7.00* ?
- b) Alice and Mike – walk to work ?
- c) Jack – leave home at 8.00 ?
- d) Alice and Mike – relax in the evening ?
- e) Alice and Mike – not/like tennis *Alice and Mike don't like tennis.*
- f) Jack – not/wear school uniform ?
- g) Alice and Mike – not/use computers ?
- h) Jack – not/do his homework ?

PRESENT CONTINUOUS

1 Look at the pictures and write sentences.



a) I/eat *I'm eating.*



b) They/listen ?



c) She/come ?



d) You/move ?



e) It/rain f) We/sing

2 Complete this letter. Put the verbs in brackets into the present continuous.

Dear Jim,

We (1) (have) are having a terrible holiday.

It (2) (rain) I (3) (sit) in the

hotel. I (4) (watch) television. Tom and Peter

(5) (play) computer games.

Alice (6) (read) a book. Susan (7) (make)

a cup of coffee. The baby (8) (cry) I want to go home.

All the best,

George

3 Change the statements into questions.

- a) I'm making a lot of noise. Am I making a lot of noise?
- b) Clare is reading.
- c) You are watching the news.
- d) It is snowing.
- e) We are waiting in the right place.
- f) You are sitting here.
- g) David is enjoying the film.
- h) The bus is stopping.

4 Change the statements into negative sentences.

- a) You're listening to me. You aren't listening to me.
- b) Tim is studying.
- c) We're talking.
- d) You are writing.
- e) Katherine is lying.
- f) They are waiting for us.
- g) Anna's having a good time.
- h) I'm reading at the moment.

5 Correct each sentence or question.

- a) I playing tennis with my best friend.
✓ *I'm playing tennis with my best friend.*
- b) You're coming to the cinema tonight?
.....
- c) John and Mandy don't going to the beach.
.....
- d) Is Emma and Katy flying to America?
.....
- e) My sister is walk on the beach now.
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- f) We not studying French at school this year.
.....
- g) What's that noise? The dog is outside?
.....
- h) I aren't watching the TV. Turn it off.
.....
- i) Fred are eating a sandwich for his lunch.
.....
- j) Are waiting they for a bus?
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PRESENT CONTINUOUS AND PRESENT SIMPLE

1 Choose the most suitable sentence or question.

- a) 1 I wash my hair.
2 I'm washing my hair. ✓
- b) 1 Do you know the answer?
2 Are you knowing the answer?
- c) 1 Do you wait for the school bus? You're in the wrong place!
2 Are you waiting for the school bus? You're in the wrong place!
- d) 1 That bike costs £350.
2 That bike is costing £350.
- e) 1 Do you understand?
2 Are you understanding?
- f) 1 I do my homework.
2 I'm doing my homework.

2 Complete each sentence. Use the words in brackets. Use present simple or present continuous.

- a) Richard (always, get up) *always gets up* before 7.00.
- b) Hurry up! The bus (wait) for us!
- c) Where (we, go) ? This is the wrong road!
- d) My friends (not believe) my story.
- e) Please be quiet! I (read) a very interesting book.
- f) (like, Susan) horror films?

3 Choose the most suitable word or phrase for each space.

- a) 'Someone B for you outside.' 'Who is it?'
A) waits B) is waiting C) waiting
- b) 'What of this book?' 'I think it's fantastic!'
A) do you think B) is you think C) you do think
- c) in ghosts?
A) Are you believe B) Are you believing C) Do you believe
- d) Kate is busy. She for a test.
A) is study B) is studying C) is studies
- e) a great time at the moment!
A) We are have B) We're have C) We're having
- f) Tina usually at 7.00.
A) get up B) is getting up C) gets up

TEST

1 Correct each sentence or question.

- a) I doesn't likes this film. *don't like*
- b) What do you wants?
- c) Jim walk sometimes to school.
- d) When the lesson begins?
- e) I don't gets up early on Saturdays.
- f) Tina not like computer games.
- g) Figen watchs television every night.

2 Put one word in each space. Contractions are one word.

- a) What *do* you usually eat for lunch?
- b) George and Terry speak Portuguese. They speak English.
- c) It's 9.30 and the children sitting at their desks.
- d) Ken like tea. In fact, he hates it.
- e) When it rains, you take an umbrella?
- f) What it say on the board? I can't see from here.

3 Choose the most suitable word or phrase for each space.

- a) What time *C* to bed?
A) usually do you go B) do usually you go C) do you usually go
- b) Every day, Frank to work.
A) goes B) is going C) go
- c) Stop it! it!
A) I'm not liking B) I don't like C) I not like
- d) What ? Is it an orange?
A) you are eating B) are you eating C) do you eat
- e) Yumiko feels ill, so she basketball.
A) doesn't play B) isn't play C) isn't playing
- f) Pay attention, Philip! ?
A) Do you listen B) Is it listening C) Are you listening
- g) Excuse me. to Manchester?
A) This road goes B) Does this road go C) Is this road go

4 Change each sentence. Use the words in brackets.

- a) Jo goes to school by bus. (usually) *Jo usually goes to school by bus.*
- b) I'm working hard. (not)
- c) Sara likes sport. (not)
- d) I get up at 6.30. (always)
- e) We speak German. (not)
- f) Pierre goes to the beach. (often)
- g) George drinks beer. (never)
- h) We're having a good time. (not)

5 Present simple or present continuous? Change the verb if it is wrong.

- a) Are you having a motorbike?
Do you have a motorbike?
- b) I'm staying in a hotel near the sea.
.....
- c) I'd like to buy this coat. How much is it costing?
.....
- d) What you doing?
.....
- e) I'm usually getting up at 6.00.
.....
- f) This book is difficult. I'm not understanding it.
.....
- g) I watch a lot of TV every night.
.....
- h) Excuse me. Are you knowing the way to the museum?
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Think about grammar! Are the sentences **true** or **false**?

- a) When you talk about a habit or a routine, you use the present simple.
- b) The present continuous is for actions that do not finish.
- c) When the subject of the sentence is *he, she* or *it*, add *-s* or *-es*.