Present Tense: Simple and Progressive

1. Stop right now! You _____ the flowers every time the ball _____ in the flower bed. **(BREAK, LAND)**

2. Where is Jimmy? – I don't know. I _____ he _____ tennis with his younger brother, Mark. **(THINK, PLAY)**

3. My mum _____ a party for her best friends once a year**. (ORGANISE)**

4. She _____ in London, but she _____ with friends up in Scotland. **(LIVE, CURRENTLY STAY)**

5. Our headmaster rarely _____ a class. He _____ a lot of administrative work to do. **(TEACH, HAVE)**

6. As the private secretary of the boss I _____ up to a hundred emails every day. **(READ)**

7. Look at her! – She _____ in a non-smoking area. **(SMOKE)**

8. _____ to a tennis club? **(YOU BELONG)**

9. Dana _____ reading a good novel **(LOVE).**

10. Songs that are not very popular _____ very well. **(NOT SELL)**

11. My brother isn't here. He _____ Spain at the moment**. (TOUR)**

12. Tom always _____ the strangest questions in class. **(ASK)**

13. I _____ lottery tickets every week, but I _____ anything **(BUY, NEVER WIN)**

14. You can't disturb them. They _____ a game of cards. **(PLAY)**

15. Can't you see that I _____ on my thesis? – I _____ you to disturb me. **(WORK, NOT WANT)**

16. Our children _____ going skiing with us. **(ENJOY)**

17. The plane _____ the runway now. You are too late. **(LEAVE)**

18. I _____ websites for a living. What _____? **(CREATE, YOU DO)**

19. She _____ of leaving home and going to Australia for a year. **(THINK)**

20. I told you that I _____ with you any more. You're simply not a team player. **(NOT WORK)**

21. We _____ our break now, Mr. Miller. **(TAKE)**

LIVEWORKSHEETS

22. She _____ for Liverpool later in the day **(LEAVE).**

23. The actor usually _____ a lot of fan mail, because he's so famous. **(GET)**

24. The car _____ oil. Can you repair it? **(LOSE)**

25. Dorothy _____ reading good books during her holidays. **(LOVE)**

26. My brother _____ Italy at the moment **(TOUR).**

27. They _____ a game of cards right now**. (HAVE)**

28. I _____ a hat today because there's a very special event in town. **(WEAR)**

29. Such bad behaviour always _____ me mad. **(MAKE)**

30. Unpopular songs _____ very well. **(NOT SELL)**

31. She usually _____ out with her friends on Saturday evenings. **(GO)**

32. What _____ , Mum? – It smells so good! **(YOU BAKE)**

33. _____ to the bridge club? **(YOU BELONG)**

34. The children _____ playing in the hut whenever we're at our weekend house. **(ENJOY)**

35. The headmaster rarely _____ a class. He normally _____ administrative work. **(TEACH, DO)**

36. _____ if I ask you a question? **(YOU MIND)**

37. I _____ some money because I want to travel to Spain next summer. **(CURRENTLY SAVE)**

38. What _____ ? **(THIS BOOK – COST)**

39. The boy and his father _____ a long conversation. – I wonder what they _____ about. **(HAVE, TALK)**

40. Robert _____ to catch the same bus every morning, but he _____ . **(TRY, NOT ALWAYS SUCCEED)**

41. _____ how old I am? **(YOU KNOW)**

42. How _____ to work? – I usually _____ by car, but today Jack _____ me up **(YOU GET, DRIVE, PICK)**

LIVEWORKSHEETS

43. It often _____ in Ireland, but it never _____ for days on end. **(RAIN, RAIN)**

44. I usually _____ so quickly that he _____ me. **(SPEAK, NOT UNDERSTAND)**

45. Jane's husband _____ . **(NOT SMOKE)**

46. Why _____ on your coat? – I _____ for a walk. – _____ to come with me? **(YOU PUT, GO, YOU WANT)**

47. I always _____ lottery tickets, but I never _____ anything. **(BUY, WIN)**

48. It _____ in Egypt. **(NOT OFTEN RAIN)**

49. _____ to him today? – Yes, I always _____ to him on his birthday. **(YOU WRITE, WRITE)**

50. Can you hear that? The car _____ such a strange noise. – It's OK. It always _____ like that. **(MAKE, SOUND)**

51. The plane that you _____ at right now _____ for Paris. **(LOOK, LEAVE)**

52. What _____ to his car? – I think he _____ it. **(HE DO, POLISH)**

53. Susan _____ to her parents every Sunday. In fact, she _____ to them today. **(WRITE, WRITE)**

54. Stop at once! You _____ the flowers every time the ball _____ in the garden! **(DESTROY, LAND)**

55. Where is Kevin? I can't find him anywhere. – He _____ with Sue in the garden **(PLAY).**

56. She normally _____ in London, but this weekend she _____ with some friends in Liverpool. **(LIVE, STAY)**

57. Hurry up, the teacher _____ to begin! **(WAIT)**

58. I _____ a word he _____ . **(NOT BELIEVE, SAY)**

59. What _____ for a living, Claire? – Well as a secretary , I _____ emails for my boss all the time. **(YOU DO, WRITE)**

60. Look over there! He _____ in a non-smoking area! **(SMOKE)**

61. You can't see Jimmy now. He _____ a bath. **(HAVE)**

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62. He _____ to the theatre. **(NEVER GO)**

63. Anne _____ all her clothes herself. At the moment she _____ a dress for a fancy dress party **(MAKE, MAKE).**

64. He usually _____ coffee for breakfast, but today he _____ tea **(HAVE, HAVE).**

65. I can't go home now because it _____ , and I _____ an umbrella. **(RAIN, NOT HAVE)**.

66. In Britain women normally _____ hats. **(NOT WEAR)**

67. The sun _____ in the east and _____ in the west **(RISE, SET)**

68. Who _____ that terrible noise outside? – It's Dad. He _____ the lawn. **(MAKE, MOW)**

69. I _____ this weekend near the coast. I _____ there nearly every weekend. **(SPEND, GO)**

70. She _____ thirty cigarettes a day but at the moment she _____ to stop. **(SMOKE, TRY)**

71. We _____ breakfast together every Sunday morning. **(HAVE)**

72. What's that smell. – It's in the kitchen. Something _____ . **(BURN)**

73. Who _____ to on the phone? – It's my friend Carry. **(YOU SPEAK)**

74. I _____ overtime this month because I _____ up some money to buy a new car . **(WORK, SAVE)**

75. The moon _____ around the earth **(GO)**

76. She usually _____ languages very quickly, but she _____ problems with Chinese **(LEARN, HAVE).**

77. _____ TV every evening ? **(YOU WATCH)**

78. He always _____ his bills on time. **(PAY)**

79. How long _____ you to get to the office? – It _____ me about half an hour **(IT TAKE, TAKE)**

80. The plane that _____ Heathrow at 9.15 is on schedule. **(LEAVE)**

LIVEWORKSHEETS