

## Grammar: Present Simple & Present Continuous

*Choose the right option to complete the sentences:*

1. These birds ..... in the country during winter.  
*a) staying   b) are staying   c) stay   d) are stay*
2. People .....too much energy nowadays.  
*a) using   b) use   c) are use   d) are using*
3. Rainforests .....about 50% of all species of life on the planet.  
*a) contains   b) contain   c) are containing   d) containing*
4. Scientists ..... everything about the universe.  
*a) not understand   c) aren't understand  
b) c) aren't understanding   d) don't understand*
5. Everybody knows that the world's rainforests .....  
*a) are disappearing   b) disappear   c) disappearing   d) are disappear*
6. Fire needs oxygen to burn. It ..... without oxygen.  
*a) isn't burn   b) not burn   c) doesn't burn   d) isn't burning*
7. According to scientists, animals live longer if they .....too much.  
*a) not eat   b) aren't eating   c) not eating   d) don't eat*
8. More and more people ..... the countryside.  
*a) leave   b) are leave   c) are leaving   d) leaving*
9. Most scientists ..... with computers.  
*a) work   b) are working   c) working   d) works*
10. I ..... on my science project.  
*a) working   b) am working   c) working   d) work*
11. The floor ..... It's an earthquake!  
*a) moves   b) is moving   c) moving   d) move*
12. Many scientists .....for life in other parts of the universe.  
*a) is still searching   b) still search   c) still searches   d) are still searching*
13. The atmosphere of Venus ..... mainly of carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).  
*a) consists   b) is consisting   c) consist   d) is consist*
14. Water ..... at 100 degrees Celsius.  
*a) boils   b) is boiling   c) boil   d) is boiled*
15. The scientist ..... an experiment in the laboratory at the moment.  
*a) conducts   b) is conducting   c) conduct   d) is conducted*
16. Plants ..... energy from the sun through photosynthesis.  
*a) obtain   b) are obtaining   c) obtains   d) is obtaining*
17. The researchers ..... data for their study this month.  
*a) collect   b) are collecting   c) collects   d) is collecting*
18. The Earth ..... around the Sun.  
*a) revolves   b) is revolving   c) revolve   d) is revolved*
19. Scientists ..... new discoveries in the field of genetics.  
*a) make   b) are making   c) makes   d) is making*
20. The telescope ..... distant galaxies in the night sky.  
*a) observes   b) is observing   c) observe   d) is observed*