

PRESENT SIMPLE AND THE WORLD CUP

We use Present Simple to talk about facts, general truths, habits and things that are always true. ★

FORM

Base form of the verb

I / You / We / They	play
He / She / It	plays



- EXAMPLES**
- ⚽ The World Cup **happens** every four years.
 - ⚽ It **brings** countries together.
 - ⚽ Millions of people **watch** the matches.
 - ⚽ Football **unites** the world.

- USE**
- ✓ **Facts**
The World Cup is an international tournament.
 - ✓ **Habits / Regular actions**
Fans **watch** the games every day.
 - ✓ **General truths**
Football is the most popular sport in the world.



ABOUT THE WORLD CUP




- ⚽ The World Cup **takes** place every four years.
- ⚽ It is the biggest football tournament in the world.
- ⚽ 32 teams from all over the world **participate**.
- ⚽ Teams **play** many matches to win the trophy.
- ⚽ The champion **lifts** the trophy at the end.
- ⚽ People **love** the World Cup!




1 CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION.

- The World Cup (takes / take) place every four years.
- Many people (watch / watches) the matches.
- Football (is / are) a global sport.
- The final match (decides / decide) the champion.
- Teams (train / trains) hard to win.
- The trophy (represents / represent) victory.



2 COMPLETE THE SENTENCES.

- The World Cup _____ (be) an international tournament.
- It _____ (happen) every four years.
- Millions of fans _____ (watch) the games.
- The players _____ (play) with passion.
- The fans always _____ (support) their teams.
- The champion _____ (lift) the trophy.



3 WRITE SENTENCES ABOUT THE WORLD CUP.

FACT _____

HABIT _____

GENERAL TRUTH _____

4 LOOK AT THE PICTURES AND WRITE SENTENCES USING PRESENT SIMPLE.



WORD BANK ★ play • watch • win • train • support • happen • be • take place • love • unite

THE WORLD CUP CONNECTS US ALL! 