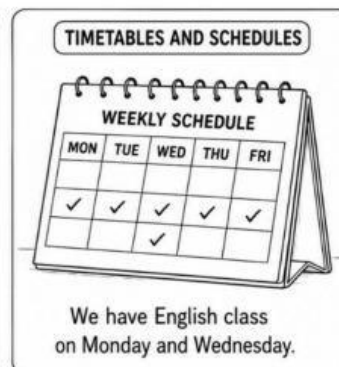
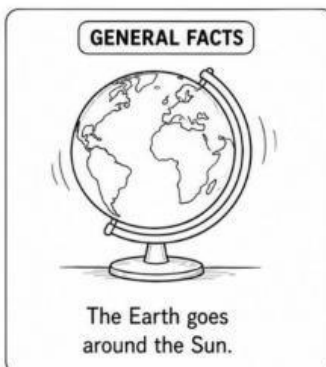


THE PRESENT SIMPLE TENSE

I. WHAT IS THE PRESENT SIMPLE?

We use the Present Simple to talk about:



II. FORM

1. Affirmative

Subject	Verb	Example
I / You/ We/ They	Work/ Study/ Play	I go to school every day
She/ He/ It	Works/ Studies/ Plays	She plays badminton at 6p.m

2. Negative

Subject + do/does not + base verb



I **do not** like coffee



He **does not** watch TV at night

3. Yes/No questions

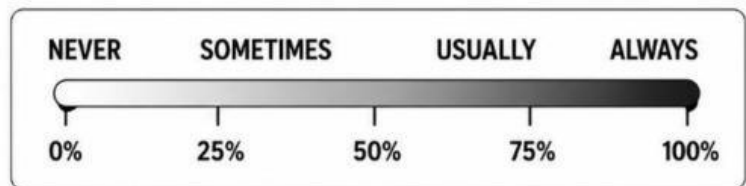
Do/Does + subject + base verb?

Example:



III. ADVERBS OF FREQUENCY

Adverb	Meaning
always	always
usually	usually
sometimes	sometimes
never	never

**Example:**

I **usually** get up at 6 a.m.



IV. COMMON MISTAKES



She go to school every day.



She goes to school every day.



Does he likes music?



Does he like music?



Put the verbs in brackets into the Present Simple.

1. My brother **play/plays** football every Saturday.
2. They **doesn't watch/ don't** watch TV after dinner.
3. She **go/goes** to school by bus every day.
4. **Does** your father **work/ Do your father work** in a hospital?
5. We **study/studies** English three times a week.
6. Tom **doesn't like/ don't like** spicy food.
7. The Earth **moves/ move** around the Sun.