

Complete the sentences with the right verb forms in the Simple Present.

_____ you _____ English at school? (speak)

The swimmer _____ into the cold water. (dive)

Someone _____ on the door. (knock)

Robert _____ the front gate. (close)

_____ Mary _____ stamps from all over the world? (collect)

Where _____ you _____ those neon-colored post-its? (get)

I _____ excited for my trip to Dubai next month. (be)

The CEO _____ him a job at the company. (offer)

Scarlett _____ with her husband in a small flat near the suburbs. (live)

The student _____ the Math teacher a difficult question. (ask)

_____ you surprised by the news? (be)

Omar _____ around twelve books a year. (read)

Wallace and Gabriella _____ out every Friday evening. (eat)

The class _____ at 1.30 pm on Wednesday. (start)

Larry _____ a new tablet for his 11-year-old son. (buy)

_____ you _____ your hair after getting dressed? (brush)

What color _____ she _____ for the party? (wear)

We _____ to have a picnic with the kids this Saturday. (want)

Choose the right **preposition**.

Homer lives with his wife and two kids **of / in / over** Los Angeles.

Mike listens **to / on / for** loud music in his bedroom.

I prefer to stay **between / above / at** home on the weekend.

The books are **on / with / to** the shelf in the living room.

I prefer orange juice **for / in / to** lemonade.

My parents are very proud **of / under / behind** me because I got good marks.

She speaks **near / with / opposite** her old friend Susie.

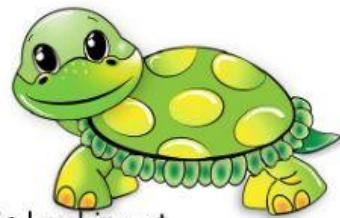
Tim watches a movie that tells the story **of / far from / at** a red-haired girl.



Complete the gaps with the right verb forms in the **Simple Present**.



The Rabbit and the Turtle



The rabbit is boasting about how fast he ____ (can) run. He is laughing at the turtle for being so slow. Much to the rabbit's surprise, the turtle _____ (challenge) him to a race. The rabbit _____ (think) this is a good joke and _____ (accept) the challenge. The fox ____ (to be) the umpire of the race. As the race _____ (begin), the rabbit _____ (race) way ahead of the turtle, just like everyone _____ (think). The rabbit gets to the halfway point and cannot see the turtle anywhere. He ____ (to be) hot and tired and _____ (decide) to stop and take a short nap. Even if the turtle _____ (pass) him, he will be able to race to the finish line ahead of him. All this time the turtle _____ (keep) walking step by step by step. He never _____ (quit) no matter how hot or tired he ____ (get). He just keeps going. However, the rabbit _____ (sleep) longer than he thought and wakes up. He cannot see the turtle anywhere! He ____ (go) at full-speed to the finish line but _____ (find) the turtle there waiting for him.

Choose the right option.

Who is boasting?

- A. the turtle
- B. the fox
- C. the rabbit

Who can run fast?

- A. the fox
- B. the rabbit
- C. the turtle

Who wants to challenge the rabbit to a race?

- A. the turtle
- B. the rabbit
- C. the fox

What happens at the start of the race?

- A. The rabbit takes a nap.

- B. The turtle runs ahead.
- C. The rabbit runs ahead.

What happens at the half-way point?

- A. The rabbit stops to take a nap.
- B. The turtle takes a nap.
- C. The turtle goes past the rabbit.

What does the turtle do?

- A. He stops for a drink of water.
- B. He keeps walking, step by step.
- C. He stops for a rest.

Who wins the race?

- A. the rabbit
- B. the turtle
- C. the fox

What lesson do we learn from this story?

- A. Turtles go faster than rabbits.
- B. A turtle should not challenge a rabbit to a race.
- C. To succeed, we must keep going and not quit.

Choose the right form.

There is - There are

_____ an orange.	_____ mountains.
_____ some books.	_____ a toy car.
_____ a girl.	_____ a lot of kids.
_____ three balloons.	_____ a pink backpack.
_____ five pencils.	_____ two trees.
_____ a bike.	_____ a chocolate bar.
_____ a house.	_____ an apple.