

RULES: Choose the right variant.

- a) We use the present continuous to talk about things happening now / habits and routines.
- b) We use the verb do / be to form the present continuous.
- c) We add -ing / -ed to the main verb in the present continuous.

SPELLING RULES

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| 1. Most verbs -> +ing: | meet-meeting; play-playing |
| 2. Verbs ending in -e remove -e + -ing | have-having; write-writing |
| 3. Verbs ending in a vowel + consonant -> double final consonant + -ing: | swim-swimming; stop-stopping |

Listen to the sounds.

Then make logical sentences.

- 1. Two dogs _____ .
- 2. A parrot _____ .
- 3. A man _____ .
- 4. A whale _____ .
- 5. Children _____ .
- 6. A girl _____ .
- 7. A lion _____ .

Make affirmative and negative sentences using the present continuous.

Example: A child isn't sitting by the river. She is standing by the river.

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| 1. Child | feeding bears / ducks . | — |
| Child | feeding bears / ducks . | + |
| 2. Falcon | sleeping / hunting . | — |
| Falcon | sleeping / hunting . | + |
| 3. Two people | watching chameleon / falcon | — |
| Two people | watching chameleon / falcon . | + |
| 4. Three people | swimming / running . | — |
| Three people | swimming / running . | + |

