

We have learnt that there are some clues that help us differentiate between PRESENT SIMPLE and PRESENT CONTINUOUS.

## PRESENT SIMPLE

### Frequency adverbs:

- Always
- Usually
- Sometimes
- Often
- Never

I always play football with my friends

Routines (days of the week, months...)

He reads the newspaper on Saturdays

### Expressions:

- Every (day, month, year...)
- In the (morning, afternoon...)
- At (night, Christmas...)

We cook a turkey at Thanksgiving Day

Likes and dislikes (like, love, hate)

They love eating pasta

## PRESENT CONTINUOUS

### Expressions:

- Now

Now, I am studying English

- Right now

Come here right now.

- In this moment

She is writing a letter in this moment

- At the moment

We are doing homework at the moment

- At this time

At this time my mum is watching a film

WE USUALLY WALK  
TO SCHOOL, BUT  
THIS TIME WE ARE  
GOING BY  
SPACESHIP



Time to work!

Drag these words and expressions to the correct column:

Saturday	Now	Never	In the morning
At night	Every March	In the morning	At Christmas
Always	Sometimes	In the evening	Usually
Often	Monday	Every Sunday	Right now
In this moment	At the moment	Like	At this time

<b>PRESENT SIMPLE</b>	<b>PRESENT CONTINUOUS</b>
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And now... choose the correct option:

I always \_\_\_\_\_ read a book at night.

She \_\_\_\_\_ flowers right now.

My mum \_\_\_\_\_ the windows at this moment.

Helen \_\_\_\_\_ pasta every Sunday.

We \_\_\_\_\_ terror films at night.

My friends \_\_\_\_\_ football now.

Sometimes they \_\_\_\_\_ French with Adele.