

PRESENT SIMPLE VS PRESENT CONTINUOUS

PRESENT SIMPLE		PRESENT CONTINUOUS	
POSITIVE	I/You/We/They work	POSITIVE	I am working
	He/She/It works		You/We/They are working
			He/She/It is working
NEGATIVE	I/You/We/They don't work	NEGATIVE	I am not working
	He/She/It doesn't work		You/We/They aren't working
QUESTION	Do I/you/we/they work?	QUESTION	I am not working
	Does he/she/it work?		You/We/They aren't working
SHORT ANSWER	Yes, I/you/we/they do	SHORT ANSWER	He/She/It isn't working
	No, I/you/we/they don't		

I. Read the sentences and identify the tense: Write PS (Present simple) or PC (present continuous)

1. She walks to school every morning. _____
2. I am not talking to you right now. _____
3. My parents don't have lunch at home. _____
4. Why do you get up late? _____
5. Liz doesn't have many friends at school. _____
6. Who are you talking to? _____
7. What do you do at the weekend? _____
8. What are you doing? _____

II. Write DO, DOES, IS, ARE, AM to complete the sentences.

1. They _____ playing the guitar and violin in the concert.
2. _____ they have breakfast at home?
3. _____ he doing the dishes at the moment?
4. _____ he take out the trash on Wednesday?

5. I _____ walking the dogs in the park right now.
6. She _____ her homework in the afternoon after school.
7. Are you a student? Yes, I _____
8. Do you tidy up your room? Yes, I _____

III. Put the verbs in parenthesis in the correct form: PS (Present simple) or PC (present continuous).

1. John _____ (have) breakfast at the university. (PS)
2. John _____ (have) breakfast at the university. (PC)
3. I _____ (clean) the toilet every Saturday. (PS)
4. I can't talk. I _____ (write) a letter to my sister. (PC)
5. I am busy right now. I _____ (fold) my clothes. (PC)
6. He _____ (do) the dishes every day (PS)
7. We _____ (work) in an office in the center. (PS)
8. Maria _____ (work) in an office in the center. (PS)

IV. Choose the correct NEGATIVE form: PS (Present simple) or PC (present continuous).

1. Jim _____ at the moment. He is unemployed.
a) isn't working b) doesn't work c) don't work
2. We _____ dinner because we are on a diet.
a) aren't have b) don't have c) doesn't have
3. My parents _____ to work. They take the bus.
a) isn't driving b) don't drive c) doesn't drive
4. I _____ right now. It is the radio.
a) isn't singing b) doesn't sing c) am not singing
5. She _____ English.
a) don't speak b) doesn't speaks c) doesn't speak