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VERBS

STATIC VERBS

Los **state verbs** son aquellos que no indican una acción sino un estado y no suelen utilizarse en los tiempos continuos.

Karina
thinks
coffee is
great



ACTION VERBS

Los **action verbs** representan acciones físicas y generalmente tangibles, por eso se denominan en inglés «**dynamic verbs**»



She is thinking
about traveling in
her next holidays.

STATIC VERBS

Emotional
Static Verbs

I love you.



Possession
Verbs

I want a toy.



Sensing
Verbs

I can taste dairy.



Mental or Cognitive
Static Verbs

I think I'll go home.



Being/Qualities
Verbs

I weigh 50kg.



Some static verbs

appear, be, believe, belong, cost, feel, forget, hate, know, like, love, mean, need, prefer
realize, remember, see, seem, smell, sound, suppose, taste, think, understand, want.

hay algunos casos cuando pueden ser usados en progressive, pero el
significado del verbo será diferente.

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Examples:

Present Simple	Present Continuous
<p>I <u>have</u> a very expensive tablet.</p> 	<p>They <u>are having</u> a bath together.</p> 
<p>This carrot <u>tastes</u> awful.</p> 	<p>She <u>is tasting</u> the milk.</p> 
<p>The soup <u>smells</u> delicious.</p> 	<p>Tim <u>is smelling</u> the flowers.</p> 

Watch the video:

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1. Drag the verbs to the correct place

jump understand need swim appear
 believe run write love hit

STATIC VERBS

DYNAMIC VERBS

2. Write the verbs in brackets in their correct form. Is it Stative or Dynamic?

1. Actually, that _____ wonderful. (**sound**)
2. We _____ right now. (**cook**)
3. I _____ to be back soon. (**promise**)
4. Frank and his wife _____ on this matter. (**disagree**)
5. He _____ several large companies. (**own**)
6. _____ you _____ Richard's voice now? (**hear**)
7. _____ you _____ at the moment? (**study**)
8. I _____ to hurt you. (**not / mean**)



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9. ✎ Sophia _____ the cake that she baked. (**taste**)
10. ✎ I seriously _____ it. (**doubt**)
11. ✎ Jessica _____ every word. (**believe**)
12. ✎ He _____ Italian. (**understand**)
13. ✎ I _____ we could go home now. (**wish**)
14. ✎ Right now you _____ to music. (**not / listen**)
15. ✎ Maggie _____ bugs. (**hate**)
16. ✎ We _____ on this one. (**not / agree**)
17. ✎ I _____ eating fish. (**dislike**)
18. ✎ Monkeys _____ bananas. (**like**)
19. ✎ These monkeys _____ bananas now. (**eat**)
20. ✎ This diet _____ of mainly fruit and vegetables. (**consist**)
21. ✎ Our book _____ stories and exercises. (**include**)
22. ✎ They _____ what happened. (**remember**)
23. ✎ We _____ a longer rope. (**need**)



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24.  You _____ it. (not / deserve)

25.  _____ he _____ golf at the moment? (play)

26.  This _____ us at the moment. (not / concern)

27.  I _____ you. (love)

28.  She _____ she's not good enough. (feel)

29.  Our cakes _____ any gluten. (not / contain)

30.  They _____ now. (jog)

3. Write the correct option



6. What _____? It's too late to play music so loudly.

A) do they do B) are they doing C) they do

7. John hasn't given me back my book. He _____ it.

A) read B) is reading C) read

8. _____ her email address or mobile phone number?

A) Are you remembering B) You remember C) Do you remember

9. We _____ of going on holiday to Italy this year.

A) are thinking B) thinks C) think

10. You can't take that bike. It _____ to you!

A) doesn't belong B) belongs C) is not belonging

4. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the dynamic and state verbs below.

belong	know	not like	need
not remember	snow	wait	

1. 'Why are you sitting there doing nothing?' 'I _____ for a film to start.'

2. _____ you _____ when Jason is arriving?

3. I enjoy listening to music, but I _____ dancing to it very much.

4. I _____ a new computer. The one I've got is really old and slow.

5. I've met her before, but I _____ her name.

6. It _____ and I haven't got a hat or gloves.

7. 'Who _____ this DVD _____ to?' 'It's Margaret's.'



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5. Decide if each verb is Stative or Dynamic

run	stative	dynamic
eat	stative	dynamic
like	stative	dynamic
stand	stative	dynamic
sing	stative	dynamic
understand	stative	dynamic
love	stative	dynamic
walk	stative	dynamic
fall	stative	dynamic
care	stative	dynamic
want	stative	dynamic
write	stative	dynamic
talk	stative	dynamic
rain	stative	dynamic
promise	stative	dynamic
prefer	stative	dynamic

mean	stative	dynamic
speak	stative	dynamic
sit	stative	dynamic
hate	stative	dynamic
know	stative	dynamic
sleep	stative	dynamic
drive	stative	dynamic
look like	stative	dynamic
cry	stative	dynamic
jump	stative	dynamic
agree	stative	dynamic
believe	stative	dynamic
watch	stative	dynamic
hear	stative	dynamic
listen	stative	dynamic
remember	stative	dynamic



6. Choose the correct answers.

1. This car **is belonging / belongs** to the head teacher.
2. **Are you needing / Do you need** any help with that?
3. He **isn't understanding / doesn't understand** the question.
4. I **am studying / study** really hard at the moment.
5. Why **are you waiting / do you wait** here?
6. He **thinks / is thinking** it'll rain tomorrow.
7. Mandy **has / is having** breakfast.
8. I **feel / am feeling** a bit silly in this suit.
9. We **consider / are considering** moving abroad.
10. That burger **tastes / is tasting** disgusting!

7. According to the picture, what is the correct statement

	<p>a) That coffee smells good. b) They are eating the coffee c) The coffee is smelling good .</p>
	<p>a) I am thinking Caroline tomorrow afternoon. b) Wait a moment! I'm thinking. c) John always thinks to school.</p>
	<p>a) Sebastian likes ice cream. b) The boy is tasting the milkshake. c) Simon is liking the ice cream.</p>
	<p>a) I am seeing the ingredients for the cake. b) I am measuring the ingredients for the cake. c) I'm weighing the ingredients for the cake.</p>