Simple Present or Present Continuous

1.

Dear Kate,

I (1) _____ (write) from New York. This is my second year here. Can you believe it?

Right now I (2) _____ (sit) in a coffee shop in Manhatan. Lots of business people (3) _____ (walk) fast in the street, and lots of tourists (4) _____ (look) at the amazing buildings around them.

This is a great city. Every morning, I (5) _____ (get up) early and I (6) _____ (go) for a run in Central Park. Then I (7) _____ (have) some coffee and bagels before going to work. Now I (8) _____ (have) a capuccino and a bagel in a Starbucks near my office. I (9) _____ (love) my job, and I'm happy because my business (10) _____ (expand) very quickly.

I hope to see you soon.

Take care,

Sally.

2.

Jackie: Lisa! Great to see you again. I [a] ..... (not / think) I've even spoken to you since Richard's wedding last month. How [b] ..... you ..... (get on)?

Lisa: OK, thanks. What about you? [c] ..... you still ..... (go out) with Jonathan?

Jackie: No, I'm not. He [d] ..... (go out) with Carol now.

Lisa: I [e] ..... (not / believe) it! Carol from the toyshop?

Jackie: Oh, no. This is a different Carol. She [f] ..... (come) from Brazil. She's unbelievably pretty and very nice. Look! She [g] ..... (stand) over there next to Julian.

Lisa: The one who [h] ..... (laugh)?

Jackie: Yes, that's the one. Anyway, I [i] ..... (get) used to the idea now. I can't love Jonathan if he [j] ..... (not / love) me, and after all there are plenty of other nice men about.

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