

Verbs of perception SB p.23

5 ★★ Look at the conversations. Circle the correct options.

- 0 A What do you think of this song?
B It sounds / is sounding really cool.
- 1 A What are you thinking about?
B My homework. It looks / is looking difficult.
- 2 A How do you like this T-shirt?
B It doesn't look / is not looking very nice.
- 3 A Would you like some cake?
B Yes, it smells / is smelling nice.
- 4 A Do you like the soup?
B Yes, it tastes / is tasting wonderful.
- 5 A Do you like this tattoo?
B To be honest, I think it looks / is looking awful.

5 ★★★ Look at the examples. Write four sentences that are true for you. Use *look, sound, smell, taste* and adjectives such as *interesting, boring, cool, awful, wonderful, exciting*.

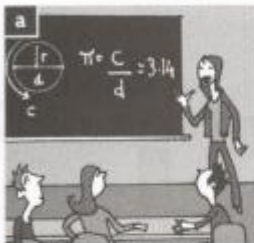
Raindrops on the window sound relaxing.
Lemon ice cream with chocolate chips tastes awful.

- 1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Present simple vs. present continuous

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7 ★★ Match the pictures with the sentences.



- 0 She studies English every day.
1 She teaches Maths.
2 She is studying for her English test.
3 She is teaching Maths.

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8 ★★★ Complete the email. Use the present continuous or the present simple of the verbs.

Hi Ava,

I ⁰ 'm sitting (sit) in my room in the hotel. I really ¹ _____ (like) Paris. From my window I can see a park opposite the hotel. There aren't many people there. There is one woman. She ² _____ (walk) her dog. The dog ³ _____ (run) after some ducks. OK, now a man ⁴ _____ (try) to help her. I can't believe it! The dog has got the man's hat now, and he ⁵ _____ (run) away with it. The woman ⁶ _____ (shout) for the dog, but he ⁷ _____ (not come) back.

How are you? What ⁸ _____ (you/do)? You always ⁹ _____ (play) computer games in the afternoon – ¹⁰ _____ (you/do) it right now, too?

Love
Toby

GET IT RIGHT!

Present simple vs. present continuous

Present simple: for things that happen regularly or that are always true.

- ✓ I never do online shopping.
✗ I am never doing online shopping.

Present continuous: for things that are happening at or around the time of speaking.

- ✓ We are studying English today.
✗ We study English today.

Remember: we don't usually use verbs that describe emotions or the way we think in the present continuous (e.g. *think / need / like*, etc.).

- ✓ I think it's a good idea.
✗ I am thinking it's a good idea.

Circle the correct options.

Bike for sale!

I ¹ sell / am selling my bike. It's 5 years old but it ² is looking / looks new. I ³ like / am liking this bike very much, but I ⁴ want / am wanting to sell it because it's too small for me.

My name is Liam and I ⁵ am coming / come to school on my bike every day. I can show it to you. 😊 This week I ⁶ am studying / study in room 3C. You can find me there!