

## SIMPLE PRESENT TENSE

**GRAMMAR PRACTICE** Complete each statement with the correct form of the verb.

1 I ..... your tie. like / likes	4 Peter ..... that jacket. have / has
2 My friends ..... this suit. want / wants	5 We ..... our dresses. like / likes
3 Janet ..... this skirt. need / needs	6 Sue and Tara ..... those suits. want / wants

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1 Change each affirmative statement to a negative statement. Use contractions.

- 1 She has that shirt in large.
- 2 I need a white shirt at work.
- 3 They want black shoes.
- 4 The store has those jackets.
- 5 We want red ties.
- 6 The doctors wear white jackets here.
- 7 Millie's mom likes old clothes.

### The simple present tense: negative statements and yes / no questions with like, want, need, and have. Use contractions when possible.

2 Read the question. Then complete the short answer.

1 A: Do you need a white shirt at work?

B: No, .

2 A: Does Mary have three children?

B: Yes, .

3 A: Do you like parties in the afternoon?

B: No, .

4 A: Does your husband need a sweater?

B: No, .

5 A: Do you and your children like movies?

B: Yes, .

6 A: Do the students in your school like English?

B: Yes, .