

SIMPLE PRESENT TENSE

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

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| 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, .