

Hey you!! Yes you!!  
What ARE you DOING here?



# PRESENT CONTINUOUS

die Verlaufsform der Gegenwart

Wann brauche ich diese Zeit?

## 1. USE

Die **Present Continuous** ist eine Zeit, die im Deutschen gar nicht existiert.

Du kannst damit beschreiben, was jetzt gerade, in diesem Moment passiert.

Sie wird als „Verlaufsform“ bezeichnet, weil die Tätigkeit, die man beschreibt, genau jetzt in der Gegenwart stattfindet und länger andauert.

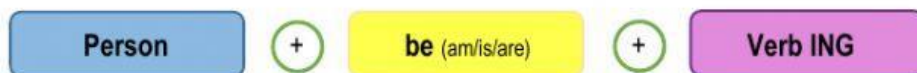


**Singalwörter** sind daher: *right now, at the moment, Look! Listen!*

Wie bilde ich diese Zeit?

## 2. FORMATION

So bildest du die Present Continuous:



Eselsbrücke: Die lange Verlaufsform braucht ein verlängertes Verb = Verb + ing

|               |     |           |           |
|---------------|-----|-----------|-----------|
| I             | am  | watching  | TV.       |
| You           | are | reading   | a book.   |
| He / She / It | is  | eating    | a cookie. |
| We            | are | talking   | with you. |
| You           | are | standing  | outside.  |
| They          | are | listening | to music. |

Frage und Verneinung?

## 3. QUESTION & NEGATION

Für Frage und Verneinung darf ich mein „be“ benutzen:

|                         |                         |                             |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| I am watching TV.       | Am I watching TV?       | I am not watching TV.       |
| You are reading a book. | Are you reading a book? | You are not reading a book. |
| It is eating a cookie.  | Is it eating a cookie?  | It is not eating a cookie.  |

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## 4. ATTENTION

Bei manchen Verben muss man besonders Acht geben:

- endet das Verb auf einem „e“, fällt dieses weg:  
drive ▶ driving      dance ▶ dancing      write ▶ writing
- endet das Verb auf einem Konsonanten nach Vokal, wird der Konsonant verdoppelt:  
swim ▶ swimming      sit ▶ sitting      put ▶ putting      run ▶ running
- endet das Verb auf ie, wird ie zu y:  
lie ▶ lying



### What are those cats doing right now?

Match the sentences to the pictures.

The cat is lying  
on the sofa.

One cat is drinking  
from the pool.

The cat is lying in  
the toilet.

Three cats are  
watching television.

Three cats are sleeping  
on the chair.

That cat is wearing  
a Christmas hat.

One cat is hanging  
from a chair.

Four cats are sitting  
at a window.

The cat is lying in  
a paper bag.

Two cats are eating  
cat food.

One cat is jumping  
in the garden.

The black and white  
cat is dancing.



## True or false?

Look at the picture and tick T (true) or F (false)



Silly Swim  
Client: Highlights Puzzlemania

|                                              | T | F |
|----------------------------------------------|---|---|
| The shark is swimming in the pool.           |   |   |
| A boy is building an igloo.                  |   |   |
| The mice are dancing.                        |   |   |
| A swimmer is wearing three watches.          |   |   |
| The walrus is playing the piano.             |   |   |
| A man is swimming on a book.                 |   |   |
| A man is sleeping in blue pyjamas.           |   |   |
| Four yellow fish are swimming in the pool.   |   |   |
| A duck is running around in flip flips.      |   |   |
| The octopus is wearing a white T-shirt.      |   |   |
| A dog is eating a hamburger.                 |   |   |
| A girl is roller skating on the ice.         |   |   |
| The sun is shining.                          |   |   |
| A boy in blue shorts is jumping from a tree. |   |   |

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