

**1. Put the verbs into the correct tense (present simple OR present continuous):**

The train always \_\_\_\_\_(1: leave) on time.

"What's the matter? Why \_\_\_\_\_(2: cry/you)?" That's strange.

They \_\_\_\_\_(3: not to watch) TV.

He \_\_\_\_\_(4: not to speak) very good English.

Please be quiet! I \_\_\_\_\_(5: do) my homework.

Where \_\_\_\_\_(6: live/they)?

Listen! John \_\_\_\_\_ music! (7: play)

I never \_\_\_\_\_(8: go) to the swimming pool.

Harold Black's a famous pianist. He \_\_\_\_\_(9: give) two or three concerts every week. He \_\_\_\_\_(10: travel) a lot and this week he's in New York.

He \_\_\_\_\_(11: stay) at an expensive hotel. He's at his hotel now.

He \_\_\_\_\_(12: have) his breakfast in the dining-room.

He \_\_\_\_\_(13: drink) a cup of coffee and he \_\_\_\_\_(14: read) a

newspaper. Harold's always very busy. He \_\_\_\_\_(15: play) the piano regularly. He \_\_\_\_\_(16: practise) for four hours every day.

He \_\_\_\_\_(17: go) to bed late and he always \_\_\_\_\_(18: get up) early. But he sometimes \_\_\_\_\_(19: get) dressed too quickly, and this morning he \_\_\_\_\_(20: wear) one blue sock and one red one!