

# Agreeing

**Neither is for negative statements**  
**So is for positive statements**

With verbs in the present simple, use so or neither, then do, then the subject (I, he/she, they etc).

Original sentence	Agreement
I like pizza	So do I
I don't like pizza	Neither do I
I hate learning German	So does he/she
I don't hate learning German	Neither does he/she

Fill in the gaps by agreeing with the first sentence:

- I **enjoy** running in the morning : I
- I **don't enjoy** running in the morning: I
- My friend **doesn't play** the piano: I
- My mother **likes** cooking dinner: I
- I **play** volleyball everyday: he
- I **don't wake up** early in the morning: she



If there is an auxiliary verb (**can, could, would, should, will**), the agreement will be So or neither, the same verb and the subject.

Original sentence	Agreement
He <b>can</b> swim	So <b>can</b> I
He <b>can't</b> swim	Neither <b>can</b> I
He <b>would</b> like a drink	So <b>would</b> I
She <b>wouldn't</b> like a drink	Neither <b>would</b> I
I <b>could</b> be rich one day	So <b>could</b> you
I <b>couldn't</b> be rich one day	Neither <b>could</b> you

My friend **can** run 100 metres in 11 seconds:

I

I **can't throw** a ball 30 metres

you

She **could** pass the exam by studying hard

you

My friend **couldn't sleep** well yesterday

I

James **couldn't come** today

John

I **will** be happy when it is vacation time

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