

Present Simple

A Write the verbs in the correct column.

teach	ride	cry	pay	do
worry	wash	buy	touch	study
talk	fix	marry	clean	carry

-s	-es	-ies
	teaches	

B Circle the correct verb.

- Babies cry / cries a lot.
- I eat / eats ice cream in the summer.
- Jane study / studies every afternoon.
- She do / does her homework in the evening.
- My friend watch / watches television twice a week.

C Fill in the blanks with the Present Simple form of the verb in brackets.

- She*goes*..... (go) to the beach in summer.
- We (bake) biscuits every Friday.
- My parents (work) in the garden on Saturdays.
- Susie (try) her best at school all the time.

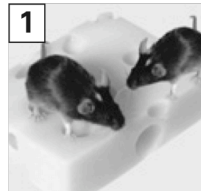
D Fill in the blanks with *doesn't* or *don't*.

- Fish*don't*..... live in houses.
- The sun shine at night.
- A cat bark.
- Dad ride a bike to work.
- Policemen catch every criminal.
- Pupils always remember answers.

E Write questions with *Do* or *Does*. Then write short answers.

- Do* you watch TV every day?
Yes, I do. / No, I don't.
- your parents go to the theatre?
.....
- your teacher drink coffee?
.....
- doctors work in shops?
.....
- the school year start in January?
.....

F Write questions using the Present Simple. Then answer the questions according to the pictures.



(cheese)



(walk)



(draw pictures)



(ice cream)

- mice / usually / eat / bananas
Do mice usually eat bananas?
No, they don't. They usually eat cheese.
- Tina / run / to school / every day
.....
- Sally / often / write / stories
.....
- the twins / like / chocolate
.....

Present Simple, prepositions of place

A Add -s, -es or -ies to the verbs below to form the Present Simple for he, she or it.

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|---------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| 1 stop <i>stops</i> | 5 mix | 9 go |
| 2 watch | 6 tie | 10 catch |
| 3 study | 7 dress | 11 enjoy |
| 4 do | 8 try | 12 lose |

B Complete the sentences with the Present Simple form of the verb in brackets.

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|---|---|
| 1 Mum <i>washes</i> (wash) the car once a week. | 5 Every year Helen (go) to France. |
| 2 Children usually (like) ice cream. | 6 He (not visit) his friends every day. |
| 3 you (know) the way to the lake? | |
| 4 Bob (study) French on Saturdays. | |

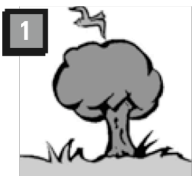
C Write each sentence in the negative. Then write an affirmative sentence using the words in brackets.

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| 1 You need more spelling practice. (reading) | 3 I study on Saturdays. (Sundays) |
| a <i>You don't need more spelling practice.</i> | a |
| b <i>You need more reading practice.</i> | b |
| 2 My dad reads the newspaper every day. (a book) | 4 Mark goes to karate lessons. (piano) |
| a | a |
| b | b |

D Write questions and answer them about yourself.

- | | |
|---|--|
| 1 your grandma / often / visit you / ?
<i>Does your grandma often visit you?</i>
<i>Yes, she does. / No, she doesn't.</i> | 3 your dad / play / the guitar / ?
.....
..... |
| 2 you / watch / TV / in the evening / ?
.....
..... | 4 your friends / like / computer games / ?
.....
..... |

E Write sentences about the pictures. Use the words below and a preposition.



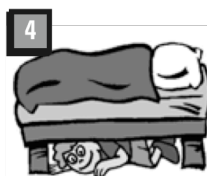
bird / tree



mouse / cats



juice / glass



boy / bed



car / garage



Nat / bike

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|--------------------------------------|---------|
| 1 <i>The bird is above the tree.</i> | 4 |
| 2 | 5 |
| 3 | 6 |

Present Simple

A Complete the sentences with the Present Simple form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 Bob washes (wash) his dog once a week. 4 you (enjoy) sport?
- 2 The sun always (dry) the rain. 5 I (not do) enough exercise.
- 3 My brother (not study) at my school. 6 My friend (come) to school by bus.

B Write each sentence in the negative form. Then write new affirmative sentences using the words in brackets. Pay attention to the underlined words.

- 1 We watch the news every night. (a film)
 a We don't watch the news every night.
 b We watch a film every night.
- 2 You need more grammar practice. (reading)
 a
 b
- 3 My teacher reads the newspaper every day. (a book)
 a
 b
- 4 I study on Saturdays. (Sundays)
 a
 b
- 5 Mark goes to karate lessons. (piano)
 a
 b
- 6 My sister plays with our dog. (cat)
 a
 b

C Write questions using the words below. Then answer the questions. Make the answers true for you.

- 1 your father / play / the guitar / ?
Does your father play the guitar?

- 2 you / have / breakfast / before school / ?

- 3 your grandma / often / bake cakes / ?

- 4 you / like / classical music / ?

D Tick (✓) the chart. Then write six sentences about yourself.

	always	every day	usually	often	seldom	never
1 make my bed						
2 clean my room						
3 do my homework						
4 wash my clothes						
5 cook dinner						
6 walk to school						

- 1 I
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6

1 Present simple: affirmative

Complete the sentences with the verbs in the box.

play plays go goes wear wears
eat eats

- Dogs *eat* meat.
- Julia a red baseball cap.
- Emma and Nicky basketball.
- Leo to school with Matthew.
- My brother a lot of fruit and vegetables.
- We to a swimming club.
- Footballers long socks.
- Jane three musical instruments.

2 Present simple: negative

Make negative sentences.

- I like ketchup.
.....
I don't like ketchup.
- They read magazines.
.....
- Chris plays the guitar.
.....
- I wear glasses.
.....
- Our friend likes horror stories.
.....
- My sisters write a lot of emails.
.....
- Kate drinks coffee.
.....
- We believe in ghosts.
.....

3 Present simple: questions and short answers

Complete the questions and answers with *do*, *don't*, *does* or *doesn't*.

- A: *Do* you like bananas?
B: Yes, I *do*
- A: you like spiders?
B: No, I
- A: Joe play hockey?
B: No, he
- A: your cousins live in Spain?
B: Yes, they
- A: Tina's mother use a computer?
B: Yes, she
- A: horses eat meat?
B: No, they
- A: you want to meet my new friends?
B: Yes, we

4 Wh- questions

Match the questions (1–7) with the answers (a–g).

- Where's Mike from?
 - When's the concert?
 - Why does everyone like Rosa?
 - What does he wear at school?
 - Where's your dictionary?
 - Why do you want to live in Paris?
 - What sort of TV programmes does your father like?
- A grey uniform.
 - Because it's a fantastic city.
 - Canada.
 - Films and sports programmes.
 - Because she's interesting and funny.
 - In September.
 - It's in my bag.
- 1 ... *c* ... 2 3 4 5
6 7

1 Frequency adverbs

Match the words in A with the words in B and make sentences.

A

- 1 I often have spaghetti for lunch
- 2 We never eat yoghurt
- 3 Tim sometimes drinks coffee
- 4 You're always late in the morning
- 5 Suzanne usually gets up at 6.45
- 6 He often catches the bus to school
- 7 I always have a small breakfast
- 8 Spiders are sometimes dangerous

B

- a because we don't like it.
- b but they don't usually kill people.
- c but she gets up late at the weekend.
- d but he sometimes walks.
- e because I love pasta.
- f because I'm never hungry in the morning.
- g because you never go to bed before twelve o'clock.
- h but he prefers tea.

- 1e..... 2 3 4 5
6 7 8

2 Position of frequency adverbs

Write complete sentences. Put the adverbs in the right position.

- 1 Bears eat fish. (*sometimes*)
.....
Bears sometimes eat fish.
.....
- 2 I catch the 8.15 bus. (*often*)
.....
- 3 We get up before seven o'clock. (*never*)
.....
- 4 Dogs are intelligent. (*usually*)
.....
- 5 Anna has toast and tea for breakfast. (*always*)
.....
- 6 Maths is very difficult. (*sometimes*)
.....

- 7 I tidy my room at the weekend. (*usually*)
.....
- 8 Mr and Mrs Carter are friendly. (*always*)
.....

3 Present simple: affirmative

Underline the right verb in each sentence.

- 1 I sleep / sleeps for about eight hours every night.
- 2 Tom *eat* / eats a lot of cheese.
- 3 He always *have* / has a shower before breakfast.
- 4 Lions *kill* / kills other animals for food.
- 5 She *do* / does her homework in the evening.
- 6 We sometimes *have* / has cereal for breakfast.
- 7 Lee's cousin *live* / lives in Japan.
- 8 Denise *get up* / gets up at seven o'clock.

4 Present simple: negative and questions

Complete the sentences. Use the present simple form of the verbs.

- 1 My mother *doesn't like* eggs. (*not like*)
- 2 Rosa's sister to our school. (*not go*)
- 3 I usually sausages. (*not eat*)
- 4 Helen the 8.45 bus? (*catch*)
- 5 you sandwiches for lunch? (*have*)
- 6 When Peter to school? (*get*)
- 7 you coffee or tea? (*prefer*)
- 8 What time Joe and Sadie home? (*leave*)