

## Present Simple

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade 6

Date: / /

Objectives: To review the present simple tense.

To practise using the present simple tense.

Form: subject + verb

<b><i>Affirmative</i></b>
He talks
She talks
It talks
I talk
You talk
We talk
They talk

<b><i>Negative</i></b>
He doesn't talk
She doesn't talk
It doesn't talk
I don't talk
You don't talk
We don't talk
They don't talk

<b><i>Interrogative</i></b>
Does he talk?
Does she talk?
Does it talk?
Do I talk?
Do you talk?
Do we talk?
Do they talk?

<b><i>Short answers</i></b>
Yes, he does. / No, he doesn't.
Yes, she does. / No, she doesn't.
Yes, it does. / No, it doesn't.
Yes, I do. / No, I don't.
Yes, you do. / No, you don't.
Yes, we do. / No, we don't.
Yes, they do. / No, they don't.

## spelling (3<sup>rd</sup> person singular affirmative)

- Most verbs take -s in the third person singular.

I work

He works

- Verbs ending in -ss, -sh, -ch, -x or -o take -es.

I miss

I wash

I watch

He misses

He washes

He watches

I fix

I go

He fixes

He goes

- Verbs ending in consonant + y drop they -y and take -ies.

I cry

He cries

- But verbs ending in vowels + y take -s.

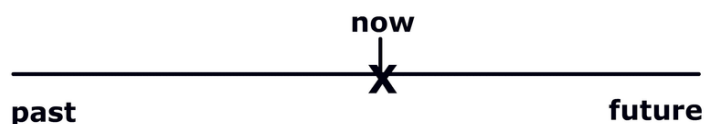
I play

He plays

## Uses

We use the present simple for:

1. Permanent states.

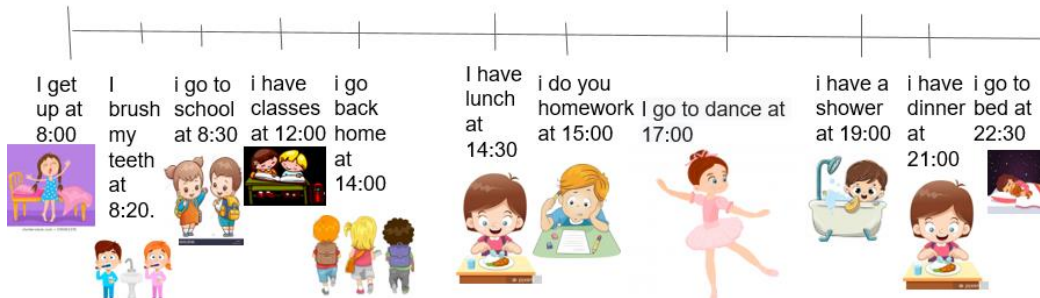


He **lives** in London.

Tom **works** for a construction company.

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## 2. Daily routine.



I **leave** work at 5 o'clock.

I usually **wake** up at 7:30.

## 3. Repeated habits.



She **goes** to the gym every evening.

He usually **goes** swimming on Sundays.

## 4. General truths and laws of nature. ( Facts)



The sun **sets** in the west.

Water **freezes** at 0 C.

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## 5. Time tables which we can't change.



The first flight to London **leaves** at 9 am.

The match **finishes** at 7:45.

Time expressions used with the present simple:

Every hour / day / week / month / summer / year.

(Adverbs of frequency): -

Always (100%)

Usually ( 75 %)

Often ( 50 %)

Sometimes (25%)

- Adverbs of frequency are used before main verbs but after verb to be.

He **always goes** to school.

He **is always** late.

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Q) Complete the questions, then ask your partner to answer.

1. You/ play/ football/ on Saturdays?

**Do you play football on Saturdays?**

2. your parents / work in an office?

**Do your parents work in an office?**

3. your school bus / leave / 8 am?

**Does your school bus leave at 8 am?**

4. your best friend / play music?

**Does your best friend play music?**

5. you/ live / big house?

Do you live in a big house?

**Q2) Write the verbs in the correct form of simple present.**

1. I seldom **imitate** the younger. (**imitate**)
2. The headmaster **is** always busy. (**be**)
3. The girl **isn't** often late. (**not/be**)
4. **Do** they sometimes **eat** in the restaurant? (**eat**)
5. **Does** she usually **study** alone? (**study**)
6. The agency (**it**) **doesn't need** more requirements every year.  
(**not / need**)
7. The woman always **has** mistakes. (**have**)
8. Children (**They**) **don't sleep** early every day. (**not/ sleep**)
9. The ministry (**it**) **applies** a new plan yearly. (**apply**)
10. Water (**it**) **boils** at 100 C. (**boil**)

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