

## PRESENT SIMPLE & PRESENT CONTINUOUS

✚ Put the verbs in the PRESENT SIMPLE or the PRESENT CONTINUOUS.

1. Excuse me, \_\_\_\_\_ (you/speak) Chinese?
2. They \_\_\_\_\_ (not/watch) TV very often.
3. Listen! Brian \_\_\_\_\_ (sing).
4. How often \_\_\_\_\_ (you/read) a newspaper?
5. Excuse me, but you \_\_\_\_\_ (sit) in my place.
6. Where are you? I'm in my bedroom. I \_\_\_\_\_ (read) a book.
7. What time \_\_\_\_\_ (she/finish) school every day?
8. He \_\_\_\_\_ (not drive) to work every day.
9. She usually \_\_\_\_\_ (walk) to school.
10. Take an umbrella. It \_\_\_\_\_ (rain)!
11. Peter \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a shower every morning.
12. It \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) a lot in autumn.

✚ Choose the correct tense.

Marta is **visiting** / **visits** her aunt every week.

- 1 Look! It **rains** / **'s raining**.
- 2 It usually **rains** / **'s raining** in September.
- 3 I **play** / **'m playing** tennis every week.
- 4 Holly isn't here. She **swims** / **'s swimming**.
- 5 Ian sometimes **watches** / **'s watching** TV.

✚ Complete the sentences. Use the present simple and the present continuous form of the verbs.

Mary *'s writing* to her friend. She *writes* to her friend every week. (write)

- 1 It doesn't usually \_\_\_\_\_ here. But it \_\_\_\_\_ today. (snow)
- 2 Ben and Tony \_\_\_\_\_ tennis now. They always \_\_\_\_\_ tennis on Tuesdays. (play)
- 3 Layla \_\_\_\_\_ at the moment. She usually \_\_\_\_\_ until lunchtime on Sundays. (sleep)
- 4 Sean usually \_\_\_\_\_ school uniform but at the moment he \_\_\_\_\_ jeans. (wear)
- 5 Jade \_\_\_\_\_ dinner tonight. Her mother usually \_\_\_\_\_ dinner. (make)
- 6 He doesn't usually \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast but today he \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast at home. (have)