

Grammar

Present simple, present continuous, stative verbs
Настоящее простое, настоящее длительное, глаголы состояния

Present simple

Form	Утвердительная форма	Отрицательная форма	Вопросительная форма
	I/you/we/they play ...	I/you/we/they do not (don't) play ...	Do I/you/we/they play ...?
	He/she/it plays ...	He/she/it does not (doesn't) play ...	Does he/she/it play ...?

Present simple употребляется для описания:

повторяющихся действий в настоящем

типичных ситуаций

чувств, мыслей, состояний

общезвестных фактов

Примеры:

Marsha **goes** to dance lessons every Saturday.

Does Dan **work** at the cinema?

I **like** the new James Bond film.

You **play** chess with 32 pieces.

Helpful hints

Present simple обычно употребляется с выражениями:

- every Monday/week/etc
- each Monday/week/etc
- once/twice a week/month/etc
- three times a week/month/etc

с наречиями:

- always • usually • often
- sometimes • rarely • never

Как правило, эти наречия ставятся перед смысловым глаголом, но после глагола **to be**.

- I **often** play football with my friends.
- I am **often** late for my piano lessons.

Watch out!

Спряжение глаголов **to be** и **to have** приведено на с. 182.

Present continuous

Form	Утвердительная форма	Отрицательная форма	Вопросительная форма
	I am ('m) playing ...	I am not ('m not) playing ...	Am I playing ...?
	He/she/it is ('s) playing ...	He/she/it is not (isn't / 's not) playing ...	Is he/she/it playing ...?
	You/we/they are ('re) playing ...	You/we/they are not (aren't / 're not) playing ...	Are you/we/they playing ...?

Present continuous употребляется для описания:

действий, происходящих в момент речи

действий, происходящих в течение ограниченного периода времени

отрицательных эмоций (раздражения, возмущения и т. п.), обычно со словом **always**

Примеры:

Jan **is watching** a DVD upstairs.

She **is working** at the museum until the end of the month.

My brother **is always borrowing** my CDs without asking!

Helpful hints

Present continuous обычно употребляется с:

- now • right now • at the moment
- today • this week/month/etc

Stative verbs

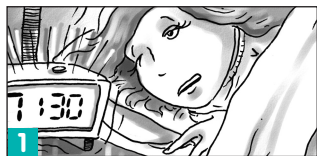
Form	Stative verbs – это глаголы, которые описывают чувства, мысли, состояния. Как правило, эти глаголы не употребляются во временах группы continuous .	Наиболее распространенные глаголы состояния:
	✓ I like reading books in my free time. x I am liking reading books in my free time.	appear include see be know seem believe like taste belong to love think hate need understand have prefer want

Watch out!

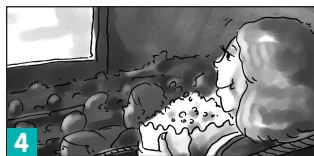
Глаголы **to be**, **to have**, **to think** могут использоваться во временах группы **continuous** в том случае, если они описывают действие как процесс.

- ✓ What **do** you **think** about his new song? (мнение)
- ✓ I'm **thinking** about last night's match. (размышление)

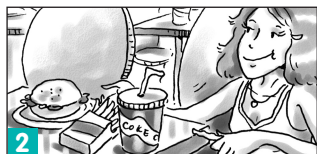
A Посмотрите на картинки, составьте и напишите предложения о том, что обычно делает Хелен. Используйте соответствующие формы глаголов в *present simple*.



every day / get up / at half past seven



once a week / watch a film at the cinema



often / eat fast food for lunch



rarely / go to the gym



in the evening / usually / meet her friends for coffee



have a driving lesson / twice a week

- 1 Every day, Helen gets up at half past seven.
- 2 Helen often eats fast food for lunch.
- 3 In the evening, Helen usually meets her friends for coffee.
- 4 Once a week, Helen watches a film at the cinema.
- 5 Helen rarely goes to the gym.
- 6 Helen has a driving lesson twice a week.

B Раскройте скобки, поставив глаголы в *present continuous*. Некоторые предложения могут быть отрицательными.

- 1 Gordon? I think he *is writing* (write) a letter at the moment.
- 2 Yes, the match is on TV now, but we *are losing* (lose).
- 3 Right now, Margaret *is having* (have) a shower. Do you want to ring later?
- 4 Sally *is staying* (stay) with her aunt for a few days.
- 5 I *am not lying* (lie)! It's true! I did see Madonna at the supermarket.
- 6 Josh *is always using* (always / use) my bike! It's so annoying.
- 7 We *are having* (have) lunch, but I can come round and help you later.
- 8 *Are you playing* (you / play) music up there? It's really noisy!

C Перепишите выделенные части предложения правильно.

- 1 **Are top musicians studying** for many years? *Do top musicians study*
- 2 What's going on? I hope you **don't touch** my things! *aren't touching*
- 3 It's a small business, so each person **is doing** lots of different jobs. *does*
- 4 **Does Christine listen** to the radio, or is that the TV I can hear? *Is Christine listening*
- 5 I **am usually buying** a special ticket each week for the bus because it's cheaper. *usually buy*
- 6 Our washing machine **is starting** when you press this button. *starts*
- 7 How's the match going? **Does our team win?** *Is our team winning?*
- 8 Many people **are enjoying** spending time on the beach on holiday. *enjoy*

D Обведите правильный вариант ответа.

- 1 I **work** / **am working** at the local library for the summer.
- 2 We **don't go** / **aren't going** to the theatre very often.
- 3 Stacy **gets** / **is getting** ready for school, so she can't come to the phone.
- 4 **Does Gary ever talk** / **Is Gary ever talking** about his expedition to the Amazon jungle?
- 5 In squash, you **hit** / **are hitting** a ball against a wall.
- 6 I **read** / **am reading** a newspaper at least once a week.
- 7 **Do you practise** / **Are you practising** the piano for two hours every day?
- 8 Nadine and Claire **do** / **are doing** quite well at school at the moment.
- 9 A good friend **knows** / **is knowing** when you're upset about something.
- 10 How **do you spell** / **are you spelling** your name?

E Заполните пропуски, поставив глаголы в *present simple* или *present continuous*.
Некоторые предложения могут быть отрицательными.

belong • do • have • help • hold • move • use • watch

- 1 In Monopoly, you **move** around the board, buying houses and hotels.
- 2 **Are** you **watching** this programme or can I turn the TV off?
- 3 Regular exercise **helps** you to stay healthy.
- 4 I **am using** my brother's guitar until I get a new one.
- 5 **Does** Simon always **do** the washing-up after lunch?
- 6 **Do** you **have** any sweaters in a larger size?
- 7 You **aren't holding** the kite right. Let me show you.
- 8 Dad **belongs** to the local astronomy club.

F Найдите десять ошибок и исправьте их.

'One game I am loving is backgammon. You are throwing the dice and then you move your pieces around the board. It is seeming quite easy, but in fact you are needing to be quite careful. When your piece lands on one of the other person's pieces, you are taking it off the board and you send it back to the beginning. You are winning by getting all your pieces to the end and off the board. Some people are preferring chess, but I am not understanding that game. Right now, I wait to have a game with my brother. He does his homework. I usually win, so I think he doesn't want to play a game with me!'

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| 1 love | 4 need | 7 prefer |
| 2 throw | 5 take | 8 don't understand |
| 3 seems | 6 win | 9 am waiting |
| | | 10 is doing |