

Present Continuous Exercises

1- Complete the following sentences using the Present Continuous form of the verbs in parentheses.

1. She **is talking** to her friend on the phone right now.
2. We **are studying** for the exam this week.
3. The children **are playing** in the park at the moment.
4. I **am not watching** TV right now.
5. They **are having** lunch at the restaurant today.
6. My brother **is working** on his project this afternoon.
7. It **is raining** heavily outside, so we can't go out.
8. You **are not wearing** your jacket today.
9. I **am learning** how to cook Italian food this month.
10. The cat **is sleeping** on the couch.
11. The teacher **is explaining** the lesson to us.
12. We **are planning** our trip for the holidays.

2- Write affirmative sentences using the Present Continuous form of the verbs provided.

1. He **is reading** a book.
2. They **are working** on the report.
3. We **are preparing** dinner.
4. She **is cooking** pasta.
5. I **am playing** the piano.
6. The dog **is sleeping** on the bed.
7. The children **are swimming** in the pool.
8. My parents **are traveling** to Europe.
9. She **is talking** to the teacher.
10. You **are listening** to the radio.

3- Write negative sentences using the Present Continuous form of the verbs provided.

1. He is not studying for the test.
2. They **are not dancing** at the party.
3. We **are not exercising** today.
4. She **is not driving** her car.
5. I **am not singing** right now.
6. The cat **is not jumping** on the table.
7. The children **are not drawing** in class.
8. My friends **are not visiting** me this weekend.
9. She **is not laughing** at the joke.
10. You **are not running** in the park.

4- Transform the following affirmative sentences into questions in the Present Continuous.

- **Are they painting** the house?
- **Is she reading** a book in the library?
- **Are we waiting** for the bus?
- **Is he cooking** dinner for his family?
- **Am I writing** an email to my boss?
- **Are the students practicing** for the school play?
- **Are you studying** for your exams?
- **Are my parents visiting** my grandparents this weekend?
- **Are we playing** basketball in the park?
- **Are the kids making** a birthday card for their friend?

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5. Complete the following sentences with the correct form of the Present Continuous using the verbs in parentheses.

1. She **is walking** to school right now.
2. We **are not playing** video games at the moment.
3. They **are waiting** for the bus in the rain.
4. The dog **is barking** loudly outside.
5. I **am not reading** a book this week.
6. My parents **are traveling** to Italy this month.
7. You **are talking** too fast for me to understand.
8. It **is not snowing** outside right now.
9. The children **are watching** a movie in the living room.
10. He **is not eating** lunch today.
11. We **are planning** a surprise party for her birthday.
12. The teacher **is not explaining** the homework to us.
13. **Are they working** on the project together?
14. She **is not using** her phone at the moment.
15. I **am learning** how to drive this year.
16. The baby **is crying** because it's hungry.
17. **Are you cleaning** the house today?
18. We **are not wearing** uniforms for school this week.
19. **Is he preparing** dinner for the family tonight?
20. The cat **is not playing** with its toys right now.

6- Write an affirmative, negative, and interrogative sentence for each prompt in the Present Continuous.

1. (They / watch a movie)
 - Affirmative: They **are watching** a movie.
 - Negative: They **are not watching** a movie.
 - Interrogative: **Are they watching** a movie?
2. (She / clean the house)
 - Affirmative: She **is cleaning** the house.
 - Negative: She **is not cleaning** the house.
 - Interrogative: **Is she cleaning** the house?
3. (We / wait for the bus)
 - Affirmative: We **are waiting** for the bus.
 - Negative: We **are not waiting** for the bus.
 - Interrogative: **Are we waiting** for the bus?
4. (He / play the guitar)
 - Affirmative: He **is playing** the guitar.
 - Negative: He **is not playing** the guitar.
 - Interrogative: **Is he playing** the guitar?
5. (The children / do their homework)
 - Affirmative: The children **are doing** their homework.
 - Negative: The children **are not doing** their homework.
 - Interrogative: **Are the children doing** their homework?

7- Write an affirmative, negative, and interrogative sentence for each prompt in the Present Continuous.

1. **Incorrect: "I do not believe".**
2. **Correct.**
3. **Incorrect: "He is".**
4. **Incorrect: "They are".**
5. **Correct.**
6. **Correct.**
7. **Incorrect: "sitting".**
8. **Incorrect: "It is raining heavily".**
9. **Correct.**
10. **Incorrect: "play" (Present Simple).**

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8. Write 5 sentences using the Present Continuous to describe the image.



1. A man **is riding** a bicycle.
2. A couple **is sitting** on a bench.
3. Another couple **is walking** on the path
4. A person **is playing** with a dog in the park.
5. Two people **are having** a picnic.

9- Complete the following sentences with a time expression commonly used with the Present Continuous (e.g., right now, this week, at the moment, today, etc.).

1. I am learning French **this year**.
2. We are staying at my aunt's house **this week**.
3. She is working on her science project **right now**.
4. They are not watching TV **at the moment**.
5. The baby is sleeping **right now**, so please be quiet.
6. I am meeting my friends **later** after school.
7. My parents are going on vacation **next week**.
8. He is not using his phone **today**.
9. The students are preparing for the exam **this week**.
10. We are having a barbecue **this weekend**.

10- Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb in Present Continuous or Present Simple.

1. She usually **goes** to school by bus, but today she **is walking**.
2. We **are not watching** TV right now, we **are reading** a book.
3. He **plays** tennis every weekend.
4. The sun **rises** in the east.
5. At the moment, they **are studying** for their exams.
6. My parents **work** in a bank, but today they **are staying** at home.
7. I **do not like** coffee, but I **am drinking** tea this morning.
8. She **visits** her grandparents every Sunday.
9. Right now, I **am writing** an email to my friend.
10. The children always **play** in the park after school.
11. We **are having** a meeting this afternoon.
12. It **is not raining** at the moment, but it usually **rains** in September.
13. John **is cooking** dinner for his family right now.
14. The dog **sleeps** on the couch every afternoon.
15. Look! The bird **is flying** in the sky.
16. I usually **go** to bed early, but tonight I **am staying up** late.
17. You **are not studying** hard enough for the exam.
18. She **speaks** English very well, but today she **is practicing** French.
19. They **are not eating** lunch at home today because they **are having** a picnic.
20. We **play** football every Friday, but today we **are not playing** because it's raining.