

## Present Simple

**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.                  |                                               |
| 3 ..... you ..... (know) the way to the lake?               | 6 He ..... (not visit) his friends every day. |
| 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)<br>a <i>You don't need more spelling practice.</i><br>b <i>You need more reading practice.</i> | 4 Mark goes to karate lessons. (piano)<br>a .....<br>b .....      |
| 2 My dad reads the newspaper every day. (a book)<br>a .....<br>b .....                                                                      | 5 He likes chocolate. (biscuits)<br>a .....<br>b .....            |
| 3 I study on Saturdays. (Sundays)<br>a .....<br>b .....                                                                                     | 6 Sally rides a bike to school. (motorbike)<br>a .....<br>b ..... |

**D Write questions and answer them about yourself.**

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 your grandma / often / visit you / ?<br><i>Does your grandma often visit you?</i><br><i>Yes, she does. / No, she doesn't.</i> | 4 your friends / like / computer games / ?<br>.....<br>..... |
| 2 you / watch / TV / in the evening / ?<br>.....<br>.....                                                                       | 5 you / study / French / at school / ?<br>.....<br>.....     |
| 3 your dad / play / the guitar / ?<br>.....<br>.....                                                                            | 6 your mum / work / at a bank / ?<br>.....<br>.....          |

## Present Simple – *Answers*

- A**
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|-----------|------------|
| 1 stops   | 7 dresses  |
| 2 watches | 8 tries    |
| 3 studies | 9 goes     |
| 4 does    | 10 catches |
| 5 mixes   | 11 enjoys  |
| 6 ties    | 12 loses   |

- B**
- |               |                 |
|---------------|-----------------|
| 1 washes      | 4 studies       |
| 2 like        | 5 goes          |
| 3 Do ... know | 6 doesn't visit |

- C**
- a You don't need more spelling practice.

b You need more reading practice.
  - a My dad doesn't read the newspaper every day.

b My dad reads a book every day.
  - a I don't study on Saturdays.

b I study on Sundays.
  - a Mark doesn't go to karate lessons.

b Mark goes to piano lessons.
  - a He doesn't like chocolate.

b He likes biscuits.
  - a Sally doesn't ride a bike to school.

b Sally rides a motorbike to school.

- D**
- 1 Does your grandma often visit you?

Yes, she does. / No, she doesn't.
  - 2 Do you watch TV in the evening?

Yes, I do. / No, I don't.
  - 3 Does your dad play the guitar?

Yes, he does. / No, he doesn't.
  - 4 Do your friends like computer games?

Yes, they do. / No, they don't.
  - 5 Do you study French at school?

Yes, I do. / No, I don't.
  - 6 Does your mum work at a bank?

Yes, she does. / No, she doesn't.