Present Simple (1)

Form



Afirmative

I walk
You walk
He walks
She walks
It walks
We walk
You walk
They walk

Negative

I don't walk
You don't walk
He doesn't walk
She doesn't walk
It doesn't walk
We don't walk
You don't walk
They don't walk

Interrogative

Do I walk?
Do you walk?
Does he walk?
Does she walk?
Does it walk?
Do we walk?
Do you walk?
Do they walk?

Short answers

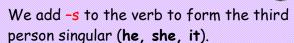
Affirmative

Yes, I / you / we / they do Yes, he / she / it does

Negative

No, I / you / we / they don't No, he / she / it doesn't

Third person singular



I drink - he drinks I run - he runs

BUT

- We add -es to verbs that end in -ss,
 -sh, -ch, -x, -o.
 I watch he watches
- With verbs ending in consonant + y, we change the -y to -ies.

I cry - he cries

But with verbs ending in vowel + y, we just add -s as usual.

I play - he plays



We use the **Present Simple**:

 for habits and actions that we do regularly:

He visits his friends every Sunday.

She goes to school by bus.

• for general truths:

The sun rises in the East.

• for permanent situations:

He lives in Athens.

Expressions used with the Present Simple



play

wash

drive

B.

Frequency adverbs: always, usually, often, sometimes, rarely, never

(they are placed before the main verb)

Time expressions: every day / week / Friday...

on Mondays / Sundays...

at the weekend...

in the morning / afternoon...

in winter / spring...
once a day / week...

go

teach

carry

A. Write the third person singular of the following verbs.

fly		start		16075
help		kiss		English
watch		tidy		
like		enjoy		
cry		mix		
Complete	e the sentences with the Pre	esent Sim	ple of the verbs in br	ackets.
1. Peter	r and his friends	to sch	ool by bus. (go)	
2. Eleph	nants leaves a	nd grass.	(eat)	
3. David	d's father in c	a hospital.	(work)	
4. The l	bank opens at 9.30 and		at 4.30. (close)	
5. Tom	and Jim footb	oall every	day after school. (pl	ay)
6. Mr J	ones is a teacher. He	F	listory. (teach)	
7. Our l	lessons at 9.0	0 and	at 3.30. (s	tart / finish)
8. My p	en friend in J	apan. (live	2)	
9. Mary	and her brother	carto	ons every Sunday mo	rning. (watch)
10. John	n his room even	ry day. (ti	dy)	

	work	ride	deliver	love	jog	rest	fish	walk
Mr Leti	ty is a p	oostman.	He doesn't	work in	the pos	t		
			s outside in		•			3
He		letter	rs to all the	e people	in the		لي ا	
neighbo	urhood	every do	ay. He does	n't		_	TO	VF.
but he <u> </u>		hi	s motorbik	e.			1 W	
At the	weeken	d, Mr Le	tty doesn't	t work.		((3/1)	
He		He _		_ the co	untrysid	e,		
so he al	ways _		to his o	country l	house wi	th	1	0
his wife	e. Mr ar	nd Mrs Le	etty	;	in the riv	ver	U	
1. play	· / the g	guitar / in	nd write que	noon		ers, as ir	the exam	mple.
1. play	/ the g	juitar/ii <i>lay the <u>a</u></i>	n the after <i>quitar in th</i>	noon he aften	noon?		the exam	mple.
1. play Doe No	/ the g es he pa	juitar / ii lay the <u>a</u> esn't play	n the after guitar in th of the guita	noon he aften	noon?		the exam	mple.
1. play Doe No He	/ the g es he p he doe plays 1	nuitar / in lay the <u>c</u> esn't play the accol	n the after guitar in th of the guita	noon he aften	noon?		the exam	mple.
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1. play Doe No He 2. walk	/ the g es he p he doe plays 1	nuitar / in lay the g esn't play the accol r lunch	n the after guitar in th of the guita	noon he aften r in the	afterno		the examination of the example of th	mple.

4. listen 	1 / to the radio / every Sund		CINEM
 5. clean	/ the house / on Mondays		
6. watch	n/TV/afterschool		
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Present	e the blanks with the negativ Simple of the verbs in brack i, Tess! What are you doing?		ogative form of the
Tess: I'	m watching the football team	1.	Hi Teas!
Mark: Do	<i>o</i> you <i>watch</i> (watch) them ev	ery day?	
Tess: No	o, I don't. They	_ (not play) 🎉	
ev	ery day. They play four time	.s a week.	
	you favourite player?	_(have)	
	o, I (not have) od.	a favourite play	er. Everyone on the team is
•	the attacker	(mo	ve) fast?
	o, he (not move		
	u(like) footba		,
	o, I(not like) i		oall. It's a great sport.