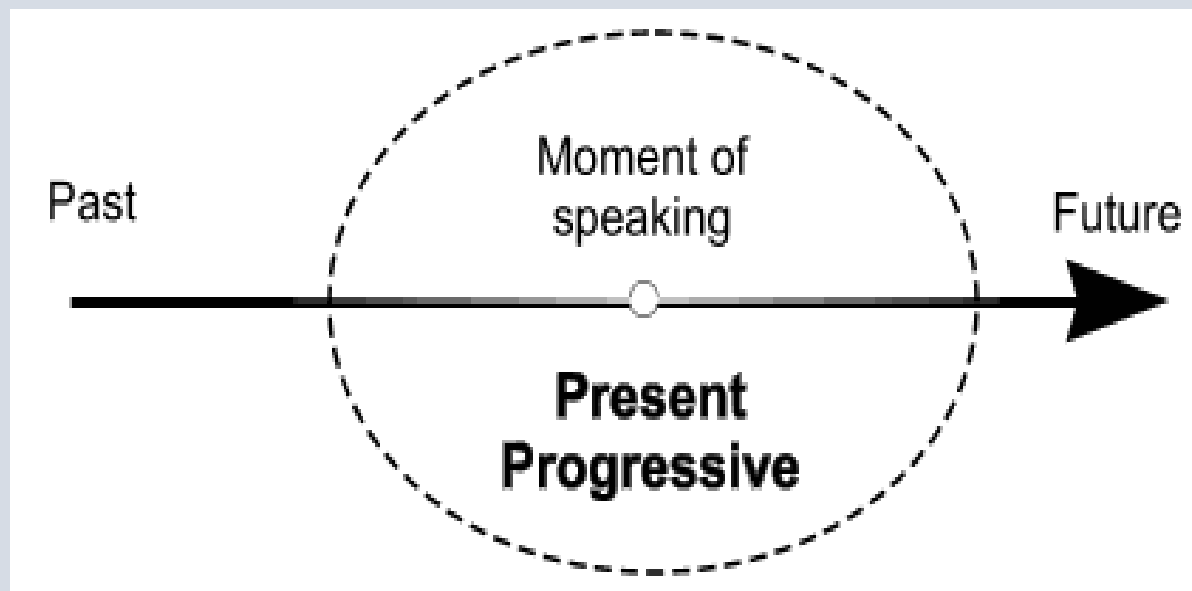


Present Progressive



We use **PRESENT PROGRESSIVE:**

- ❖ *Talk about action happening at the moment you are speaking.*

*Diana **is listening** to music right now.*

- ❖ *Talk about temporary activities.*

*I **am working** in Rome this month.*

- ❖ *Talk about future schedules, appointments or arrangements.*

*We **are going** to Basel on Saturday.*

Affirmative sentences:

Use a form of *to be* and the infinite verb plus *-ing*.

I	am	
He /She/Ben/Mary/ It	is	swimming
They/ Sam and Sally/ You	are	

Examples:



They **are** dancing.



Mr.Smith **is** reading.



I **am** doing my
homework.

What is he doing?

*He **is** eating.*



Let's practice:

What is she doing?

*She **is** dancing.*



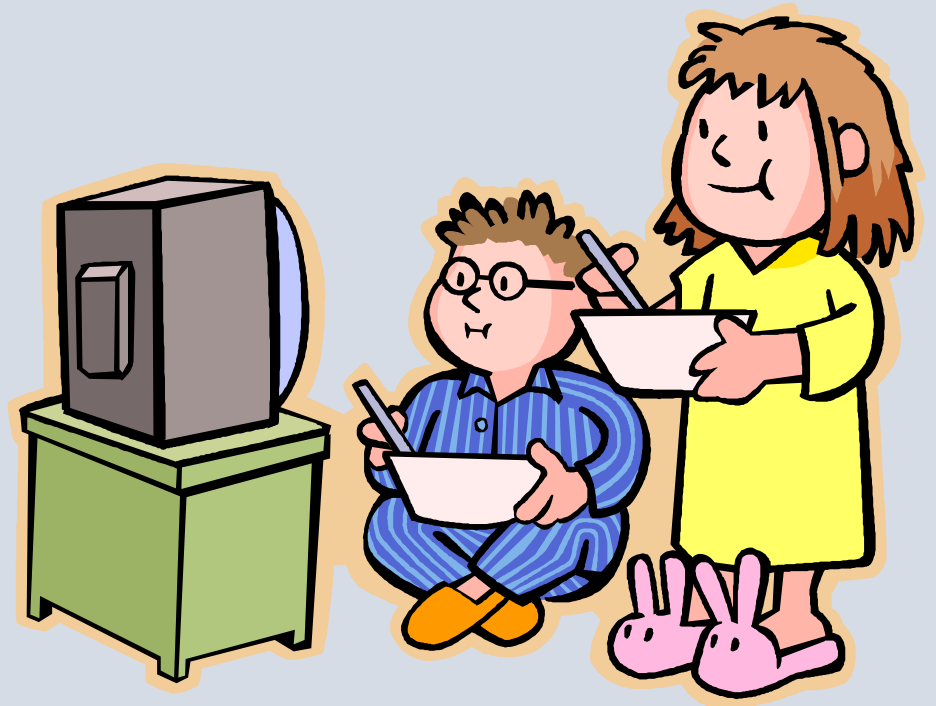


What is John doing?

*He **is playing** football.*

What are they doing?

*They **are** watching Tv.*

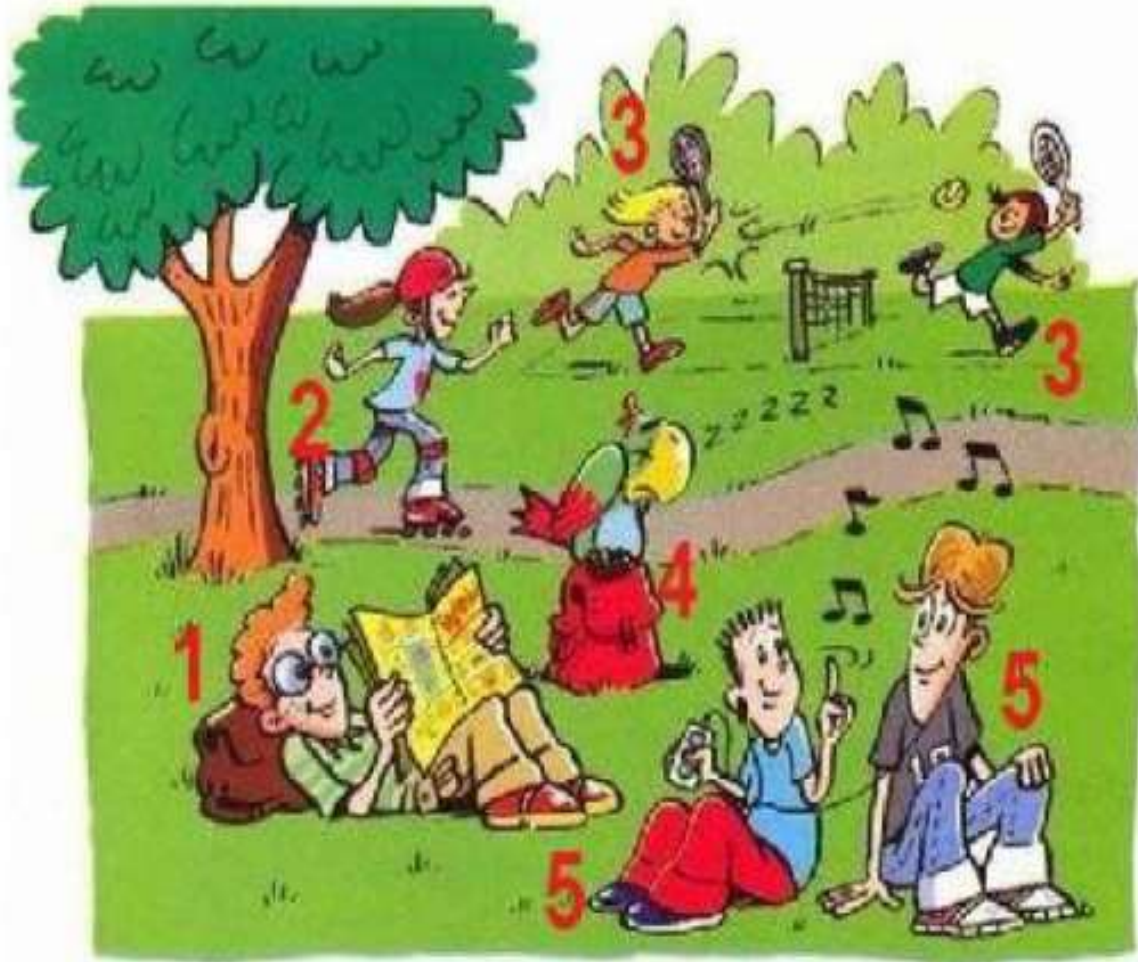


Time Expressions:



- at the moment
- now / just now / right now
- Listen!
- Look!

What are they doing now?



- 1.
2. She is rollerskating

Spelling Rules : ING

RULE # 1:

Verbs that end in “**e**”, delete the **e** and add “**ing**”

Examples:

1. Make → mak**ing**

2. Ride → rid**ing**

3. Dance → danc**ing**



RULE # 2:

Verbs that end in “**ie**”, delete the “**ie**” and add “**ying**”

Examples:

1. Lie → **lying**
2. Die → **dying**
3. Tie → **Tying**



RULE # 3:

One-syllable verbs that end in **one vowel** and **one consonant**, double the consonant and add **ing**.

Examples:

1. Swim → swimm**ing**
2. Stop → stopp**ing**
3. Run → runn**ing**



RULE # 4:

If the verb ends in **two** consonants, **don't** double the consonants!

Examples:

- 1. Work → work**ing**
- 2. Help → help**ing**
- 3. Wash → wash**ing**



RULE # 5:

If the verb ends in **two** vowels and **one** consonant , **don't** double the consonants!

Examples:

1. Need → need**ing**
2. Wait → wait**ing**
3. Speak → speak**ing**



RULE # 6:

one syllable, if the verb end in **consonant+vowel+consonant**
double the last consonant

Examples:

1. Put → putt**ing**
2. Sit → sitt**ing**
3. Cut → cutt**ing**



RULE # 7:

two or **more** syllables, if the last syllable **is** stressed, double the last consonant.

Examples:

1. beGIN → begin**ning**
2. preFER → prefer**ring**
3. forGET → forget**ting**



RULE # 8:

two or **more** syllables, if the last syllable is **not** stressed, do **not** double the consonant.

Examples:

1. HAPpen → happen~~ing~~
2. VISit → visit~~ing~~
3. reMEMber → remember~~ing~~



RULE # 9:

If the verb ends in **y** or **w**, don't double the consonant.

Examples:

1. Fly → fly**ing**
2. Blow → blow**ing**
3. Study → study**ing**
4. Snow → snow**ing**



RULE # 10:

If the verb ends with **l** after vowel is always doubled (in British English).

Examples:

1. Travel → travell***ing***

2. Regret → regretting



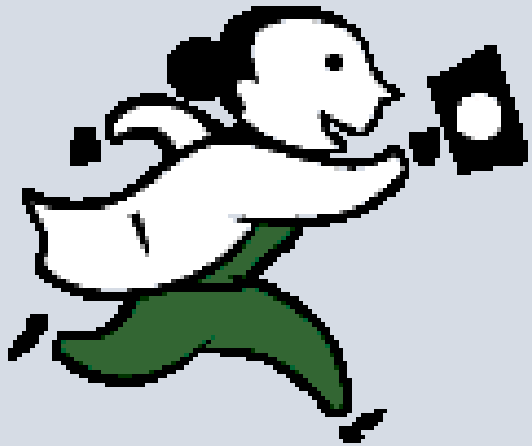
Negative sentences:

Subj + verb to be +negat.+Verb ing

She isn't playing soccer.



Mary is eating a sandwich.

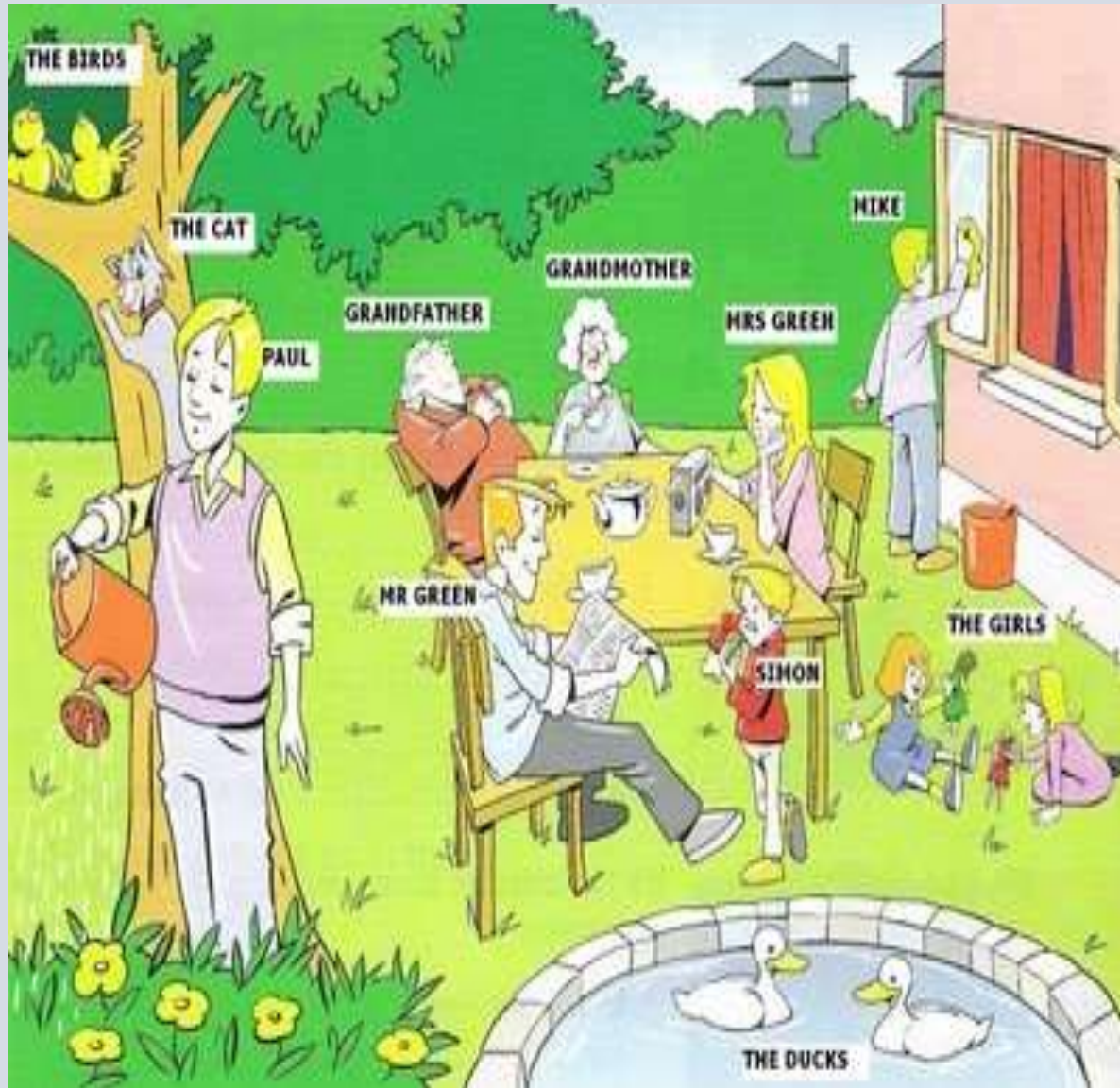


Mary isn't eating a sandwich.

Kate is teaching in the school.



Kate isn't teaching in the school.



1. Grandfather is reading a newspaper.

2. The girls are swimming in the pool.

3. The cat is playing with Simon.

4. Paul is listening to music.

5. The birds are cleaning the window.

Interrogative sentences:

Short question:

Singular	1	Am I playing?
	2	Are you playing?
	3	M Is he playing?
		F Is she playing ?
		A Is it playing?
Plural	1	Are we playing?
	2	Are you playing?
	3	Are they playing?

		Affirmative	Negative
Singular	1	Yes, I am	No, I'm not
	2	Yes, you are	No, you aren't
	3	M Yes, he is	No, he isn't
		F Yes, she is	No, she isn't
		A Yes, it is	No, it isn't
Plural	1	Yes, we are	No, we aren't
	2	Yes, you are	No, you aren't
	3	Yes, they are	No, they aren't



Is Kevin walking the dog?

No,he isn't

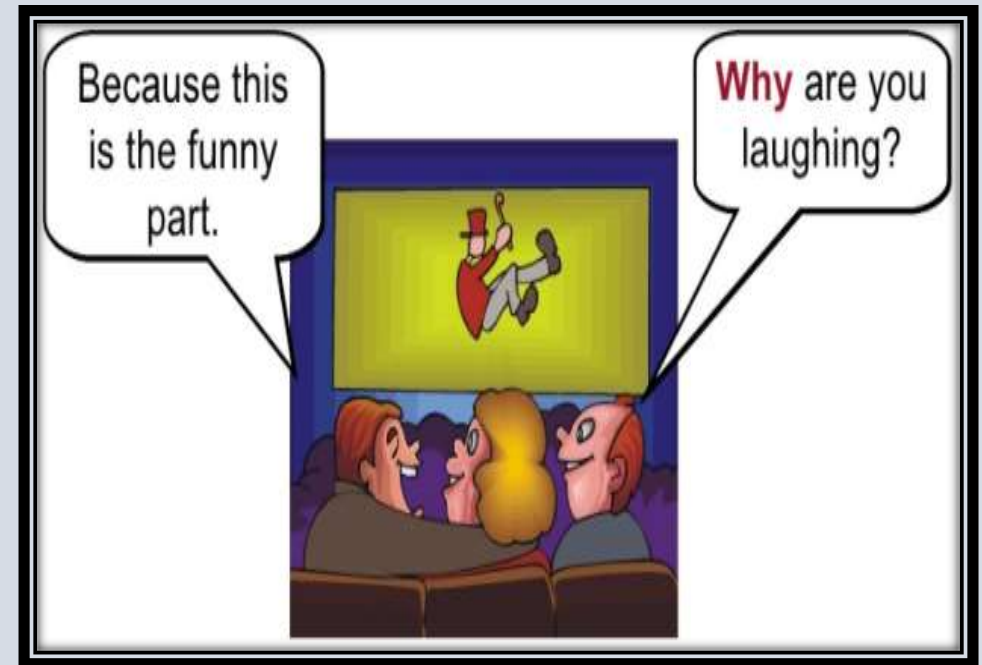


Are Kate and Ann reading a magazine?

Yes,they are.

Formal question:

Wh- Word	Be Verb	Subject	-ing Verb Form
What	am	I	doing?
Where	is	he	going?
Who	are	you	meeting?





Why is Kate putting up the umbrella?

Because it is raining.

Where are Michael and Paul playing soccer now?

They are playing in the Star stadium.





1. Are Sam and Nancy making a sandcastle?

What are they doing?

2. Are Peter, Tony and Michael playing soccer?

3. Are Stephanie and Joey making a sandcastle?

What are they doing?

4. Is Ricky reading a magazine?

5. Is Angela eating a sandwich?

What is she doing?