Topic: Present Simple Tense

1. When do we use the Present Simple?

* We use the present simple tense to talk about:
* Habits and routines: She goes to school every day.
* Facts and general truths: The sun rises in the east.
* Scheduled events: The train leaves at 7 PM.

## 2. Affirmative Form

Structure: Subject + base verb (+s/es for he/she/it)

Examples:

I play football on Sundays.

She plays the piano.

They watch TV every evening.

## 3. Negative Form

Structure: Subject + do/does not + base verb

Examples:

I don’t play video games.

He doesn’t like coffee.

We don’t live in New York.

## 4. Interrogative Form

Structure: Do/Does + subject + base verb?

Examples:

Do you play football?

Does she like cats?

Where do they live?

What does he want?

## 5. Verb Conjugation Rules (He/She/It)

* Add **-s**: He works, she plays
* Ends in -ch, -sh, -x, -ss, -o → add **-es**: She watches, he goes
* Ends in consonant + y → change y to **ies**: He studies, she carries
* Ends in vowel + y → add **-s**: He plays, she stays

### 6. Practice Exercises

A. Fill in the blanks (affirmative):

She \_\_\_\_\_\_ (go) to work by bus.

They \_\_\_\_\_\_ (like) pizza.

He \_\_\_\_\_\_ (watch) TV at night.

B. Rewrite in negative form:

I play basketball.

→ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

She drinks tea.

→ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

C. Make questions:

You like music.

→ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

He goes to the gym.

→ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_