

PRESENT SIMPLE/PRESENT CONTINUOUS

PRESENT SIMPLE TENSE	PRESENT CONTINUOUS TENSE
<p>1. For facts or things that are always true or generally true. <i>Hechos o cosas que son siempre verdaderas o generalmente verdaderas.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> It rains a lot in winter. A dog has four legs. Whales live in the ocean. <p>2. For regular habits or repeated actions <i>Para hábitos regulares o acciones repetidas</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I brush my teeth three times a day. He walks to school every day. She goes to the gym after work <p>Common time expressions used with the present simple tense are: <i>Las expresiones de tiempo comunes que se usan con el presente simple son:</i> <i>Always, often, generally, sometimes, never, usually, frequently, occasionally, rarely, hardly ever, every day, every week, every year, once a day, twice a week, three times a month, in the morning, in the afternoon, at night etc...</i></p>	<p>1. For an action happening right now at the moment of speaking (actions in progress) <i>Para una acción que sucede ahora mismo en el momento de hablar (acciones en progreso)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I am teaching an English lesson now You are watching a video in this moment Steve is washing his hair She is taking her dog for walk <p>2. To talk about future arrangements <i>Para hablar de arreglos futuros</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I am leaving my house tomorrow She is visiting her family in September They are going to the gym in the evening <p>Common time expressions used with the present continuous. <i>Expresiones de tiempo comunes usadas con el presente continuo.</i> <i>Now, at the moment, at present, today, tonight, this morning, this afternoon, this evening, this week, this month, this year, right now, still, look! Listen! Pts! etc...</i></p>

Complete these sentences with either the present simple or the present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

- David never _____ (to clean) up after his mess.
- Deborah _____ (to prepare) dinner at the moment.
- I _____ (to talk) with my friend now.
- We _____ (to/have) a briefing every Monday morning.
- _____ (he/to play) basketball now?
- Look! Our cat _____ (to sleep).
- _____ (you / to come) to the party?
- What time _____ (the bank/to open)?
- _____ (you/ to kid) me now?
- I'm really sorry dear, but you _____ (not/to meet) our criteria.
- Everyone _____ (to work) on the project now.
- We usually hold our leadership training in Rome, but this year we _____ (to hold) it in Venice.