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Unit 3 VERBS

Lesson 14: More Present-Tense Verbs (pp. 68–71)

Remember

A present-tense verb must *agree* with the subject of a sentence. The subject and the verb must both be either singular or plural.

Write the present-tense form of the verb in parentheses to correctly complete each sentence.

1. Leon copies the spelling words from the chalkboard. (copy)
2. The water splashes over the rocks. (splash)
3. This paint dries quickly. (dry)
4. The storekeeper polishes the silver bowls. (polish)
5. Mosquitoes buzz in the backyard. (buzz)
6. Squirrels bury nuts in the fall. (bury)
7. The runner stretches before the race. (stretch)
8. Most people carry umbrellas on rainy days. (carry)
9. Melicia tries a new toothpaste. (try)
10. The gardener pushes the wheelbarrow filled with plants. (push)
11. The tourists relax by the swimming pool. (relax)
12. Danny dresses as a knight for the costume party. (dress)
13. The little ducklings hurry after their mother. (hurry)
14. My sister tosses the ball to me. (toss)
15. The small plane flies over the farmland. (fly)