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Date _____



Exercise 11

Present Tense

Fill in the spaces with the correct form of the verb in simple present tense.

Affirmative (+):

Example: He (play) plays the guitar.

Negative (-):

He (not, play) does not play the guitar.

- 1) I rarely (eat) _____ chocolate. I (not, like) _____ the way it (taste) _____.
- 2) We (like) _____ to watch movies. My favorite movie (be) _____ *Titanic*.
- 3) The ocean (sound) _____ like an airplane.
- 4) The flag (blow) _____ in the wind every day. It is getting old. It (need) _____ to be replaced soon.
- 5) The janitor at my school (empty) _____ the trash on Sunday.
- 6) Angelica always (try) _____ to make new friends.
- 7) James (run) _____ two miles every day.
- 8) Elizabeth often (march) _____ with the band.
- 9) John and I (open) _____ presents at Christmas.
- 10) When there is a fire, the firemen (rush) _____ to put it out. After the fire (be) _____ out, they (go) _____ home.
- 11) I (be, not) _____ tired. I (think) _____ I will read a book.
- 12) Shelley (not, think) _____ this quiz is hard. But I (do) _____!

