

Present Simple / Present Continuous

He **is ordering** a new projector **now**.
(Present Continuous)

She **sends** e-mails **every day**.
(Present Simple)

5 Circle the correct answer.

- Oliver and Matthew **are having** / **have** lunch now.
- Amelia always **is arriving** / **arrives** at the office at 9.00.
- Do you connect** / **Are you connecting** the power supply right now?
- I **don't usually drive** / **am not usually driving** to work.
- Is he helping** / **Does he help** the new programmer every day?
- Ms Lawrence **isn't working** / **doesn't work** with that software at the moment.

5 Circle TWO correct answers.

- Jack ... has lunch here. He likes the food.
 - often
 - seldom
 - usually
- Bella **isn't working** ... She's ill.
 - twice a week
 - now
 - at the moment
- Ella checks the computers ... It's part of her job.
 - every morning
 - now
 - once a week
- The computer **isn't working**, so Jim is trying to repair it ...
 - right now
 - at the moment
 - every day
- I ... use this program because it's difficult.
 - always
 - rarely
 - never

7 Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets. Use the Present Simple or Present Continuous. Then match A to B.

A

- Mary (work) as a troubleshooter for a big company.
- Barbara, what you (do) at the moment?
- They (not usually drink) tea.
- Ann (search) the Internet now.

B

- They (prefer) coffee.
- She (want) to download a program.
- Right now, she (solve) some problems.
- I (write) an e-mail now.

8 Complete the dialogue with the verbs in brackets. Use the correct form of the Present Simple or the Present Continuous.

A: 1. you usually (have) lunch at the cafeteria?

B: No. I 2. (not like) their food.

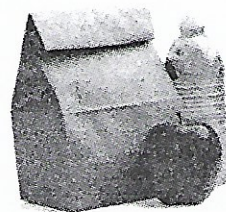
A: So where 3. you (go) for lunch today?

B: To the park. I often 4. (eat) my sandwich there.

A: 5. your friends usually (join) you?

B: Eva often 6. (come) with me, but at the moment she 7. (meet) her boyfriend for lunch. I 8. (go) right now. 9. you (want) to join me?

A: Sure, thanks.



9 Correct the mistakes in bold in the sentences.

- She **love** her job.
- I **make** some coffee right now.
- What time **are** they usually **finishing** work?
- I'm not **remembering** Mr Vaughn's address.
- Mr Wood **assembles** the computer now.
- Do Ellen **know** how to operate this system?

