#### **PRESENT CONTINUOUS**

**Present Continuous** is a verb tense used to describe actions that are happening right now, at the moment of speaking. It is also used to talk about temporary actions and future plans or arrangements.

Here's how it works:

#### Structure:

• To form the Present Continuous tense, you typically use the present tense of the verb "to be" (am, is, are) followed by the base form of the main verb with the -ing ending.

# **Affirmative (Positive) Sentences:**

Subject + am/is/are + verb + -ing.

## **Negative Sentences:**

Subject + am not/isn't/aren't + verb + -ing.

#### Questions:

Am/Is/Are + subject + verb + -ing?

#### Examples:

#### 1. Affirmative Sentences:

- I am playing tennis.
- She is studying for her exam.
- They **are watching** a movie.

### 2. Negative Sentences:

- He isn't working today.
- We aren't going to the party.
- It isn't raining right now.

#### 3. Questions:

- Are you eating lunch?
- Is he coming to the meeting?
- Are they playing football?

## **Summary Chart:**

Subject	Affirmative	Negative	Questions
I	am playing	am not (aren't) playing	Am I playing?
You	are playing	are not (aren't) playing	Are you playing?
He/She/It	is playing	is not (isn't) playing	Is he/she/it playing?
We/They	are playing	are not (aren't) playing	Are we/they playing?