

Present Simple vs. Present Continuous

Настоящее простое время и Настоящее продолженное время



What's the difference?

Present Simple

 I read books everyday.
 You like bananas.
 She likes pizza.
 He goes to a fitness centre on Sundays.

- 1) I **am** read**ing** a book now.
- 2) You **are** watching TV at the moment.
- 3) He/she/it **is** do**ing** homework now.

What's the difference?

Present Simple

- I/you/we/they + read
- He/she/it + reads
- Have vs. Has:
- I/we/you/they have a book.
- He/she/it has a book.

- I am + read+ing
- You/we/they + are
 + read+ing
- He/she/it + is + read+ing

Meaning!

Present Simple

<u>Действия, которые</u>

происходят постоянно:

- Usually обычно
- Always всегда
- Often часто
- On Fridays по пятницам
- Everyday каждый день

Present Continuous

<u>Действия, которые</u> происходят сейчас:

- Now сейчас
- At the moment в данный момент

Negation

Present Simple

- I don't read books
- You/we/they don't read books
- He/she/it doesn't read books.

- I'm not reading a book now.
- You/we/they aren't reading a book now.
- He/she/it isn't reading a book now.

Make the sentences negative!

- I like fish.
- She likes bananas.
- I'm reading now.
- They're listening to music at the moment.
- He works on Mondays.
- She often plays the piano.
- You're having a bath now.
- We're learning German.
- We watch TV every morning.
- The cat's walking around the house.
- The cat's sleeping.

Practise!

Josh _____ (like) sport. He _____ (play) basketball and he _____ (play) football. Right now he _____ (play) football.



Practise!

 My dad's a teacher. He _____ (teach) Science. Today's Saturday. He ______ (not teach) now – he _____ (read) a newspaper.



Asking questions

Present Simple

- **Do** you like pizza?
- Yes, I do./ No, I don't
- Does she/he/it like fruit?
- □ Yes, he/she/it **does**.
- What **do** you do after school?
- What does he do after school?

- Are you watching TV?
- Yes, I am./ No, I'm not.
- Is he/she/it reading a book?
- Yes, he is./ No, he isn't.
- What are you doing now?

Make a question!

- listening/ you/ to/ are/ music/ now/ ?
- bananas/ he/ like/ does/ ?
- you/ do/ watch/ after/ TV/ school/ ?
- English/ she/ learning/ is/ at the moment/ ?
- phoning/ her/ she/ mum/ is/ now/ ?
- What/ you/ doing/ are/ ?
- they/ what/ like/ do/ eating/ ?