

PRESENT TASKS

PRESENT SIMPLE

TASK 1

Compose 9 sentences for Present Simple tense in affirmative, negative and interrogative forms.

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TASK 2

- Hello! ¹ _____ (be) you from here?
- No, we ² _____ (be). ³ _____ (be) you?
- No, I ⁴ _____ (be) from Spain. My name ⁵ _____ (be) Sarah.
- Nice to meet you! I ⁶ _____ (be) Ergo and this ⁷ _____ (be) Ella.
- Where ⁸ _____ (be) you from?
- We ⁹ _____ (be) from England.
- ¹⁰ _____ (be) you from London?
- No, we ¹¹ _____ (be). We ¹² _____ (be) from the north of England. I ¹³ _____ (be) from York, and Ella ¹⁴ _____ (be) from Leeds.
- ¹⁵ _____ (be) you here on holiday?
- No, we ¹⁶ _____ (be), it ¹⁷ _____ (be) a study trip. Estonia ¹⁸ _____ (be) a beautiful place.
- Yes, it ¹⁹ _____ (be). ²⁰ _____ (be) your trip nice?
- Very nice! Thank you!

TASK 3

She ¹ _____ (have) two daughters. She ² _____ (not have) much free time because she ³ _____ (work) in a store. In the week, she ⁴ _____ (get up) very early and she ⁵ _____ (go) to bed quite late every day. She ⁶ _____ (love) Sundays because she ⁷ _____ (not work) and she ⁸ _____ (spend) the day with her family. On Sundays, they ⁹ _____ (not get up) very late because they always ¹⁰ _____ (go out). However, they ¹¹ _____ (be) always sad on Sunday evenings because it's the end of their weekend.

PRESENT SIMPLE | PRESENT CONTINUOUS

TASK 1

Compose 9 sentences for Present Continuous tense in affirmative, negative and interrogative forms.

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TASK 2

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- What _____ (you/do)?
- I'm listening to the radio. They _____ (talk) about football.
- _____ (you/listen/often) to the radio?
- Yes. I _____ (like) the radio.
- And _____ (you/listen/often) to sports programmes?
- Not usually, but today I _____ (want) to know what they say about one team.
- What _____ (you/do) in general?
- I'm an engineer, but I _____ (work) at the moment.
- _____ (you/look) for a job?
- Yes, I _____ (need) to find a job soon.

2.

- Where is Alex?
- He _____ (have) a shower.
- _____ (not/be) it late for a shower?
- No, he _____ (go/usually) to work by bus, but today he is going by car.
- What time _____ (he/start) work on Mondays?
- His manager allowed him to come later. He _____ (begin) at 10 a.m.
- And where is Veronika?
- In the living room, she _____ (eat) and _____ (watch) a movie.
- I _____ (watch) TV when I'm having dinner.
- Neither do I.

3.

- I'm hungry. _____ (you/want) to eat something?
- I _____ (eat) before my training.
- Oh, really! What sport _____ (you/do)?
- I _____ (do) sport very often, I prefer dancing.
- Same here, I _____ (take) a hip-hop class tomorrow. Do you want to join?
- I can't, I need to go and buy a fashion magazine for my project.
- You can take one of my magazines, I _____ (not/read) it.
- Thank you! By the way, can you hear that noise?

- Yes, our neighbours _____ (argue).
- Our neighbours _____ (argue) almost every day.

TASK 3

1. In Estonia most people _____ (speak) at least three languages.
2. Languages _____ (disappear) quite quickly. Half of world's languages will disappear by 2200.
3. You can't see Jenny now, she _____ (have) a bath.
4. Keep quiet! He _____ (listen) to the news, that is what he _____ (do) in the evenings.
5. What time _____ (first train/leave)?
6. I _____ (wear/never) a hat, but today I _____ (wear) one because it is unusually cold.
7. I finished watching the series you suggested last month. Now I _____ (watch) another one.
8. What _____ (you/do) tonight? Would you like to come to the theatre with me?
9. Nobody _____ (think) they will win the game.
10. Helen, you look so worried. What _____ (you/think)?

TASK 4

1. - They _____ (go) to the cinema tonight.
- _____ (they/go/often) to the cinema?
2. - What time _____ (bus/leave) this evening?
- I don't know, because we _____ (leave) tomorrow.
3. - _____ (you/smoke)?
- Unfortunately, yes, but I _____ (try) to quit.
4. - I _____ (go) on holiday at least two times a year.
- That is great! Where _____ (you/go) this year?
5. - Why _____ (you/think) that it's better to stay in?
- It _____ (rain) and we _____ (not/have) an umbrella.
6. - Children _____ (become) more and more dependent to their phones.
- Yes, they _____ (not/use) their imagination anymore.
7. - I _____ (write) an article about the brain activity myth.
- Is it the one, that says that we _____ (use/only) 10% of our brains?
8. - I _____ (think) of quitting my job.
- _____ (you/think) it is such a good idea?
9. - Who is that man and why _____ (he/look) at us?
- I don't know. What _____ (he/want)?
10. - Tomorrow I _____ (see) my doctor in the afternoon.
- Isn't your doctor that man I _____ (see) over there?

TASK 5

Rainforests ¹_____ (vanish), and we all ²_____ (know) that humans are the primary cause of this devastation. Annually, we ³_____ (cut down) an area of rainforest the size of Israel. Every hour, we ⁴_____ (obliterate) 6000 acres of rainforest, equivalent to 4000 football fields. What we ⁵_____ (not recognise) is that we ⁶_____ (ravage) the planet where our

descendants have to live. We ⁷ _____ (need) the rainforests, they ⁸ _____ (generate) oxygen and ⁹ _____ (eradicate) carbon dioxide, purifying the atmosphere. However, why ¹⁰ _____ (forests/vanish) so rapidly? Well, authorities ¹¹ _____ (agree) that there are two primary reasons and the most crucial is human activity. Major corporations ¹² _____ (log) an increasing number of trees each day, and this ¹³ _____ (lead) to the land's damage. The lifestyle in the rainforests ¹⁴ _____ (also/alter) due to climate change. There is less rain, which ¹⁵ _____ (cause) a number of trees to perish. As a result of the droughts, the risk of fires ¹⁶ _____ (intensify) significantly. Luckily, it ¹⁷ _____ (appear) that now some governments ¹⁸ _____ (begin) to comprehend the issue, and they ¹⁹ _____ (attempt) to regulate these activities. Some of them genuinely ²⁰ _____ (desire) to put an end to this problem, but a few substantial companies with considerable influence are in their way.

PRESENT SIMPLE | PRESENT CONTINUOUS | PRESENT PERFECT

TASK 1

Compose 9 sentences for Present Perfect Simple tense in affirmative, negative and interrogative forms.

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TASK 2

Choose the correct present tense form for each sentence.

1. She ____ four languages fluently, including Japanese.
A. speaks
B. is speaking
C. has spoken
2. I ____ Sarah at work this week. Do you know where she is?
A. don't see
B. haven't seen
C. am not seeing
3. We ____ the new project, so can I call you back later?
A. are discussing
B. discuss
C. have discussed
4. He always ____ his keys at home! It's really annoying.
A. is forgetting
B. has forgotten
C. forgets
5. How long ____ at this company?
A. do you work
B. are you working
C. have you worked
6. The company ____ in new technologies to improve productivity.
A. invests
B. is investing
C. has invested
7. We ____ Paris, but we're planning a trip next year.

A. have never visited
B. are never visiting
C. never visit

8. The kids ____ outside all day, and now they are tired.
A. play
B. have played
C. are playing

9. He ____ to the gym on Mondays, but today he decided to skip it.
A. is going
B. goes
C. has gone

10. Why ____ your homework yet? You've had all day.
A. don't you finish
B. aren't you finishing
C. haven't you finished

11. Look, the dog ____ around the garden again.
A. is running
B. runs
C. has run

12. They ____ that house for years, but it's still not complete.
A. build
B. are building
C. have been building

13. I ____ you're right about this, but let's ask someone else to confirm.
A. think
B. am thinking
C. have thought

14. She ____ English since she moved to London.
A. learns
B. is learning
C. has been learning

15. The train ____ at 7:30 every morning, but today it's running late.
A. arrives
B. is arriving
C. has arrived

TASK 3

Decide if the sentences are correct or incorrect. Correct the incorrect ones.

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1. I always am waking up early, but today I overslept.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. She has been to Japan three times this year.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. We are constantly forgetting to lock the door before leaving.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. The company improves its customer service for the last few months.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. John is thinking that it is a good idea to move abroad.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

6. They have never seen such a beautiful sunset before.

7. It seems like they are getting closer to a solution.

8. The new employee works here for two weeks now.

9. Why do you always forget my birthday?

10. She is believing in superstitions, especially when it comes to Friday the 13th.

11. I've known him since we are children.

12. Every summer, the city gets crowded with tourists.

13. We are living in New York for almost a decade now.

14. I've finished the report, so I don't need to worry anymore.

15. The situation improves since they hired a new manager.

TASK 4

1. I heard he _____ (work) at the "Williams & Partners".

2. They _____ (work) on the problem.

3. She _____ (work) predominantly on British television since 1990.

4. I truly believe they _____ (create) a whole new idea of safety and security.

5. It is unclear whether animals assign any meaning to paintings that they _____ (create).

6. IT companies essentially _____ (create) a problem and then charge you to fix it.

7. He _____ (start) to play since May, performing with the assurance and a 90% pass rate.

8. When I sing high notes my dog _____ (start) to howl.

9. He kisses her and admits he _____ (start) to fall in love with her.

10. Captain, they _____ (move) into a course parallel to our own.

11. It looks like the order just went through and the production _____ (move) smoothly.

12. They recently _____ (move) upstate.

13. Dr. Gerald _____ (spend) most of the day examining the equipment in this lab.

14. I cannot believe she _____ (spend) hundreds of pounds on these scalped tickets.

15. She _____ (spend) her time trying to conquer unrealistic realms online.

TASK 5

1. I _____ (have) my iPhone for about two years.

2. My aunt _____ (be) a music teacher since I was born.

3. Nelly _____ (clean) her flat every Sunday and since today is Sunday she _____ (clean) it.

4. Students _____ (finish) the test just now.

5. Bianca _____ (buy) a new dress for her birthday party.

6. Grandma _____ (tell) the children a story every night.

7. She _____ (go/just) to the shopping centre.

8. Mr. Stone _____ (teach) English to the students, he _____ (teach) it twice a week.

9. This girl _____ (dance) on the stage several times.

10. I _____ (be/never) to Africa.

11. They _____ (wash) their clothes every weekend.

12. He _____ (lose) his wallet.

13. My uncle _____ (watch) news on the TV now, he does it every morning.

14. We _____ (wait) for the bus for a very long time.

PRESENT PERFECT SIMPLE | PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS

TASK 1

- Darling, _____ (you/take) the dog for a walk yet?
- No, I haven't, I _____ (work) all day. I _____ (come/just) home from work and I _____ (have) the time to walk the dog yet.
- How long _____ (he/be) home alone?
- I think, for about 7 hours. You _____ (walk) him zero times since last weekend. Why don't you take him for a walk?
- Well, I _____ (do) things all day too, you know. Moreover, I have a very important meeting tomorrow and I _____ (finish) my presentation yet.
- Alright, I will go, calm down. _____ (see) the collar and the leash?
- They are in the kitchen on the hook. By the way, _____ (eat) anything yet?
- No, not really. Could you maybe make dinner? I will get something for it from the supermarket.

TASK 2

1. _____ (read/ever) a book by Daniel Keyes?
2. Why are your trainers so dirty? _____ (play) football?
3. Let's hope I will pass the exam, as I _____ (work) very hard all week.
4. Her phone seems to be off, I _____ (call) her five times.
5. Your room looks great! _____ (you/redecorate) it?
6. I _____ (want/always) to go to Italy, and we _____ (buy/just) the tickets!
7. Are you alright? She _____ (text) you all evening.
8. He is so tired, he _____ (train) all morning.
9. He _____ (write) the essay, but I think he won't be able to finish it by deadline.
10. She _____ (look) for her card since yesterday, but she _____ (find) it.

TASK 3

1. Trust me! I _____ (know) them for years.
2. I _____ (write) all evening, but I _____ (write/only) six pages so far. What a waste of time!
3. He _____ (do) his homework, so he can't go out tonight.
4. Honey, you look tired. _____ (you/sleep) well recently?
5. Guys, someone _____ (steal) all my cupcakes for the baking contest!
6. I _____ (have) time to make dinner. Shall we go to some restaurant instead?
7. Do you think we are lost? Admit it! We _____ (walk) for so long!
8. How many times _____ (you/call) your boyfriend in London? The phone bill is enormous!
9. _____ (you/eat) my biscuits? There aren't many left in a jar.
10. Don't bother knocking at the door, they _____ (move).

ALL PRESENT TENSES

TASK 1

1. - What time does the train leave?
- I think it _____ (leave) at 2 o'clock.
2. - Where are Tom and Pauline?
- They _____ (go/just) to the supermarket.
3. - What is Jill doing these days?
- She _____ (look) for a job for six months.
4. - Is Mandy watching TV?
- No, she _____ (do) her homework now.
5. - Have you been for a walk?
- Yes. I often _____ (go) for walks in the evening.
6. - Have you seen any films lately?
- Yes. Actually, I _____ (see) two this week.
7. - What _____ (you/eat) ?
- It's a piece of cherry pie.
8. - Are you going on holiday this Summer?
- Yes. I _____ (save/already) enough money.
9. - Is Todd reading the newspaper?
- No. He _____ (make) dinner at the moment.
10. - Have you bought any new CDs recently?
- Yes. Actually, I _____ (buy) three this week.

TASK 2

1. - Who _____ (use) my toothbrush?
2. - What _____ (you/do)?
- I _____ (write) a letter.
3. - Samantha _____ (play) tennis with her friends every week.
4. - Tim and Matilda _____ (be/marry) since 1991.
5. - Uncle Bill _____ (decorate/just) the bathroom.
6. - They _____ (sing) in the school choir twice a week.
7. - Who _____ (you/speak) to?
8. - My friend _____ (live) in America at the moment.
9. - He _____ (change/usually) his job every five years.
10. - Linda _____ (study) in the library for three hours.

TASK 3

- Liz and I are good friends. We _____ (know) each other for four years.
- Sarah is very tired. She _____ (work) hard all day.
- Where is John? He is upstairs, he _____ (do) his homework.
- I can't go to the party on Saturday. I _____ (leave) for Spain on Friday.

- Jane _____ (finish) cleaning her room.
- I didn't recognise Tom. He _____ (look) so different in a suit.
- I don't need to wash my car. Jim _____ (wash) for me already.
- Ian _____ (talk) to his boss for an hour.
- Claire's train _____ (arrive) at three o'clock.
- Where _____ (go)?
- To the cinema.

TASK 4

- Look! Buster _____ (sleep) in the armchair!
- I _____ (know). He _____ (sleep) there every day.
- I _____ (look) for him outside for half an hour, you know. When I didn't find him outside I thought, "He will probably be inside."
- Well, now _____ (you/find) him.
- How long _____ (he/lie) there?
- For about an hour. Look, he _____ (dream).
- Aww! He probably _____ (dream) of a nice bowl of milk as usual.