

Simple Present vs. Present Progressive
HOMEWORK

I. Answer the following sentences with verbs in parenthesis. Use the correct tense: Simple present or Present Progressive.

1. The train always _____ (leave) on time.
2. "What's the matter? Why _____ (cry/you)?"
3. That 's strange. They _____ (not/watch) TV in the afternoons.
4. He _____ (not/speak) English very well.
5. Please be quiet! I _____ (do) my homework.
6. Where _____ ? (live/they)?
7. Listen! John _____ music! (play)
8. I never _____ (go) to the swimming pool.
9. We sometimes _____(eat) salmon fish.
- 10.I _____ (read) a very interesting book now.
- 11.How often _____(revise) your lessons?
- 12.My father _____(know) everything about cars.
13. _____(he/come) to school next weekend?
14. _____ (yoy/buy) new clothes every month?
- 15.John _____ (have) a difficult time at the university this year.
- 16.The moon _____(go)around the earth.
- 17.They _____(not/have) enough money to buy a new car.
- 18.She _____(not/speak) on the phone now.
19. _____(you/arrive) early to school every day?
20. _____(students/present) their projects this semester?

II. Complete the sentences below using a verb from the boxes. You may use each verb only once.

know	seem	prefer	talk	enjoy
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work	finish	interview	play	wait
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1. I always _____ tennis on Fridays.
2. He _____ his report. He will bring it into the office when it is complete.
3. My parents phoned me this morning. They _____ themselves on the beach.
4. We _____ to entertain our guests in a local restaurant than in a mall.
5. I _____ the answer to your problem. Get a new computer.
6. "Where is John?" "In his office _____ for an important telephone call".
7. I can't make the meeting tomorrow. I _____ the applicants for the sales manager's job.
8. My brother _____ for Shink Inc. which makes bathroom fittings
9. Who _____ to Bill? Is it the new secretary?
10. The new contract _____ fine to me. However, could you just check it through once more?

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