

► Grammar

Present continuous: positive

1 Choose the correct form of the verb ending in -ing.

> sitting/siting

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|----------------------|------------------------|
| 1 eating/eatting | 6 travelling/traveling |
| 2 carrieing/carrying | 7 running/runing |
| 3 looking/lookking | 8 useing/using |
| 4 giveing/giving | 9 swiming/swimming |
| 5 chating/chatting | 10 changeing/changing |

2 Complete the text with the correct form of the present continuous.

We 're having (have) a good time on holiday. Sophie and I ¹ _____ (sit) in the sun and I ² _____ (eat) an ice cream. Joe and Emma ³ _____ (sing). Jack ⁴ _____ (play) the guitar. Oliver ⁵ _____ (make) some pizza and Rachel ⁶ _____ (chat) on the Net. Mike and Adam ⁷ _____ (carry) some food into the living room. Ben ⁸ _____ (talk) to his mum on his mobile. Matthew and Amy ⁹ _____ (watch) a DVD. Laura ¹⁰ _____ (read) a book on the sofa.

Present continuous: positive and negative

3 Write affirmative and negative sentences using the present continuous.

> she/watch/TV

✓ She's watching TV.

✗ She isn't watching TV.

1 they/swim

✓ _____

✗ _____

2 I/have/lunch

✓ _____

✗ _____

3 we/get/up/early

✓ _____

✗ _____

4 the dog/run/in the park

✓ _____

✗ _____

5 I/revise/English

✓ _____

✗ _____

6 Jake/exercise/at the moment

✓ _____

✗ _____

Present continuous: questions and short answers

4 Complete the questions with the words in the box. Then write the short answers.

Is she **Are** Am Are Are they Is

> A Are you making dinner?

B No, I'm not.

1 A _____ I speaking good English?

B Yes, _____.

2 A _____ he studying?

B Yes, _____.

3 A _____ they sleeping?

B No, _____.

4 A _____ helping her brother?

B Yes, _____.

5 A _____ going to school?

B Yes, _____.

5 Correct the mistake in each question.

> Your brothers are sleeping?

Are your brothers sleeping?

1 Why I am helping her?

2 What is they doing?

3 Where he's hiding?

4 Who are she looking for?

5 What Mum is making for dinner?

6 Write the questions in the present continuous.

> Louise and David are watching TV.

What are they watching?

1 Look! Tom is running past the class.

Why _____?

2 Simon is talking on the phone.

Who _____ to?

3 I'm writing an email.

Who _____ to?

4 Sarah and Jack are singing.

What song _____?

5 He's going on holiday this week.

Where _____?

