

# PRESENT CONTINUOUS TENSE

1. Johnny \_\_\_\_\_ (play) with his friends in the gym with his friends now.
2. Kayla \_\_\_\_\_ (not do) her morning exercise now. She \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) in her bed.
3. The children \_\_\_\_\_ (swim) in the river right now. I don't think it is safe.
4. Hey Philip! Where \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (go)? To the new amusement park?
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Amber and Judy \_\_\_\_\_ (ride) their bicycles at the moment?
6. Who \_\_\_\_\_ (vacuum) the floor right now? I \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to read my book here.
7. My mother \_\_\_\_\_ (cook) steak and rice while my father \_\_\_\_\_ (make) some fresh lemonade in the kitchen at the moment.
8. My grandfather \_\_\_\_\_ (plant) an olive tree in the garden and I \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) him.
9. Someone \_\_\_\_\_ (knock) the door. Can you open it, please?
10. Alan and Beverly \_\_\_\_\_ (pick) daisies for their grandmother in the meadow right now.
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Noah's father \_\_\_\_\_ (wash) his truck in front of the house at the moment?
12. Who \_\_\_\_\_ (look after) little Jacqueline while you are here?
13. We \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) hamburgers and chips here in the dining room. Come and eat with us.
14. The detective \_\_\_\_\_ (look for) something at the crime scene at the moment.
15. Mr. Cooper \_\_\_\_\_ (repair) a sports car in his garage now. Its gearbox is broken.
16. It \_\_\_\_\_ (not rain) outside. Why \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (take) your umbrella with you?
17. My father \_\_\_\_\_ (build) a tree house for me and my brother, Billy. We \_\_\_\_\_ (help) him at the moment.
18. Sir, a woman \_\_\_\_\_ (wait for) you in the lobby. She is \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) a polka dot dress and a funny hat.
19. Judy and Grace \_\_\_\_\_ (not do) their homework, but they \_\_\_\_\_ (listen) to music and \_\_\_\_\_ (dance) in their room right now.
20. The students \_\_\_\_\_ (not skip) rope. They \_\_\_\_\_ (play) hopscotch in the garden.



Fill in the blanks with the correct forms of the verbs in brackets to complete the sentences

21. All the family members \_\_\_\_\_ (share) the housework. I \_\_\_\_\_ (clean) the toilet while my brother \_\_\_\_\_ (mop) the floor. My father \_\_\_\_\_ (do) the ironing and my mother and sister \_\_\_\_\_ (wash) the dishes.
22. My uncle and aunt \_\_\_\_\_ (play) cards in the living room and my mother is \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) them at the moment.
23. Megan \_\_\_\_\_ (not work) now because she feels so tired. She \_\_\_\_\_ (rest) at home.
24. The kids \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) fish and chips in the lunchroom and \_\_\_\_\_ (drink) apple juice.
25. Be quiet! Your baby brother \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) peacefully in his cradle. Don't make any noise!
26. A few children \_\_\_\_\_ (play) hide and seek in the playground. Willie \_\_\_\_\_ (count) and the others \_\_\_\_\_ (hide) now.
27. Little Isabella \_\_\_\_\_ (not ride) her tricycle at the moment. She \_\_\_\_\_ (make) a tower with her wooden blocks.
28. My cousin, Eugene \_\_\_\_\_ (stir) the lentil soup and I \_\_\_\_\_ (peel) some potatoes.
29. \_\_\_\_\_ your grandpa \_\_\_\_\_ (mow) the lawn or \_\_\_\_\_ (water) the trees now?
30. Where \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (go), George? To the supermarket or to the butcher's?
31. Theresa \_\_\_\_\_ (walk) her dog at the park and \_\_\_\_\_ (get) some fresh air.
32. What \_\_\_\_\_ your parents \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) at the cinema now? The new sci-fi film?
33. Lawrence \_\_\_\_\_ (draw) a picture of the school building at the moment. He is busy.
34. The kids \_\_\_\_\_ (get) dressed for the party and their father \_\_\_\_\_ (comb) his hair.

# ANSWER KEY

1. is playing
2. isn't doing / is sleeping
3. are swimming
4. are / going
5. Are / riding
6. is vacuuming / am trying
7. is cooking / is making
8. is planting / am watching
9. is knocking
10. are picking
11. Is / washing
12. is looking after
13. are eating
14. is looking for
15. is repairing
16. isn't raining / are / taking
17. is building / are helping
18. is waiting / is wearing
19. aren't doing / are listening / dancing
20. aren't skipping / are playing
21. are sharing / am cleaning / is mopping / is doing / are washing
22. are playing / is watching
23. isn't working / is resting
24. are eating / drinking
25. is sleeping
26. are playing / is counting / are hiding
27. isn't riding / is making
28. is stirring / am peeling
29. Is / mowing / watering
30. are / going
31. is walking / getting
32. are / watching
33. is drawing
34. are getting / is combing