

Present simple

1 Underline the correct answer.

- 1 She *drive* / *drives* to work.
- 2 I *live* / *lives* in Manchester.
- 3 Paul *hates* / *hate* coffee.
- 4 Susi and James *loves* / *love* pop music.
- 5 Our teacher *work* / *works* hard.
- 6 We *gets up* / *get up* early during the week.

2 Write the 3rd person singular affirmative form for the following verbs.

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| 1 wash | <i>washes</i> |
| 2 miss | _____ |
| 3 cry | _____ |
| 4 go | _____ |
| 5 watch | _____ |
| 6 have | _____ |
| 7 teach | _____ |
| 8 fix | _____ |

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 School (start) *starts* at 9.00.
- 2 Mr and Mrs White (go) _____ on holiday twice a year.
- 3 Natalie often (watch) _____ TV in the evening.
- 4 James (study) _____ English and Maths on Mondays.
- 5 My sister and I never (have) _____ a big breakfast.
- 6 I (live) _____ in America.

4 Make these sentences negative.

- 1 They go to school at 8.00.
They don't go to school at 8.00.
- 2 Pete studies German at school.

- 3 We live in a big city.

- 4 She buys music CDs every Saturday.

- 5 The dog sleeps on the armchair.

- 6 Mr and Mrs Jones play tennis.

5 Use the prompts to write questions. Then write the short answers.

- 1 Susan / like soap operas? (✓)
Does Susan like soap operas? Yes, she does.
- 2 you / speak / Spanish? (✗)

- 3 they / drink / tea for breakfast? (✓)

- 4 your mother / wake up / early in the morning? (✓)

- 5 your brother / listen / to loud music? (✗)

- 6 your parents / live / north of Italy? (✗)

6 Put the questions in order. Then answer them for yourself.

- 1 you / play / do / a / instrument / musical?
Do you play a musical instrument? Yes, I do. / No, I don't.
- 2 your / does / work / mother?

- 3 go / school / on / do / Saturdays / you / to?

- 4 like / Robbie Williams / you / do?

- 5 sport / free / time / you / do / in / your / do?

- 6 rock / do / parents / music / your / like?

7 Complete the text about Joe Jones. Use the verbs in the box. Remember to use the correct form of the Present simple!

live run work go watch play eat
enjoy earn have be get up

Joe Jones (1) *is* a professional football player. He (2) _____ his job. He (3) _____ very hard and he (4) _____ a lot of money! He (5) _____ in London. He (6) _____ a very healthy lifestyle. He (7) _____ to bed very early and (8) _____ early in the morning. He (9) _____ fruit and vegetables. Joe (10) _____ football every day. He also (11) _____ 10 kilometres every morning. His friends (12) _____ all his games on TV.