

Simple Present

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1 Picture Dictionary



sleep



eat



drink



laugh



talk



read



write



walk



run



sing

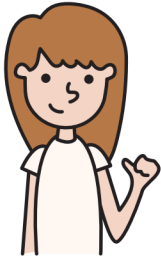


listen



swim

2



I...

Ex



I run.

1



I _____

2



I _____

3



I _____

4



I _____

5



6



7



8





3  **You...**

Ex  You **read.** _____

1  You _____

2  You _____

3  You _____

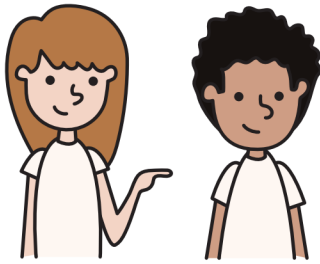
4  You _____

5  _____

6  _____


7  _____


8  _____


4  He...

Ex  He **sleeps.** _____


1  He _____


2  He _____

3  He _____

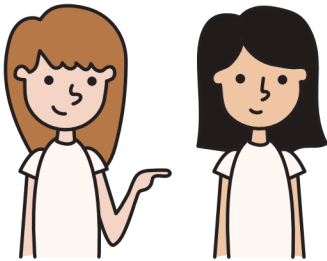
4  He _____

5  _____


6  _____


7  _____


8  _____


5  She...

Ex  She **sings.** _____

1  She _____


2  She _____

3  She _____

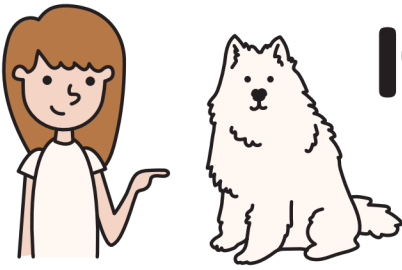
4  She _____

5  _____

6  _____

7  _____

8  _____


6  **It...**

Ex  **It eats.** _____

1  **It** _____

2  **It** _____

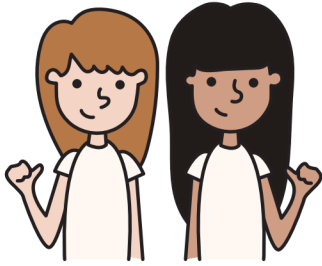
3  **It** _____

4  _____

5  _____

6  _____

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We...

Ex



We **walk.** _____

1



We _____

2



We _____

3



We _____

4



We _____

5



6



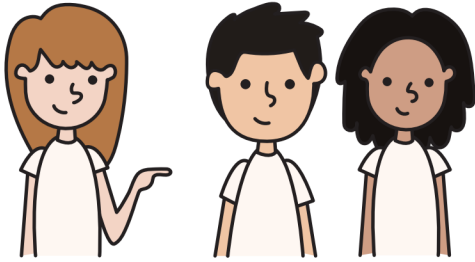
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They...

Ex



They **swim.** _____

1



They _____

2



They _____

3



They _____

4



They _____

5



6



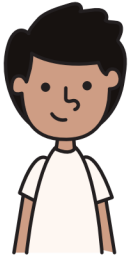
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9 The student...




Ex  The student laughs.

1  The student _____

2  The student _____

3  The student _____

4  The student _____

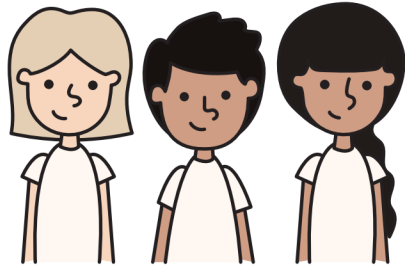
5  _____

6  _____

7  _____

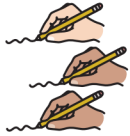
8  _____

10



The students...

Ex



The students **write.**

1



The students _____

2



The students _____

3



The students _____

4



The students _____

5



6



7



8



11 Quiz

Complete the sentence for each picture.

Ex



I **write.** _____

1



You _____

2



He _____

3



She _____

4



It _____

5



We _____

6



They _____

7



The student _____

8



The students _____



Answer Key

Lesson Description:

In this lesson, students practice forming the simple present tense with subject pronouns and nouns. They also learn vocabulary for common actions.

Level: Pre Beg – Beg

Time: 1–2 hours

Tags: simple present, present, verbs, verb tenses, grammar, super simple grammar, sleep, eat, drink, laugh, listen, talk, read, write, walk, run, sing, swim

2 I...

- | | |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. I read . | 5. I laugh . |
| 2. I sing . | 6. I write . |
| 3. I eat . | 7. I walk . |
| 4. I swim . | 8. I sleep . |

5 She...

- | | |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. She sleeps . | 5. She writes . |
| 2. She drinks . | 6. She walks . |
| 3. She reads . | 7. She talks . |
| 4. She runs . | 8. She eats . |

3 You...

- | | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. You swim . | 5. You write . |
| 2. You drink . | 6. You walk . |
| 3. You listen . | 7. You eat . |
| 4. You sing . | 8. You talk . |

6 It...

- | | |
|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. It swims . | 4. It drinks . |
| 2. It runs . | 5. It sleeps . |
| 3. It walks . | 6. It eats . |

4 He...

- | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. He writes . | 5. He reads . |
| 2. He talks . | 6. He walks . |
| 3. He eats . | 7. He runs . |
| 4. He drinks . | 8. He laughs . |

7 We...

- | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. We laugh . | 5. We swim . |
| 2. We read . | 6. We sleep . |
| 3. We run . | 7. We write . |
| 4. We listen . | 8. We talk . |

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Answer Key cont.

8 They...

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|------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. They sing . | 5. They drink . |
| 2. They write . | 6. They listen . |
| 3. They eat . | 7. They walk . |
| 4. They talk . | 8. They sleep . |

9 The student...

- | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. The student reads . | 5. The student walks . |
| 2. The student writes . | 6. The student eats . |
| 3. The student runs . | 7. The student drinks . |
| 4. The student swims . | 8. The student sleeps . |

10 The students...

- | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. The students talk . | 5. The students sing . |
| 2. The students run . | 6. The students walk . |
| 3. The students laugh . | 7. The students swim . |
| 4. The students eat . | 8. The students read . |

11 Quiz

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|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. You walk . | 5. We swim . |
| 2. He talks . | 6. They listen . |
| 3. She sleeps . | 7. The student eats . |
| 4. It runs . | 8. The students read . |

Editor's Notes:

Depending on the level of your students, this lesson can be broken up (by doing one page per day, for example) or completed all at once.

You could follow up by using our Daily Routines flashcard set. Have students pick up a flashcard and make a sentence using "I" + a simple present verb + "every day" (e.g., *I eat breakfast every day*), or use the flashcards in an action guessing game (e.g., A: *What do I do every day?* [*mimes brushing hair*] B: *You brush your hair every day*).

https://esllibrary.com/flashcard_genres/4/flashcard_categories/27

For grammar presentation notes and further practice with the Simple Present, see our Simple Present lesson in the Fun Grammar Lessons section: <https://esllibrary.com/courses/116/lessons/2503>