

PRESENT SIMPLE

IS USED ...

a) to describe our daily routines **'I have a cup of coffee for breakfast'**

b) with adverbs of frequency: **'I often go to the gym.'**

ALWAYS OFTEN USUALLY/NORMALLY
 SOMETIMES/FROM TIME TO TIME RARELY HARDLY EVER NEVER
 EVERY : day, Monday, week, weekend, month, year, morning, afternoon, evening, night etc. **'I call my parents every Monday.'**
 ONCE, TWICE, THREE TIMES, FOUR TIMES a day/week/month/year
'I have a shower once a day.'

c) with timetables

'My English lesson starts at 6 pm and finishes at 7 30 pm.'
'The plane to London leaves at 6:30 pm and arrives in Italy at 8 pm.'

WHEN?

d) to talk about habits and addictions

'Do you smoke?' **'She eats too many sweets.'** .

e) to express natural laws and facts

'Water freezes at 0 degrees' **'The earth goes around the sun.'**

f) with Non-active verbs

to want, to love, to hate, to like, to dislike, to depend on, to belong to, to own, to possess, to owe, to envy, to fear, to cost, to taste, to seem, to believe, to care, to mind, to need, to care, to exist, to hear, to see ...

'It depends on my boss.' **'Where do you want to go?'**

SUBJECT	VERB ADD -S FOR HE/SHE/IT	DO / DOES	SUBJECT	VERB WITHOUT -S	SUBJECT	DON'T/ DOESN'T	VERB WITHO UT -S
I	GO	DO	I	GO?	I	DON'T	GO
YOU	GO	DO	YOU	GO?	YOU	DON'T	GO
HE/SHE /IT	GOES	DOES	HE/SHE/ IT	GO?	HE/SHE /IT	DOESN'T	GO
WE /YOU/ THEY	GO	DO	WE/YOU /THEY	GO?	WE/ YOU/ THEY	DON'T	GO

HOW?

WRITE IT!

1. Create negations and questions.

- ✓ I have a toast for breakfast.
x?
.....?
- ✓ She gets home at about 8 pm.
x?
.....?
- ✓ They get to work by car.
x?
.....?
- ✓ He works 9 hours a day.
x?
.....?
- ✓ My train leaves in 10 minutes.
x?
.....?

2. Complete the sentences:

- She (not/go) to work every day.
Where (they/work)? 'In a hospital.'
My brother (live) close to me.
They (not/drink) a lot of alcohol.
How often (he/visit) his grandparents?
We never (visit) our cousins.
My father (not/read) newspapers.

3. You want to interview one woman. You want to know:

- If she smokes - DO YOU SMOKE?
Where she lives
If her brother lives with her
If she reads many books
If she writes emails every night
If her parents help her with her homework
If her friend Elisa visits her very often.

4. Write down short answers:

- Do you speak Italian? YES, I DO.
Does it mean you don't like me? NO,
Do they come from New Zealand? YES,
Do you know her? NO,
Does it work? YES,
Does he play tennis? YES,
Do I drive well? YES,

5. Write down a question.

- It depends on him. WHO
It means you can go. WHAT ...
They live in Chicago. WHERE ...
She works in a bank. WHERE ...
We finish work at 9 pm. WHEN ...
He picks me up every day. HOW OFTEN ...
I start work at 7 am. WHAT TIME ...

6. Write down a question and an answer: **How often do you...? – I rarely play basketball**

- I go to the swimming pool – often
.....
She calls her parents – sometimes
.....
They brush their teeth – twice a day
.....
He gets dressed in the bathroom – always
.....
We have breakfast – never
.....
She is late – always
.....

SAY IT!

1. Interview your classmate/teacher:

What time do you wake up?

I usually wake up at 6.30am.

Now change the roles.

What time does your bus for work leave?

It leaves at 6.30am.

What time	wake up?
What time	get up?
What	do in the morning?
What	usually have for breakfast?
What time	leave the house?
Where	go ?
How	go/get there?
How long	it take you to get there?
What time	have lunch?
What time	get home?
What	do in the evening?
What time	have dinner?
What time	go to sleep?
What time	fall asleep?

LEAVE, BUS/TRAIN FOR WORK
START, ENGLISH CLASS
FINISH, ENGLISH CLASS

How often do you walk to work?

I hardly ever walk to work.

WALK TO WORK
DO SPORT OR EXERCISE
USE PUBLIC TRANSPORT
EAT VEGETABLES
BE LATE
BE IN A HURRY

Do you want to improve your English?

Yes, I do.

WANT TO IMPROVE ENGLISH
LIKE FOOTBALL
BELONG TO ANY CLUBS OR ORGANIZATIONS
BELIEVE IN LUCK
FEAR SPIDERS
OWN THE HOUSE YOU'RE LIVING IN
OWE SOMEBODY A FAVOUR

Do you drink coffee?

No, I don't. I prefer tea.

DRINK COFFEE
EAT SPICY FOOD
PLAY FOOTBALL
HAVE A BIKE