



6.8. Present progressive or simple present?

Present progressive oder simple present?	Ich kenne den Unterschied zwischen dem present progressive und simple present und kann beide Zeiten anwenden.	
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Selbstcheck: Present progressive or simple present?

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- 1 **Present progressive or simple present?** Find out together with your **teacher OR** watch the **video**.



INPUTPHASE

Deine Lehrkraft erklärt das neue Grammatikthema bevor du selbstständig am Lernpaket weiterarbeiten kannst.

Erklärvideo



- 2 Copy the blue boxes into your study book.

present progressive

Das **present progressive** verwendest du, wenn Ereignisse beschrieben werden, die jetzt gerade geschehen. Du verwendest es auch, wenn du Bilder beschreibst. Es steht oft mit Zeitangaben wie **now, at the moment, today,**

...

simple present

Das **simple present** verwendest du, wenn jemand etwas regelmäßig tut. Es steht oft mit Häufigkeitsadverbien wie **always, often, sometimes, never, every day, ...**

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Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs.

simple present

present progressive

celebrate

Li usually **celebrates** Chinese This year she **is celebrating**

New Year at home. in the street.

wear

Li normally **wears** a school Today she **is wearing** uniform. Chinese clothes.

simple present

Li's cousin often the piano at home.

present progressive

play

Now she the drums.

eat

Jalen and Ben sometimes fast food.

Today they Chinese food.

drive

Jalen usually the red car.

Now he the blue car.

play

Ben and Jalen sometimes football in the park.

Today they the Big Race.

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Put the verbs into the **simple present** or the **present progressive**. There are **signal words** that help you (usually, sometimes, today, now, ...).

1. Tom **usually** (ride) his bike to school, but **today** he (take) the bus.
2. He **often** (have) lunch with Joe, and after lunch they **so-metimes** (play) football together.
3. Tom **usually** (take) sandwiches to school, but **today** he is eating (eat) in the canteen.

4. Tom **sometimes** (go) shopping with Tom after school,

but **now** he (come) home with Joe.

5. Tom **usually** (spend) the evening in his room, but **tonight**

he (watch) a film with Joe.

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Put the verbs into the **simple present** or the **present progressive**. There are **signal words** that help you (usually, sometimes, today, now, ...).

1. Mary (not read) a book now, but she always

(read) in the mornings.

2. Toby (not like) tennis, but at the moment he

(watch) a match with his brother.

3. The boys (not play) football in the park at the

moment because it (rain) today.

4. Jane and June usually (do) their homework right after school,

but today they (visit) their friends after school.

5. The girls (not like) music, but they

(go) to a rock concert at the moment.