

# Present Simple – 2 Answer key

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The Present-Perfect-Simple series is located in the **Verbs-Simple** category on the **Teacher tab**.

Congratulations on finishing the **Present-Simple-2** lesson! This activity sheet provides further practice for you.

## A. Make negative sentences using the present simple.

have

do

work

like

eat

go

talk

1. Joseph **doesn't talk** much in class. He is a very quiet student.
2. Some children **don't like** to eat green vegetables, especially broccoli and spinach.
3. Samuel **doesn't do** much exercise these days. He is a bit lazy now.
4. I generally **don't work** at the weekend. I relax and spend time with my friends and family.
5. Gerardo asked me for some money because he **doesn't have** any this week.
6. The sun **doesn't go** around the earth! The earth moves around the sun!
7. Katie is a vegetarian so she **doesn't eat** meat or fish.

## B. Make positive or negative sentences using the present simple.

fly

have

go

listen

help

do

sleep

1. Mrs McLaughlin **flies** once a month to London. She takes the 9:00am flight.
2. Cathy is always tired in the morning because she **doesn't sleep** very well.
3. You get bad grades at school because you **don't listen** to the teacher.
4. Sally usually **helps** her grandparents do their weekly shopping.
5. Walter and Julie **have** a beautiful modern house.
6. Frank **doesn't go** to piano lessons on Monday. He goes on Tuesday and Friday.
7. You **don't do** any exercise. You need to do something or you will become unfit.

## C. Change the positive present simple sentences to negative sentences.

### Examples sentences

1. Jodie wakes up around 6am every morning.  
**Jodie doesn't wake up around 6am every morning.**
2. Helen and Samantha play on the same school basketball team.  
**Helen and Samantha don't play on the same school basketball team.**
3. Jason and I work for the same company.  
**Jason and I don't work for the same company.**
4. He watches TV at the weekend.  
**He doesn't watch TV at the weekend.**
5. It rains a lot here in winter.  
**It doesn't rain a lot here in winter.**
6. My aunt lives in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.  
**My aunt doesn't live in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.**

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## D. Which is correct?

1. That meat **tastes** terrible! How did you cook it?
2. He **doesn't like** French lessons because he thinks it is a difficult language.
3. Terry always **gets up** at 7am because she needs to be at work by 9am.
4. We **don't take** the bus to school. We prefer to walk.
5. He **doesn't go** to football practice on Saturday because he has a swimming lesson then.
6. I always **eat** breakfast. In my opinion, it's the most important meal of the day.
7. He can't come to the concert because he **doesn't have** a ticket.

## E. Use each verb once. Write a sentence in the negative present simple.

go

have

speak

know

wake up

like

### Examples given

1. I can't meet you today because I **don't have** any free time.
2. Tommy and Sarah **don't know** each other.
3. On Saturday, I **don't wake up** before 9am.
4. He **doesn't like** to visit the dentist.
5. She **doesn't speak** English very well.
6. My dad **doesn't go** to work by train because he prefers **ride his bike**.

## F. Use each verb once, in the positive or negative present simple.

have

do

live

study

go

travel

play



My name is Ali. I am 15 years old and I **live** in Kampala in Uganda, Africa. I **go** to high school. I usually **have** six lessons each day.

After school, I normally **play** football or some other sport with my friends. In the evenings, I generally **study** for two or three hours. I **don't like** doing homework but it is important if I want good grades.

I often **travel** with my family during the school vacation. In Africa there are many interesting places to visit. I hope to visit Europe in the future.

This is the end of the activity sheet.