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| **Present Continuous: Interrogative Form with Short and Long Answers** | | | | | | |
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| **FORM:** | **Interrogative:**  Am I  Are you  Is he  Is she  Is it  Are we  Are you  Are they | | working? | **Short Answers:**  Yes, you are.  No, you aren’t.  Yes, I am.  No, I’m not.  Yes, he is.  No, he isn’t.  Yes, she is.  No, she isn’t.  Yes, it is.  No, it isn’t.  Yes, you are.  No, you aren’t.  Yes, we are.  No, we aren’t.  Yes, they are.  No, they aren’t. | **Long Answers:**  Yes, you are working.  No, you aren’t working.  Yes, I am working.  No, I’m not working.  Yes, he is working.  No, he isn’t working.  Yes, she is working.  No, she isn’t working.  Yes, it is working.  No, it isn’t working.  Yes, you are working.  No, you aren’t working.  Yes, we are working.  No, we aren’t working.  Yes, they are working.  No, they aren’t working. |  |
|  | | **be ( am, is, are) + subject + verb + “-ing”?** | | | | |
| **USE:** | | The **Present Continuous** is also called the Present Progressive. Use the present continuous interrogative form to ask questions about an action that is happening right now; an action in progress. Use the contracted form to answer questions in speaking and in informal writing. The following time expressions are used with the present continuous:  now right now at the moment today at present | | | | |
| **EXAMPLES:** | | *Are you listening to me? Yes, I am.*  *Is she washing the dishes now? No, she isn’t.*  *Are they fixing the bicycle at the moment? Yes, they are.* | | | | |

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| *Use the PRESENT CONTINUOUS to complete the exercise.* |

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| 1. | **( we / leave)** | When \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for our summer vacation? |
| 2. | **(James / work)** | What \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on in the garage? |
| 3. | **(my friend / make)** | What \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for the reception tonight? |
| 4. | **(the employees / meet)** | Where \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for the seminar? |
| 5. | **(Lisa / drive)** | When \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to go visit her grandparents? |

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| *Write the following sentences in the PRESENT CONTINUOUS.* |

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| 1. | John prepares his lunch. | | | | |
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| 2. | The weather turns cold. | | | | |  | |
|  | ***Aff.*** | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | |
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| 3. | Helen reads the newspapers. | | | | |  | |
|  | ***Aff.*** | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | |
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| 4. | You watch television. | | | | |
|  | ***Aff.*** | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | |
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| 5. | My parents travel in the United States. | | | | |  | |
|  | ***Aff.*** | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | |
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| 6. | | June and Jack have their lunch in the cafeteria. | | |  | |
|  | | ***Aff.*** | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |
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| 7. | | The bus stops here. | | |  | |
|  | | ***Aff.*** | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |
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| 8. | | My cousin drives to the country. | | |  | |
|  | | ***Aff.*** | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |
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| 9. | | The student sleeps in the library. | | |  | |
|  | | ***Aff.*** | | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |
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