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## Present Simple Grammar for Ukrainian A2 Level Homework Sheet

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**Due Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Introduction and Instructions

Welcome to the Present Simple Grammar homework sheet! The objective of this assignment is to reinforce the understanding and application of the Present Simple tense in English grammar, tailored for Ukrainian learners at the A2 level. Please follow the instructions carefully and complete all the exercises to the best of your ability. This assignment is estimated to take between 45-60 minutes to complete.

## Review of Present Simple Tense Rules

The Present Simple tense is used to describe habits, routines, and general truths.

The positive form is used to describe what someone does regularly.

The negative form is used to describe what someone does not do regularly.

The question form is used to ask about someone's habits or routines.

Examples:

- I get up at 7:00 AM every morning. (positive)
- My parents do not live in the city. (negative)
- Does she speak English fluently? (question)

## Exercise 1 - Sentence Completion

Complete the following sentences using the correct form of the verb in parentheses in the Present Simple tense:

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ (get) up at 7:00 AM every morning.
2. My parents \_\_\_\_\_ (not/live) in the city.
3. Does she \_\_\_\_\_ (speak) English fluently?
4. We \_\_\_\_\_ (have) breakfast at 8:00 AM.
5. They \_\_\_\_\_ (study) English every day.
6. She \_\_\_\_\_ (not/enjoy) watching TV.
7. He \_\_\_\_\_ (play) football every weekend.
8. We \_\_\_\_\_ (not/travel) abroad often.

## Exercise 2 - Question Formation

Form questions using the Present Simple tense based on the given statements:

1. Statement: I live in Kyiv. Your question: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Statement: They study English every day. Your question: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Statement: She likes reading books. Your question: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Statement: He plays guitar every day. Your question: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Statement: We have dinner at 7:00 PM. Your question: \_\_\_\_\_

### Exercise 3 - Fill in the Blanks

Read the passage and fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb in parentheses in the Present Simple tense:

"I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the gym three times a week. My friend \_\_\_\_\_ (not/like) going to the gym, but she \_\_\_\_\_ (enjoy) jogging in the park. We \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) at the park every Saturday. They \_\_\_\_\_ (not/study) English on weekends."

#### Exercise 4 - Conversation Practice

Imagine you are talking to a friend about your daily routine. Write a short conversation (about 10 lines) using the Present Simple tense to talk about what you do every day:

Example:

You: "I get up at 7:00 AM every morning. What about you?"

Friend: "I get up at 8:00 AM. What do you do after you wake up?"

You: "I have breakfast and then go to school. What about you?"

Friend: "I have breakfast and then go to work."

### Extension Activity - Write a Journal Entry

Write a short journal entry about your typical day, using the Present Simple tense to describe your daily activities:

Example:

"I get up at 7:00 AM every morning. I have breakfast and then go to school. I study English every day. After school, I go to the gym. I meet my friends at the park every Saturday."

## Extension Activity - Create a Quiz

Develop a short quiz with 5 questions that test the understanding of the Present Simple tense:

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1. What do you do every morning?
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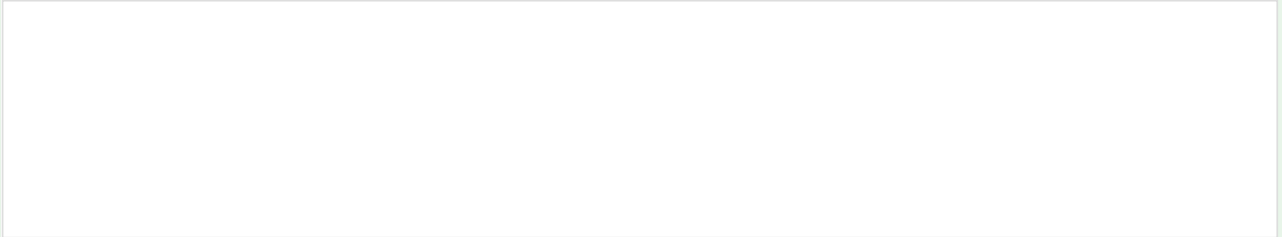
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## Reflection and Feedback

Reflect on what you learned and what you found challenging.

Make a note of any areas you need to revisit and adjust your study plan accordingly.

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# Advanced Concepts

The Present Simple tense is also used to describe habits and routines that are true for a long time. For example, "I always get up at 7:00 AM" or "She never eats breakfast." It is also used to describe general truths, such as "The sun rises in the east" or "Water boils at 100 degrees Celsius."

Key concepts to remember:

- Habits and routines
- General truths
- Use of adverbs of frequency (always, never, usually, etc.)

## Example

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## Error Analysis

Common errors made by Ukrainian learners of English when using the Present Simple tense include:

Common errors:

- Using the incorrect form of the verb (e.g. "I goes" instead of "I go")
- Forgetting to use the auxiliary verb "do" in negative sentences (e.g. "I no eat" instead of "I do not eat")
- Using the Present Simple tense instead of the Present Continuous tense (e.g. "I go to the store" instead of "I am going to the store")

## Case Study

A Ukrainian learner of English, Ivan, often makes mistakes when using the Present Simple tense. For example, he says "I goes to the gym" instead of "I go to the gym." To correct this error, Ivan's teacher explains the correct form of the verb and provides examples of correct usage.

## Teaching Tips

When teaching the Present Simple tense to Ukrainian learners of English, it is essential to provide clear explanations and examples of correct usage. Teachers can use a variety of activities, such as grammar exercises, role-plays, and conversations, to help learners practice using the Present Simple tense correctly.

Teaching tips:

- Provide clear explanations and examples
- Use a variety of activities to practice correct usage
- Focus on common errors and provide feedback

## Research Task

Research and create a list of common errors made by Ukrainian learners of English when using the Present Simple tense. Provide examples of each error and suggest ways to correct them.

## Conclusion

In conclusion, the Present Simple tense is a fundamental grammar structure in English that is used to describe habits, routines, and general truths. Ukrainian learners of English often make errors when using this tense, but with clear explanations, examples, and practice, they can improve their accuracy and fluency.

## Extension

Create a short quiz to test learners' understanding of the Present Simple tense. Include a variety of question types, such as multiple choice, fill-in-the-blank, and short answer.

## Assessment

To assess learners' understanding of the Present Simple tense, teachers can use a variety of assessment tools, such as quizzes, tests, and assignments. It is essential to provide clear instructions and feedback to help learners improve their accuracy and fluency.

Assessment tools:

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- Tests
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## Future Directions

Future research can focus on the development of more effective teaching methods and materials for teaching the Present Simple tense to Ukrainian learners of English. Additionally, the use of technology, such as online quizzes and games, can be explored to enhance learners' engagement and motivation.

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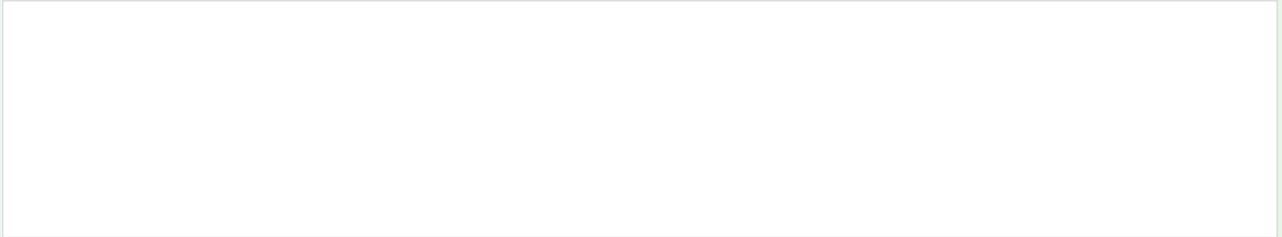
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