

Present Simple Tense Practice Activities

Warm-Up: Daily Routine Matching (10 minutes)

Match the time expressions with the correct daily activities. Then, write complete sentences using the present simple tense.

Time Expression	Activity	Complete Sentence
every morning	drink coffee	
twice a week	go to the gym	
on weekends	visit friends	

Grammar Detective Challenge (15 minutes)

Find and correct the errors in these present simple sentences. Explain why each correction is needed.

1. Maria work in a hospital as nurse.

2. They doesn't understand the question.

3. Do he live in Rome?

4. The shops closes at 8:00 PM.

5. I studying English three times a week.

Professional Communication Practice (20 minutes)

Complete the dialogue using the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

At a Business Meeting:

Marco: Hello, I (work) _____ for Italian Tech Solutions.

Sarah: Nice to meet you! What (do) _____ your company (do) _____?

Marco: We (develop) _____ software for restaurants.

Sarah: That's interesting! How many clients (have) _____ you currently?
Marco: We (serve) _____ over 200 restaurants in Italy.

Write your own similar dialogue here:

Frequency Adverbs Practice (15 minutes)

Place the frequency adverbs (*always, usually, often, sometimes, rarely, never*) in the correct position in these sentences.

1. They _____ eat pasta for dinner. (often)

2. She _____ arrives late to work. (never)

3. We _____ go to the beach in summer. (always)

4. The bus _____ comes on time. (usually)

Create your own sentences using frequency adverbs:

Cultural Exchange Activity (20 minutes)

Compare daily routines in Italy and English-speaking countries. Write complete sentences using the present simple tense.

Activity	In Italy	In English-speaking countries
Breakfast time		
Lunch break		
Dinner habits		

Present Simple for Facts & Habits (25 minutes)

Create true/false statements about scientific facts and personal habits using the present simple tense.

Scientific Facts

1. Water _____ (boil) at 100 degrees Celsius.
2. The Earth _____ (rotate) around the Sun.
3. Plants _____ (need) sunlight for photosynthesis.
4. Penguins _____ (live) in Antarctica.

Write your own scientific facts:

Personal Habits

Interview three classmates about their daily habits and fill in the table:

Name	Morning Habit	Evening Habit	Weekend Habit

Question Formation Challenge (30 minutes)

Practice forming different types of questions in the present simple tense.

Yes/No Questions

Transform these statements into yes/no questions:

1. Tom speaks Chinese fluently.
2. They live in Paris.
3. The museum opens at 9 AM.

Wh- Questions

Create questions using the given wh- words:

1. Where (you/live)?
2. What time (the movie/start)?
3. How often (she/practice piano)?
4. Why (they/study English)?

Third Person Singular Rules (20 minutes)

Practice the spelling rules for third person singular verbs.

Add -s

work → works, play → plays, eat → eats

Add more examples:

Add -es (after ss, sh, ch, x, o)

wash → washes, watch → watches, go → goes

Add more examples:

Change y to i and add -es

study → studies, try → tries

Add more examples:

Time Expressions Mastery (25 minutes)

Create sentences using different time expressions commonly used with the present simple.

Time Expression	Example Sentence	Your Sentence
every day	She checks her email every day.	
once a week	The club meets once a week.	
on Mondays	The library closes early on Mondays.	
in the morning	They exercise in the morning.	

Writing Task: Daily Schedule (30 minutes)

Write a detailed description of your typical day using the present simple tense.

Morning Routine:

Work/Study Activities:

Evening Activities:

Weekend Activities:

Final Assessment Activities

Complete these exercises to demonstrate your mastery of the present simple tense.

1. Error Correction (10 points)

Find and correct the errors in these sentences:

1. The sun rise in the east.
2. My sister don't like chocolate.
3. We goes to school by bus.
4. The movie start at 8 PM.
5. She study French on Tuesdays.

2. Question Formation (10 points)

Create questions for these answers:

1. Answer: Yes, she works at the hospital.
2. Answer: I wake up at 7 AM.
3. Answer: They play tennis twice a week.
4. Answer: No, he doesn't speak Spanish.
5. Answer: The train arrives at platform 3.

Final Practice and Review (15 minutes)

Create a summary of what you've learned about the present simple tense.

Key Points to Remember:

- Use present simple for:
 - Regular actions and habits
 - General truths
 - Scheduled events

Write three examples using what you've learned:

Homework Assignment

Write a short paragraph about your daily routine using the present simple tense. Include at least:

- 5 different verbs
- 2 frequency adverbs
- 3 time expressions
