

Simple Present - Test 1

Key

A - Put in the correct verb forms.

- 1) Andy washes the family car.
 a) wash
 b) washes
 c) washs
- 2) Every morning my mother gets up at 6 o'clock.
 a) get up
 b) get ups
 c) gets up
- 3) Mr. Black writes e-mails in the evenings.
 a) write
 b) writes
 c) writs
- 4) The girls do the shopping.
 a) dos
 b) does
 c) do
- 5) Mandy and Susan watch films every weekend.
 a) watches
 b) watch
 c) watchs
- 6) His friend goes to school.
 a) gos
 b) go
 c) goes
- 7) Do you like milk in your tea?
 a) like
 b) likes
 c) likes
- 8) Am I correct?
 a) Are
 b) Be
 c) Am
 d) Is
- 9) It is a beautiful day today.
 a) am
 b) are
 c) be
 d) is
- 10) John often plays handball.
 a) play
 b) plays
 c) playes

B - Which sentences/questions are correct?

1) Which sentence is in the Simple Present?

- a) He can a bike ride.
 b) He can ride a bike.
 c) He can rides a bike.
 d) He cans ride a bike.

2) Which sentence is in the Simple Present?

- a) He has read a book.
 b) He is reading a book.
 c) He read a book.
 d) He reads a book.
 e) He will read a book.

3) Which negative sentence is in the Simple Present?

- a) He do not reads a book.
 b) He does not read a book.
 c) He is not reading a book.
 d) He not read a book.

4) Which negative sentence is in the Simple Present?

- a) We do'nt work in a bank.
 b) We does not work in a bank.
 c) We don't work in a bank.

5) Which question is in the Simple Present?

- a) Do she work in an office?
- b) Do she works in an office?
- c) Does she work in an office?
- d) Work she in an office?
- e) Works she in an office?

6) Which question is in the Simple Present?

- a) From where do you come?
- b) Where do you come from?
- c) Where does you come from?
- d) Where dos you come from?

7) In which sentence is the Simple Present used correctly?

- a) Carol clean the bathroom.
- b) Carol cleans the bathroom.

8) In which sentence is the Simple Present used correctly?

- a) Andrew wash the dishes.
- b) Andrew washes the dishes.
- c) Andrew washs the dishes.

C - Form questions in the Simple Present.

- 1) Frank / to read / comics
- 2) what / they / to eat / for breakfast
- 3) when / his mum / to come / home
- 4) to be / Peter / from Austria
- 5) Marie and Joe / to like / homework
- 6) you / to walk / to school
- 7) where / she / to live
- 8) why / you / to ride / your bike
- 9) how / Linda / to go / to the park
- 10) can / Ron / to speak / English

Does Frank read comics?
 What do they eat for breakfast?
 When does his mum come home?
 Is Peter from Austria?
 Do Marie and Joe like homework?
 Do you walk to school?
 Where does she live?
 Why do you ride your bike?
 How does Linda go to the park?
 Can Ron speak English?

D - Negate the sentences.

- 1) Kevin plays basketball.
- 2) Steve can make breakfast.
- 3) I run to school.
- 4) The kite flies into the air.
- 5) He is from Spain.
- 6) Mr Smith teaches French.
- 7) Sandy washes her hair.
- 8) The children know the answer.
- 9) She sits on a chair.
- 10) Anne and Sue carry a box.

Kevin doesn't play basketball.
 Steve can not make breakfast.
 I don't run to school.
 The kite doesn't fly into the air.
 He isn't (is not) from Spain.
 Mr. Smith doesn't teach French.
 Sandy doesn't wash her hair.
 The children don't know the answer.
 She doesn't sit on a chair.
 Anne and Sue don't carry a box.

E - Put in the verbs in brackets into the gaps.

- 1) Jill has two children. (to have)
- 2) The pupils sing songs in the classroom. (to sing)
- 3) Andy's brother works in an office. (to work)
- 4) She is my sister. (to be)
- 5) Do you speak English? (to speak)
- 6) The boys don't play computer games. (not/to play)
- 7) I often go to the cinema. (to go)
- 8) Does she collect stamps? (to collect)
- 9) Peter doesn't write e-mails. (not/to write)
- 10) She flies to Menorca every summer. (to fly)

F - Which answers are correct?

1) Which verb forms are used in the Simple Present?

- a) Infinitiv
- b) Infinitiv + -ed
- c) Infinitiv + -ing
- d) Infinitiv + s
- e) have + Infinitiv + -ed

2) Which verb forms are correct?

- a) she are
- b) she has
- c) she hase
- d) she is
- e) she plays
- f) she plaies

3) Which verb forms are correct?

- a) he flies
- b) he flys
- c) he lives
- d) he livees
- e) he workes
- f) he works

4) Which sentences/questions are in the Simple Present?

- a) He's 15.
- b) Do you speak Spanish?
- c) I'm in room 201.
- d) She didn't help her mother.
- e) She doesn't like milk.
- f) We are reading a book.
- g) She drives a car.

5) What are typical signal words for the Simple Present?

- a) always
- b) at the moment
- c) every day
- d) now
- e) often
- f) sometimes
- g) yesterday

6) Which verbs/auxiliaries can be negated by adding >not<?

- a) am
- b) read
- c) can
- d) is
- e) play
- f) are
- g) speak

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