

### Exercise 3 Present Simple and Present Continuous

Complete the sentences with the Present Simple or the Present Continuous form of the verbs in parentheses.

Example

"Be quiet! I 'm watching (watch) this movie!"

1. We usually \_\_\_\_\_ (take) the bus to town, but today we \_\_\_\_\_ (go) by car.
2. A Where \_\_\_\_\_ you usually \_\_\_\_\_ (go) on Friday evenings?  
B To the movies.
3. A It's 11:30. Why \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (work) so late?  
B Because I \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a lot of homework.
4. A Where \_\_\_\_\_ your parents \_\_\_\_\_ ? (live)  
B In a small town near Buffalo.  
A \_\_\_\_\_ they \_\_\_\_\_ (like) living in the country?  
B Yes, they do.
5. A What \_\_\_\_\_ you usually \_\_\_\_\_ (have) for breakfast?  
B Toast. But today I \_\_\_\_\_ (have) some fruit because there isn't any bread.
6. A The telephone \_\_\_\_\_ (ring). Can you answer it?  
B OK.

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Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in parentheses.

Example

I often watch (watch) TV in the evenings, but tonight 'm going (go) to the movies.

1. Paul \_\_\_\_\_ (smoke) 20 cigarettes a day, but he \_\_\_\_\_ (not smoke) now because he's in class.
2. Alice and Peter \_\_\_\_\_ (look) for a new house. They \_\_\_\_\_ (not like) living in Los Angeles.
3. I always \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) nice clothes to work. Today I \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) a blue jacket and skirt.
4. "Why \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to bed? It's only 10:00." "I always \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to bed early."
5. Jane \_\_\_\_\_ (work) in a bank, but today she's at home. She \_\_\_\_\_ (write) letters.