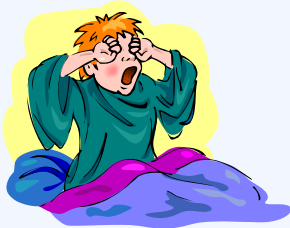


THE PRESENT SIMPLE

EXERCISE 1.

What do the following characters do every day?

E.G.

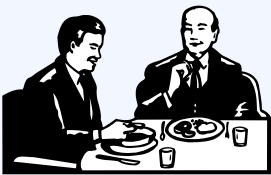
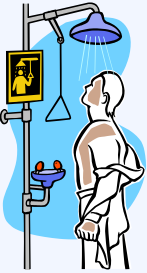
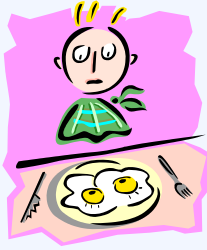


Bob / 7.30

Bob wakes up at 7.30







EXERCISE 2

Read the following text and answer the questions:

Tom usually gets up at 7.30. He has a shower, gets dressed and has breakfast with his wife and his two children. Then he goes to work. He works in a hospital: he is a doctor. He starts at 9 a.m. and he finishes at 6 p.m. During the morning he visits his patients and he talks to them. At 1 o'clock he has lunch with his colleagues. When he finishes work he walks to the swimming pool, where he has a swim. Then he goes home and he plays with his children. They have dinner at 8 p.m. After dinner he listens to music or he watches TV. He usually goes to bed at 11.30.

1. What time does Tom usually get up?

2. Where does he work?

3. What time does he start work?

4. What does he usually do in the morning?

5. What does he do at 1 o'clock?

6. When does he go to the swimming pool?

7. What does he do when he goes home?

8. What time does he usually have dinner?

9. What does he do after dinner?

10. What time does he go to bed?

EXERCISE 3

Rewrite these sentences in the question form:

e.g. I eat toast for breakfast.

Do you eat toast for breakfast?

1. I wake up at 7 a.m.

2. I have a shower.

3. I have breakfast at 7.30.

4. I go to work.

5. Bob likes pop music.

6. They want to eat an ice-cream.

7. Tom has lunch with Meg.

8. Jim listens to music.

9. We get up at 8.30.

11. Meg goes to the theatre.

EXERCISE 4

Rewrite these sentences in the negative:

1. James works with Tom.

2. You listen to the radio.

3. We walk to the park.

4. I sleep from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m.

5. They want to drink a coffee.

6. They go to bed at 11 p.m.

7. Sam has lunch at 1 p.m.

8. I like dogs.

9. I know the meaning of this word.

10. Richard cycles to work.

EXERCISE 5

Write questions using the prompts.

e.g. *What / be / this?*

What is this?

1. where / you / from?

2. who / she?

3. you / be / happy / now?

4. how / be / Mary / today?

5. Alan / be / one of your school mates?

6. this / be / Mike's kite?

EXERCISE 6

Write questions related to the following answers.

e.g. I am from Greece.

Where are you from?

1. That is Joe, one of my best friends.

2. Yes, it is.

3. No she isn't. My mother is a housewife.

4. The director of the company is 40 years old.

5. No. I am not. I am from Oxford.

6. Her name is Lucy.

7. This is a skipping rope.

8. No, they aren't. They are from Brazil.

EXERCISE 7

Match the questions with the correct answer.

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|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 1. What are you like? | I'm fine |
| 2. What is he like? | He's tall and thin |
| 3. How is she? | He's all right |
| 4. How are you? | She's short and fat |
| 5. What is she like? | I'm slim and dark |
| 6. How is he? | She's tired |

EXERCISE 8

Read the dialogue and correct the mistakes, rewrite the correct version in the space provided.

“He has tall with white hairs. He's about 45 year old, and he do have three children.

He works to a shop. He get up at 7.00a.m. He a happy man, and he sing in the shower.

If his wife hear him, she want to kill he!”

EXERCISE 9

Make true sentences.

I	am	Italian/English/Spanish/other
My friend	is/isn't	swim/ski/dance/sing old/young
My teacher	can/can't	easy/difficult

e.g. I am Italian.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

EXERCISE 10

Match the questions and answers.

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|--------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Can you describe him? | Yes, you can. |
| 2. Can you hear me? | He's tall and blond. |
| 3. Can I have a pizza? | No, he can't |
| 4. Can she swim? | No, I can't |
| 5. Can he ski? | Yes, she can |

EXERCISE 11

Fill in the gaps with a suitable form of the verb:

e.g. *My teacher says to me: Be quiet! (to be)*

1. My boss says to me: _____ to work late! (to not come)
2. My dancing partner says to me: _____ your head! (to not move)
3. My child says to me: _____ at me! (to look)
4. My friend says to me: _____ with me! (to come)

EXERCISE 12

Choose the correct verb to complete the sentences.

e.g. You smoke/eat/sleep a cigar.

1. He rides/catches/drives a bicycle.
2. I climb/watch/see the Eiffel Tower.
3. She sings/shouts/meets a song.
4. I play/kill/sound the violin.
5. You write/speak/hear letters.
6. He sees/hears/watches television.
7. She feels/wants/speaks ill.
8. They kill/die/live people.
9. She eats/walks/watches meat.

EXERCISE 13

Fill in the spaces with a suitable verb.

I _____ *get up* _____ at 7.30 A.M. and then I _____ a shower/bath. I _____ and _____, so I'm not hungry. I also _____ a cup of coffee. I _____ the car and _____ to work, but sometimes if the weather is nice I _____. I _____ for four hours, and then _____ at 1 P.M. I _____ work at 6 P.M., and then I _____ home.

EXERCISE 14

Correct the mistakes in the description about Michael.

“He name is Michael and he a Spanish teacher. He has 25 years old. His birthday is in 15th July. He live in Milan but his from Spain. He's two brothers. They called Julio and Christian. He family live in Barcelona.”

EXERCISE 15

Look at Bob's timetable and answer the following questions:

TIME	ACTION
7.30 a.m.	<i>WAKES UP</i>
8:00 a.m.	<i>GETS UP, WASHES, GETS DRESSED</i>
8:30 a.m.	<i>HAS BACON AND EGGS FOR BREAKFAST</i>
9:00 a.m.	<i>DRIVES TO WORK</i>
9:30 a.m.	<i>STARTS WORKING</i>
11:00 a.m.	<i>GOES FOR A COFFEE WITH HIS COLLEAGUES</i>
1:00 p.m.	<i>HAS LUNCH AT THE IRISH PUB</i>
5:00 p.m.	<i>LEAVES OFFICE</i>
6:00 p.m.	<i>GOES JOGGING</i>
7:00 p.m.	<i>GOES OUT FOR DINNER WITH JANET</i>
10:00 p.m.	<i>WATCHES "HURLING" ON TV</i>
11:30 p.m.	<i>GOES SLEEPING</i>

1. What does Bob do at 8:00 a.m.?

2. What does Bob have for breakfast?

3. Does he go for lunch alone?

4. What does Bob usually do in the afternoon?

5. Does he go to bed very late at night?

6. Does he usually go jogging in the morning?

7. What time does he go out with Janet?

8. What does he like watching on TV?

EXERCISE 17

Read the dialogue and correct the mistakes.

John: Hey, Susan! How goes you?

Susan: Fine! I happy today, because it's weekend. I want go to cinema tonight, but I doesn't know if I can.

John: What not?

Susan: My grandparents and my cousins come to dinner in Saturday nights and so I have stay in home.

John: Oh well, mind never. Maybe you can goes tomorrow?

We can goes together~ there a good horror films on at the Odeon.

Susan: Oh, no, not a horror film! They is horrible~ I don't likes bloods.

John: Really? I love!

