

Simple Present or Present Continuous?

Complete as lacunas nas frases, colocando os verbos entre parênteses no Simple Present ou no Present Continuous.

1. Tim never _____ (clean) up his bedroom.
2. Deborah _____ (prepare) dinner at the moment.
3. I _____ (talk) to my best friend now.
4. We _____ (have) a briefing every Monday morning.
5. _____ (he/play) basketball now?
6. Look! Our dog _____ (sleep).
7. _____ (you/come) to the party? You're late!
8. What time _____ (the bank/open)?
9. _____ (you/kid) me now?
10. Everyone _____ (work) on the project now.
11. Shhhhh! Be quiet! My son _____ (sleep).
12. Look! They _____ (watch) TV.
13. _____ (Joe/know) that _____ (you/have) feelings for him?
14. I _____ (not/know) why she _____ (not wear) her uniform right now.
15. I know that Sam _____ (not/play) the piano really well right now, but he usually _____ (play) amazingly well.
16. Mark _____ (have lunch) at noon every day.
17. She _____ (live) in Poland, but right now she _____ (visit) Sicily for business.
18. _____ (you/travel) for business frequently?
19. What _____ (you/do) right now?
20. Sean _____ (not drink) coffee, he _____ (not like) it.
21. My sister _____ (be) tall and she _____ (have) dark hair and blue eyes.
22. I _____ (not believe) in fortune tellers.
23. She _____ (practice) her piano lessons right now.
24. We _____ (walk) to work every day.
25. Tom _____ (get up) at noon on Sundays.
26. I _____ (like) pasta very much.
27. My grandma _____ (enjoy) visiting her grandchildren.
28. They _____ (practice) their piano lessons in the living room.

29. They _____ (play) chess on the weekends.
30. We _____ (not believe) in miracles.
31. He _____ (wash) his own clothes.
32. Peter _____ (not smoke) too much.
33. My grandfather _____ (not know) anything about music.
34. Ernest _____ (have) a shop. He _____ (sell) plants.
35. I always _____ (wear) comfortable clothes.
36. Mom _____ (wash) the dishes now. She always _____
(wash) the dishes after every meal.
37. Kim _____ (have) a shower now.
38. We _____ (not do) the homework after class.
39. I _____ (study/usually) in the morning.
40. Tom and Peter _____ (have) breakfast at the moment.
41. Elisa sometimes _____ (get) home at 6.
42. On the weekends, Paul _____ (meet/always) his friends at the club.
43. My daughter _____ (study) English, but now she _____
(study) Spanish.
44. Steve usually _____ (go) to work by bus.
45. We can't go to the park now. It _____ (rain).
46. Sarah usually _____ (take) a bus to work but now she
_____ (go) by car.
47. We _____ (not swim) now.
48. I _____ (not cook) dinner at the moment. I _____ (watch)
TV.
49. Lisa _____ (not do) karate on Saturdays. She _____ (do)
karate on Wednesdays and Fridays.
50. Children usually _____ (ask) many questions.
51. Look! Susan _____ (climb) that tree!
52. My teacher always _____ (give) a lot of homework.
53. I _____ (not like) spinach.
54. The students _____ (not do) the exercises at the moment.

Answer key

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1. Tim never **cleans** (clean) up his bedroom.
2. Deborah **is preparing** (prepare) dinner at the moment.
3. **I'm talking** (talk) to my best friend now.
4. We **have** (have) a briefing every Monday morning.
5. **Is he playing** (he/play) basketball now?
6. Look! Our dog **is sleeping** (sleep).
7. **Are you coming** (you/come) to the party? You're late!
8. What time **does the bank open** (the bank/open)?
9. **Are you kidding** (you/kid) me now?
10. Everyone **is working** (work) on the project now.
11. Shhhhhh! Be quiet! My son **is sleeping** (sleep).
12. Look! They **are watching** (watch) TV.
13. **Does Joe know** (Joe/know) that **you have** (you/have) feelings for him?
14. I **don't know** (not/know) why she **is not wearing** (not wear) her uniform right now.
15. I know that Sam **isn't playing** (not/play) the piano really well right now, but he usually **plays** (play) amazingly well.
16. Mark **has lunch** (have lunch) at noon every day.
17. She **lives** (live) in Poland, but right now she **is visiting** (visit) Sicily for business.
18. **Do you travel** (you/travel) for business frequently?
19. What **are you doing** (you/do) right now?
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21. My sister **is** (be) tall and she **has** (have) dark hair and blue eyes.
22. I **don't believe** (not believe) in fortune tellers.
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