



# Present Simple!

*Second day ; STILL basic*

# Present Simple?

We use the **Present Simple** for things that are *true in general*, or for things which are *repeated every day*, every week, every year, etc.



- The earth goes around the sun.
- I get up at 8 o'clock.
- During the week I have swimming practice on Mondays.
- I like chocolate.



There are **TWO** forms for Present Simple.



# AFFIRMATIVE FORM

- I **play** soccer with my peers.
  - We **like** watching Netflix every weekend.
  - You **work** in an important company.
  - They **live** in my street.
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- He **reads** the Guardian every morning.
  - She **likes** studying foreign languages.
  - It **rains** a lot in winter.



# NEGATIVE FORM



- I **do NOT live** in Mexico City.
  - We **do NOT watch** horror movies
  - You **do NOT do** your homework.
  - They **do NOT have** a pet.
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- He **DOES NOT work** in Google.
  - She **DOES NOT live** in Canada.
  - It **DOES NOT belong** here



A bit more about the forms

# SHORT FORM/SPELLING

TCHNIIENGLISH



# Plural & I

DO NOT = **DON'T**

- I DON'T work in an office. My brother works in a bank.

# Singular

DOES NOT = **DOESN'T**

- Sue doesn't eat breakfast.

## SPELLING conjugation [AFFIRMATIVE]

-es after -s/-sh/-ch

pass -> passes

finish -> finishes

watch -> watches

-y -> -ies

study -> studies

try -> tries

do -> does

go -> goes

# QUESTION FORM

For most verbs we use the present simple of the verb do/ does + subject + base form, to make questions:

***Do you see him on Wednesdays?***

- **Yes, I do (see him on Wednesdays).**
- **No, I don't (see him on Wednesdays).**

***Does Jack like sports?***

- **Yes, he does (likes sports).**
- **No, he doesn't (like sports).**



# ADVERBS of frequency

We often use words in order to explain more about the time, for example *sometimes, often, usually, etc.*

**Subject + Adverb of Frequency + verb**

- She ALWAYS gets to work early.
- I USUALLY drive to work, but I SOMETIMES walk.
- We OFTEN sleep late on weekends.

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