

# Fill in MAKE or DO.

- **make** the decorations
- **do** the dusting
- **do** your homework
- **make** a phone call
- **do** the gardening

**MAKE or DO ?**

do

make

- **make** tea
- **make** a special dish
- **do** the washing-up
- **do** the shopping
- **make** a cake

# Present Continuous

## UNFINISHED ACTIONS NOW

I'm working at the moment.

Use with: now, at the moment.

## TEMPORARY SITUATIONS

I'm living in London.

Use with: at the moment, for a few weeks, for a couple of months.

## TEMPORARY HABITS

He's eating a lot these days.

Use with: at the moment, these days.

## ANNOYING HABITS

You're forever losing your keys!

Use with: always, forever, constantly.

## DEFINITE FUTURE PLANS

I'm meeting my father tomorrow.

Use with: tomorrow, later, at 7pm tonight, on Tuesday.

PRESENT

FUTURE

PRESENT  
CONTINUOUS

We use Present Continuous

1. to express things happening at the time of speaking.

*It's raining now. Stay at home.*

2. to express temporary situations.

*We are working hard today.*

3. to express irritation.

*He is always arguing!*

4. to show that something is changing.

*The weather is getting colder and colder.*

5. to express future planned actions.

*We're leaving for New York this evening.*

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I **am working** now.

She **is working** now.

They **are working** now

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She **isn't working** now.

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**Is she working** now? Yes, she **is**.

**Why are they working** now?

Now сейчас

At the moment в данный момент

At present в настоящее время

Nowadays в настоящее время

These days в наши дни

Today сегодня

Tomorrow завтра

Next month в следующем месяце

## Mind the spelling rules.

★ Remember:

It's raining.

**BUT**

We're getting wet.

The sun is shining.

get + **t** + **-ing** = getting

shine**e** – shining



➤ We usually add **-ing** to the verb to form the present participle.

*wait – waiting; wear – wearing; read – reading*

➤ When verbs end in one or more consonant + **e**, we omit the **y** and add **-ing**.

*come – coming; take – taking; save – saving*

➤ When a verb has only one syllable and finishes with one vowel + one consonant (except w, x, y), we **double** the consonant and add **-ing**.

*put – putting; chat – chatting; shop – shopping*

Look at the pictures to write what the people are doing.



am/is/are + V+ing



1. They / look / family photos / now.
2. She / work / on her computer / at the moment.
3. They / have lunch / right now.
4. He / read a book / at the moment.
5. They / play golf / now.
6. Look! She / talk / on the phone.

