

## Present Simple vs Present Continuous / Practice Test

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Choose the option that best completes each item.

1. John \_\_\_\_\_ basketball every weekend.  
a) plays      b) is playing      c) play
2. What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ on the computer right now?  
a) do / do      b) are / doing      c) do / doing
3. Mary \_\_\_\_\_ coffee every morning.  
a) drinks      b) is drinking      c) drink
4. She \_\_\_\_\_ English with a private tutor this month.  
a) learn      b) is learning      c) learns
5. He \_\_\_\_\_ the car to work today.  
a) drives      b) is driving      c) drive
6. The sun \_\_\_\_\_ in the east.  
a) rises      b) is rising      c) rise
7. Tom and Alice \_\_\_\_\_ in the same school.  
a) studies      b) are studying      c) study
8. The store \_\_\_\_\_ at 9 PM every day.  
a) closes      b) is closing      c) close
9. Cats \_\_\_\_\_ milk.  
a) like      b) is liking      c) likes
10. The bus \_\_\_\_\_ in front of the station.  
a) stops      b) are stopping      c) stop
11. Sarah \_\_\_\_\_ a book right now.  
a) read      b) reads      c) is reading
12. They \_\_\_\_\_ a movie at the cinema tonight.  
a) watch      b) is watching      c) are watching
13. Look! The kids \_\_\_\_\_ in the pool.  
a) swim      b) is swimming      c) are swimming

14. We \_\_\_\_\_ a new restaurant this weekend.  
a) try    b) are trying    c) tries
15. We \_\_\_\_\_ English at the language school.  
a) learn    b) is learning    c) learns
16. It \_\_\_\_\_ hot in the summer.  
a) gets    b) is getting    c) get
17. The train to London \_\_\_\_\_ at 8 AM.  
a) leaves    b) is leaving    c) leave
18. Mark \_\_\_\_\_ his friends for dinner tomorrow.  
a) meet    b) is meeting    c) meets
19. The baby \_\_\_\_\_ loudly in the other room.  
a) cries    b) is crying    c) cry
20. The chef \_\_\_\_\_ a delicious cake for the party.  
a) bakes    b) is baking    c) bake

#### Answer Key

1. a
2. b
3. a
4. b
5. b
6. a
7. c
8. a
9. a
10. a
11. c
12. c
13. c
14. b
15. a
16. a
17. a
18. b
19. b
20. b