



## Present Simple and Continuous Forms

PRESENT SIMPLE		PRESENT CONTINUOUS		
FORM	<b>POSITIVE:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• I give</li> <li>• You give</li> <li>• He/she/it gives</li> <li>• We give</li> <li>• They give</li> </ul>	<b>Spelling with 3<sup>rd</sup> person -s ending:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do/does</li> <li>• Go/goes</li> <li>• Have/has</li> <li>• Live/lives</li> <li>• Wash/washes</li> <li>• Teach/teaches</li> <li>• Study/studies</li> </ul>	<b>TO BE + ING FORM</b>	
	<b>NEGATIVE:</b> I don't live / He doesn't live		<b>NEGATIVE:</b> I'm not washing my clothes / He isn't watching TV	
	<b>QUESTION:</b> Does he live in Boston?	<b>SHORT ANSWER:</b> Yes, he does No, he doesn't	<b>QUESTION:</b> Is she washing her clothes?	<b>SHORT ANSWER:</b> Yes, she is No, she isn't
	<b>Wh- questions:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Where</b> do you live?</li> <li>○ <b>How</b> do you get to school?</li> <li>○ <b>What</b> do firemen do?</li> <li>○ <b>What</b> time do you go to bed?</li> <li>○ <b>When</b> do you play hockey?</li> </ul>		<b>Wh- questions:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Where</b> are you going?</li> <li>○ <b>How</b> are you doing?</li> <li>○ <b>What</b> are you studying?</li> <li>○ <b>When</b> are you coming?</li> <li>○ <b>Why</b> are you leaving?</li> </ul>	
USE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>repeated actions:</b> habits, daily routines <i>every day/week, often, sometimes, usually</i></li> <li>• things that are <b>always true:</b> <i>The sun rises every day.</i> <i>Water boils at 100 degrees.</i></li> <li>• describing a <b>permanent state</b> <i>He lives in Canada</i> <i>We manufacture cars in Germany</i></li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• things that are <b>happening now</b> <i>They are playing football in the garden</i></li> <li>• <b>temporary situations</b> that are happening around now <i>I'm staying with my friends <b>at the moment.</b></i></li> <li>• a planned <b>future arrangement</b> <i>I'm visiting my parents <b>next weekend</b></i></li> <li>• only for <b>actions</b> (play, walk, eat etc), <b>not state verbs</b> (know, believe, want)</li> </ul>	