

Present Time

1. Choose the most suitable tense.

1. What sort of work do you do / are you doing?
2. I'm cooking
3. Do you like
4. are you using it
5. do the people here do
6. you turn
7. goes
8. are you reading
9. Are you waiting
10. is building

2. Put each verb in brackets into either the present simple or the present continuous.

1. There's nobody here, and the door's locked. What (we do) do we do now?
2. are you looking, Am I wearing
3. am looking after, Do you want
4. drives
5. still have, is getting
6. is Sue dancing
7. looks, wears
8. am writing
9. is not growing, water
10. do you stay, come

3. Decide whether the verb underlined refers to present or future time.

1. Where are you staying on Saturday night /future/ .
2. future
3. future
4. present
5. future
6. future
7. present
8. present
9. future
10. future

4. Rewrite each sentence, replacing the underlined words by using one of the verbs from the list.

be cost feel have see smell taste have think of have

1. This flower smells wonderful.
2. I think you are being very silly.
3. She is having a baby in the summer.
4. Nancy is thinking of moving to Scotland.
5. They are having a meeting.
6. I am seeing Janet this evening actually.
7. Good clothes are costing more and more.
8. I am tasting the soup to see if it needs more salt.
9. Helen is having a bath at the moment.
10. I feel that you would be happier in another job.

5. Put each verb in brackets into either the present simple or the present continuous.

1. I am just writing
2. appreciate
3. am getting on
4. am really enjoying
5. am studying
6. am spending / spend
7. am still staying
8. am looking for
9. live
10. seem
11. go
12. study
13. am writing
14. think
15. costs
16. am saving
17. gets
18. know
19. have
20. am also learning