

04 What's happening?

You can use the present continuous to ask about things that are happening now, at the time of speaking.

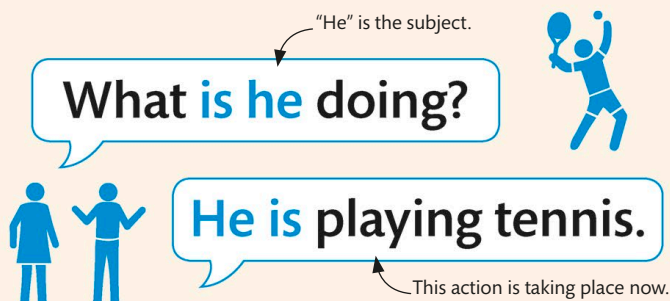
⚙️ **New language** Present continuous questions

Aa **Vocabulary** Activities and gadgets

🧩 **New skill** Asking about the present

4.1 KEY LANGUAGE PRESENT CONTINUOUS QUESTIONS

Use present continuous questions to ask about what is happening now.

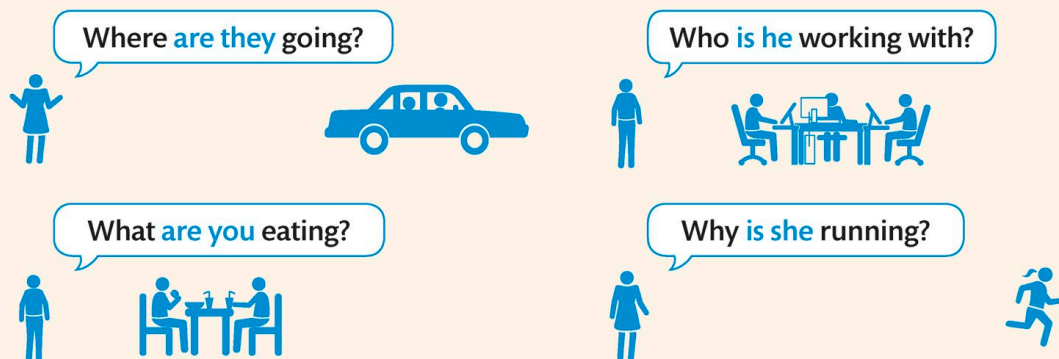


4.2 HOW TO FORM PRESENT CONTINUOUS QUESTIONS

To make a question in the present continuous, swap the subject and "to be." You can also add question words.



4.3 FURTHER EXAMPLES PRESENT CONTINUOUS QUESTIONS



4.4 VOCABULARY COMMON PRESENT CONTINUOUS VERBS



hold



carry



clean



use



4.5 LISTEN TO THE AUDIO AND WRITE WHO'S DOING EACH ACTIVITY



Martha



Jack



Fleur



Rachel



Jacob

Aa

4.6 MATCH THE QUESTIONS TO THE ANSWERS

What is Jim doing?

They are eating chocolate.

① What are John and Mike watching?

She is singing "Happy Birthday."

② What is Sida singing?

They are cooking dinner.

③ Where are you going?

He is reading a book.

④ What are Anna and Sue eating?

They are watching a movie.

⑤ What are Ali and Sam doing?

We are going to the store.



4.7 VOCABULARY DIGITAL GADGETS



tablet



computer



smartphone



games console



headphones



e-reader



4.8 FILL IN THE GAPS USING THE PRESENT CONTINUOUS



Jack is holding his tablet.

1



Sam is _____ red pants.

2



Jack is _____ on an e-reader.

3



You are _____ to headphones.

4



Sam is _____ her bike.

5



I am _____ my smartphone.

reading

cleaning

using

listening

~~holding~~

wearing



4.9 LISTEN TO THE AUDIO, ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

What is Jim holding?

an e-reader ☐ a smartphone ☒

1

What is Lucas cleaning?

his shirt ☐ his shoes ☐

2

What is Orla using?

a computer ☐ a games console ☐

3

What is Livia wearing?

a skirt ☐ a dress ☐

4

What is David doing right now?

writing ☐ reading ☐

5

What is Dewain listening to?

some music ☐ the radio ☐

6

What is Rochelle carrying?

her tablet ☐ her laptop ☐

7

What is Julio using?

his tablet ☐ his e-reader ☐



4.10 REWRITE THE QUESTIONS, CORRECTING THE ERRORS

Where Lill is going?

Where is Lill going?

① What cleaning is Kimi?

② What is doing Jill?

③ Using what is Jack?

④ Max what is holding?

⑤ Is what carrying Marge?



4.11 LOOK AT THE PICTURES AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS, SPEAKING OUT LOUD

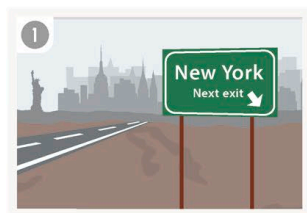


What is Alvita wearing?

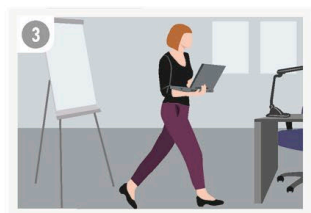
Alvita is wearing a green sweater.



What are they holding?



Where is Emir going?



What is she carrying?



04 CHECKLIST



Present continuous questions ☐

Aa Activities and gadgets ☐



Asking about the present ☐