

PRESENT CONTINUOUS

FORM [am/is/are + present participle]

Examples:

- You **are** **watching** TV.
- Are** you **watching** TV?
- You **are** **not** **watching** TV.



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| - Express the idea that something is happening now ----> | <i>You are learning English now.</i> |
| - Longer Actions in Progress Now ----> | <i>I am studying to become a dentist.</i> |
| - Near Future ----> | <i>We're meeting some friends after work.</i> |
| - Repetition and Irritation with "Always": ----> | <i>She is always coming to class late.</i>
<i>You're constantly talking. Be quiet!</i> |

Take a look at the pictures - What are they doing?



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| 1. | 5. | 9. |
| 2. | 6. | 10. |
| 3. | 7. | |
| 4. | 8. | |

Spelling Rules for Base Form of Verb + -ing (Progressive and Gerund)

