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MAKE PRESENT CONTINUOUS

5 CHARTS · PRESENT CONTINUOUS

Four columns of words.

Hundreds of sentences inside them.

FIND SENTENCES IN THE CHART

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HOW TO PLAY

1

Read across the four columns.

A pronoun, a form of be, an action, an ending.

2

Pick one word from each.

I + am + eating + Pizza.

3

Match the be-verb to the pronoun.

I am, he is, they are. That is the whole grammar lesson.

4

Write six sentences for each chart.

Alvin's example runs the same action through all six pronouns.

A note for grown-ups

Run one action through every pronoun before changing the action. The repetition is what fixes am / is / are in the ear.

MAKE 'PRESENT' CONTINUOUS

Find sentences using the words in the chart.

SUBJECT	BE	ACTION	ENDING
I	am	reading	a book
You		playing	Pizza.
We	is	eating	books.
He		throwing	Cricket.
They	are	painting	a forest.
She		writing	a letter.
			balls.

EXAMPLE SENTENCES

1. I am eating Pizza
2. You are eating Pizza
3. We are eating Pizza
4. He is eating Pizza
5. They are eating Pizza
6. She is eating Pizza

MY SIX SENTENCES

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

MAKE 'PRESENT' CONTINUOUS

Find sentences using the words in the chart.

SUBJECT	BE	ACTION	ENDING
I	am	setting the table	for our country.
You		playing	for exams.
We	is	painting	for buying car.
He		blowing the balloons	for dinner
They	are	saving money	for birthday party
She		studying	for the exhibition.

EXAMPLE SENTENCES

1. I am studying for exams
2. You are studying for exams
3. We are studying for exams
4. He is studying for exams
5. They are studying for exams
6. She is studying for exams

MY SIX SENTENCES

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

MAKE 'PRESENT' CONTINUOUS

Find sentences using the words in the chart.

SUBJECT	BE	ACTION	ENDING
I	am	reading	to my hometown
You		practising	to be a singer.
We	is	eating	to Delhi.
He		playing	to become fat.
They	are	going	to be healthy
She		travelling	to improve English.

EXAMPLE SENTENCES

1. I am going to Delhi
2. You are going to Delhi
3. We are going to Delhi
4. He is going to Delhi
5. They are going to Delhi
6. She is going to Delhi

MY SIX SENTENCES

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

MAKE 'PRESENT' CONTINUOUS

Find sentences using the words in the chart.

SUBJECT	BE	ACTION	ENDING
I	am	scribbling	in the classroom.
You		throwing balls	in the ground.
We	is	sleeping	on the stage.
He		playing	in the bus.
They	are	singing	at the wall.
She		travelling	in the notebook.

EXAMPLE SENTENCES

1. I am singing on the stage
2. You are singing on the stage
3. We are singing on the stage
4. He is singing on the stage
5. They are singing on the stage
6. She is singing on the stage

MY SIX SENTENCES

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

MAKE 'PRESENT' CONTINUOUS

Find sentences using the words in the chart.

SUBJECT	BE	ACTION	ENDING
I	am	not eating	in the classroom.
You		not talking	well.
We	is	not sleeping	today.
He		not playing	properly.
They	are	not studying	quietly.
She		not learning	in the hall.

EXAMPLE SENTENCES

1. I am not sleeping well
2. You are not sleeping well
3. We are not sleeping well
4. He is not sleeping well
5. They are not sleeping well
6. She is not sleeping well

MY SIX SENTENCES

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____