

● Complete the sentences with the verb in brackets in the present continuous.

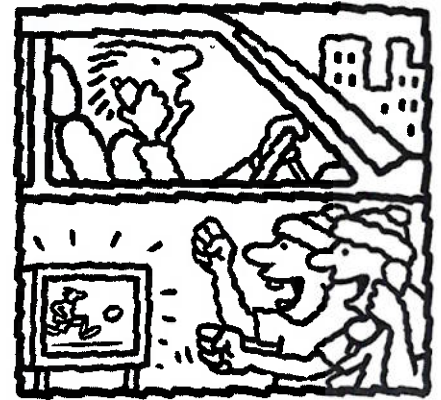
A ¹ *Are you watching* the match (watch)?

B Of course we are.

A What ² _____ (happen)?

B We ³ _____ (win) 1-0, but we ⁴ _____
(not/play) very well. Why ⁵ _____ you _____
(not/watch) the match?

A I ⁶ _____ (drive) home from work but the traffic is
terrible.



A How's your sister?

B She's fine.

A What ⁷ _____ she _____ (do) now? ⁸ _____ she
_____ (work)?

A No, she's in Thailand at the moment with two friends. They
⁹ _____ (travel) round the world.

A What ¹⁰ _____ you _____ (do) now?

B I ¹¹ _____ (not/work) at the moment but

I ¹² _____ (look for) a job.



A What can you see?

B There are three men downstairs.

A What ¹³ _____ they _____ (do)?

B They ¹⁴ _____ (count) money I think. No, sorry.

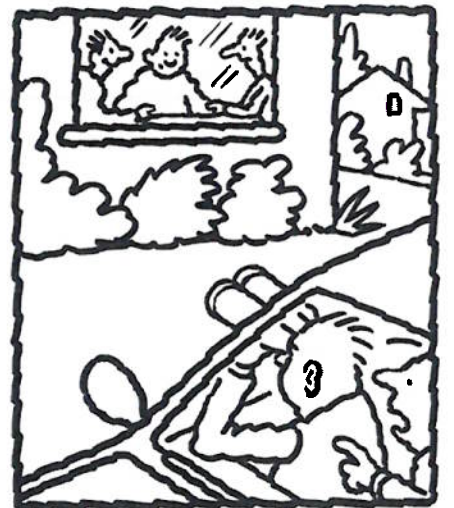
They ¹⁵ _____ (not/count) money. They
¹⁶ _____ (play) cards.

A Can you see Jim?

B Yes, he's upstairs.

A What ¹⁷ _____ he _____ (do)?

B He ¹⁸ _____ (look) at us!



● Put the verbs in the present simple or present continuous.

- 1 **A** Are you doing anything at the moment? (**do**)
B No, I'm free today.
- 2 **A** What _____ you _____? (**do**)
B I'm a student.
- 3 **A** Where _____ you _____? (**go**)
B To the cinema.
- 4 **A** _____ you _____ to the gym every day? (**go**)
B No, just Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.
- 5 **A** What is the answer to number 5?
B Shh! I _____ to the teacher. (**listen**).
- 6 **A** When _____ you _____ to music? (**listen**)
B In the evening, when I get home from work.
- 7 **A** What is that loud music?
B My neighbours _____ a party. (**have**)
- 8 **A** _____ you _____ any brothers and sisters? (**have**)
B Just one sister.
- 9 **A** _____ you _____ a uniform for work? (**wear**)
B Yes. I hate it!
- 10 **A** Why _____ you _____ your best clothes? (**wear**)
B I'm going out to dinner with Mark.
- 11 **A** Where's Simon?
B He _____ in the garden at the moment. (**work**)
- 12 **A** Where _____ you _____? (**work**)
B In a bank. 12

10–12 Excellent. You understand the difference between the present continuous and the present simple.

8–11 Quite good, but check the rules in the Grammar Bank (Student's Book p.132) and look at the exercise again.

1–7 This is difficult for you. Read the rules in the Grammar Bank (Student's Book p.132). Then ask your teacher for another photocopy and do the exercise again at home.