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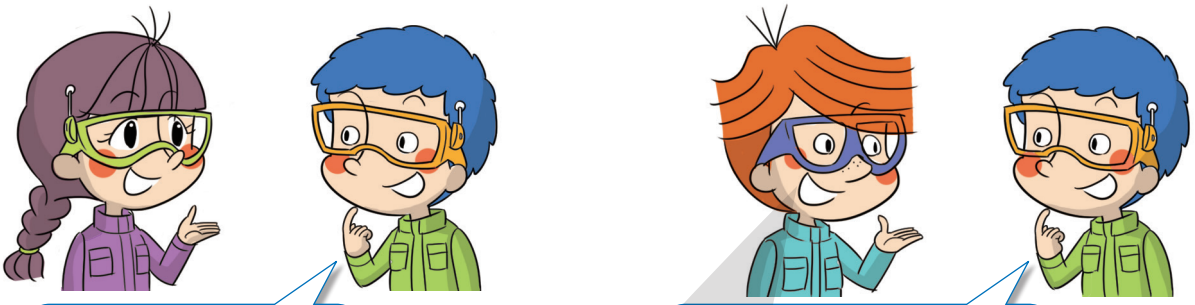
Video

Simple present tense

Bruce and Emma arrive on Tomorrow Island. They are talking to their new friend, Dave.



Fact

Habit

We use the **simple present tense** to talk about habits, facts or present states of people and things.

We can use the **simple present tense** with these words:

- **every** day
- **every** week
- **every** night
- **every** Sunday
- **on** Monday(s)

A. Bruce and Emma learn about Dave and his family. Fill in the blanks with the simple present tense form of the given verbs.

cook go have play watch work

1. Dave's dad is a doctor. He _____ at the hospital.
2. Dave _____ to school in his dad's flying car.
3. Dave _____ a robot. Its name is Ziggy.
4. Dave and Ziggy _____ basketball on Thursdays.
5. Dave and Ziggy _____ TV after dinner.
6. Dave's mum _____ dinner for the family every evening.

He	verb + s / es
She	
It	

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Grammar in Context

D. Dave just received the new school timetable and a note to his parents from his teacher. Complete the note with the given information.

timetables / notes

First Term School Timetable

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Computer	Science	Maths	English	Computer	Basketball team training	Holiday
Computer	Visual Arts	Maths	Maths	Computer		
Lunch						
English	Computer	Science	Computer	Science		
English	Computer	English	Computer	Homework		

To: Dave's parents

Dave ❶ _____ (have) more computer classes in this school term. The computer classes ❷ _____ (be) on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Dave ❸ seldom / sometimes finished his homework on time last year so he has a homework session on Friday afternoons.

Dave ❹ _____ (take) a few Science classes now. Is making robots one of his hobbies? What ❺ _____ he _____ (like / do) in his spare time?

Dave also ❻ _____ (attend) basketball team training every Saturday morning. He trains very hard. He is ❼ often / never late for his training and he ❽ always / seldom stays late to practise more.

From: Mr Green

Grammar Clinic

Correct the underlined mistakes.

Ⓐ Mum sometime mops the floor on Mondays. _____

Ⓑ Ruby always go to school on time. _____

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Quiz 1 (Units 1–3)

A. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the given adjectives. *(6 marks)*

1. Today's temperature is _____ (high) yesterday's.
2. I think Ziggy is _____ (great) robot in history.
3. The necklace is _____ (expensive) the ring.
4. Tom is _____ (strong) student in the class.
5. This is _____ (horrible) cheesecake. It smells so bad.
6. The sofa is _____ (comfortable) the chair.

B. Fill in the blanks with the given words. *(6 marks)*

Survey on Jamie's Eating Habits

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		✓					
	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	
		✓		✓		✓	

a glass of a packet of

1. Jamie _____ has _____ juice in the morning.
2. Jamie _____ eats chocolate.
3. Jamie _____ eats potato chips. He has _____ potato chips on Tuesdays.
4. Jamie _____ drinks cola.

7 ✓ : always
5–6 ✓ : often
3–4 ✓ : sometimes
1–2 ✓ : seldom
0 ✓ : never

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Assessment (Units 1–12)

A. Look at the pictures. Fill in the blanks with the given words. *(12 marks)*

a few　a little　a lot of　fewer　less　more
too many　too much　next to　turn left　walk across

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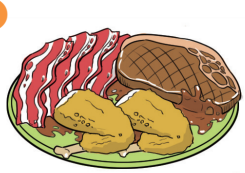
2 

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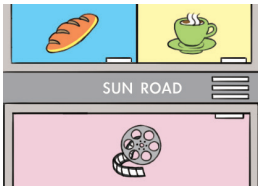
4 

1. Bruce is healthy. He ate _____ vegetables. He ate _____ pork. He ate _____ cherries.
2. Jess ate a lot of meat. She should eat _____ meat. _____ meat is bad for her. She should eat _____ vegetables.
3. Emma drank a lot of soft drinks. She should drink _____ soft drinks. _____ soft drinks are bad for her. She should drink _____ water.
4. Bruce: Go out of the cinema. _____ Sun Road. _____. The bakery is _____ the cafe.

B. Circle the correct answers. *(18 marks)*

1. Janice likes blueberries. She likes peaches (either) too but .
2. (Are) Was Were there an airport seventy years ago?
3. I want to watch (both) and too *Happy Chef* and *Big Cat*.
4. Jane does not like running. She does not like hiking (too) either or .
5. Zoe likes many kinds of sports (and) such as either basketball and volleyball.
6. Fried food is (bad for) good to bad to our health. We should eat less.