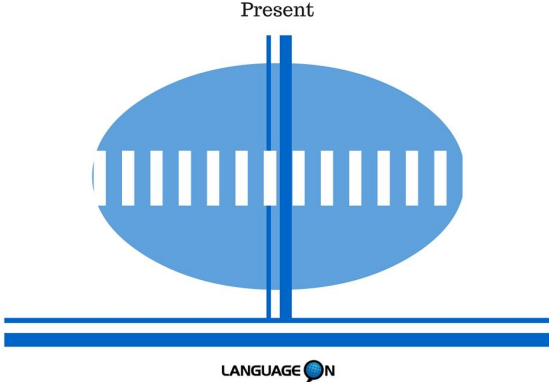

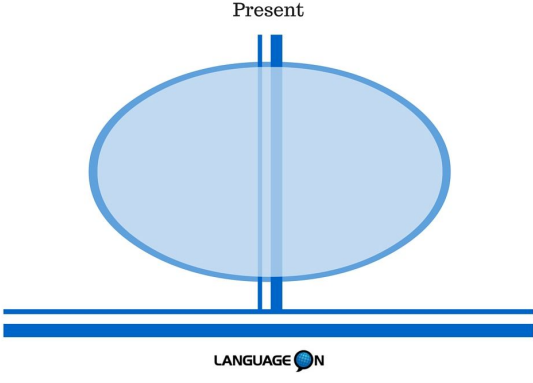



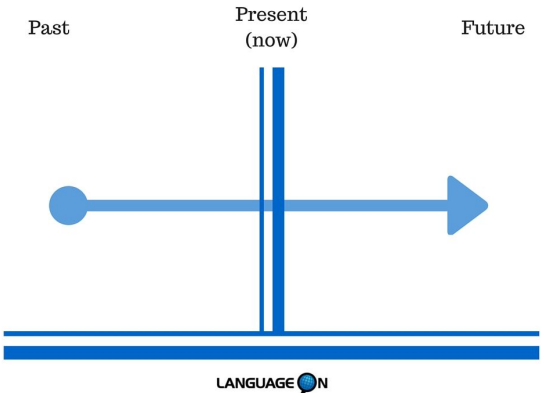
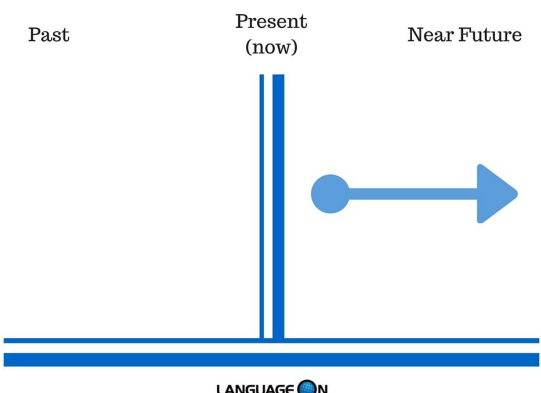
Present Simple vs Present Continuous (Beginner - Intermediate)

Present Simple: We use the Present Simple to describe habits / routines and facts / generalizations.

AFFIRMATIVE	NEGATIVE
<p>I / You / We / They + V1</p> <p>He / She / It + V1 + S**</p> <p>**If a verb ends with a consonant + 'y', delete 'y' and add 'ies': fly > flies pay > pays</p>	<p>I / You / We / They + DO NOT + V1 (DON'T)</p> <p>He / She / It + DOES NOT + V1 (DOESN'T)</p> <p>**Remember: 'TO BE' is different! Use AM NOT, IS NOT, or ARE NOT</p>
<p>1. Habit or Routine</p> <div style="text-align: center; margin: 20px 0;">  <p style="font-size: small;">Present</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">LANGUAGE  N</p> </div>	<p>What do you drink everyday? I drink coffee everyday. I don't drink soda.</p> <p>When do you do your homework? I do my homework in the afternoon. She doesn't do her homework in the afternoon, she does it in the evening.</p> <p>When does the class begin? The class begins at 11:15. Sarah is always early.</p>
<p>2. Facts or Generalizations</p> <div style="text-align: center; margin: 20px 0;">  <p style="font-size: small;">Present</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">LANGUAGE  N</p> </div>	<p>What does she like? She likes Pepsi. She doesn't like Coke.</p> <p>What kind of cars do people in the United States drive? They drive big cars and SUVs.</p> <p>What do they want? They want apples. I don't have any apples so I will give them bananas</p>

Present Simple vs Present Continuous (Beginner - Intermediate)

Present Continuous: We use the Present Continuous to describe an action that is happening at the moment that the speaker is speaking. We also use the Present Continuous to describe an action in the near future.

Signal Words	Form: 'TO BE' + ING
Now At the moment Today This afternoon/tomorrow.. + other words showing 'near future'	I + AM + V1 + ING He/She/It + IS + V1 + ING You/We/They + ARE + V1 + ING
1. To show an action that is happening “now”. 	This week we are studying the Present Continuous. She isn't drinking coffee now. I am learning English this year. I am wearing jeans today. It is raining now.
2. To show an action in the near future. 	Tomorrow, we are visiting Key West. She is going to the beach after class. I am graduating next year. We aren't going out tonight. Who is teaching the class tomorrow? Jack is teaching tomorrow.

PRESENT SIMPLE & PRESENT CONTINUOUS
EXERCISES & PRACTICE
(Beginner - Intermediate)

A. Answer the questions below.

1. What is your teacher doing right now?

_____.

2. What don't you like doing?

_____.

3. What does your friend do?

_____.

B. Read the paragraph below. Find the 5 mistakes. Circle the mistakes and write the correct sentence.

<p>My friend Nina lives in Rio. This week she stays with her Mom in Santos. Nina is having a family. This week she doesn't take care of her family, because her mom is being very sick. Nina is loving her mom a lot, that's why she left her family in Rio to go to Santos.</p>	<p>1. 2. 3. 4. 5.</p>
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C. Write questions to find out about your partner's friends or family members. Use the *Present Simple* and *Present Simple Continuous* in the questions. Ask your partner the questions, discuss, and take notes.

Example: Who is your best friend and where do they live?

1. _____?

2. _____?

3. _____?

4. _____?

D. After you have interviewed a classmate or the teacher with the questions above, write a short paragraph reporting what you learned from them. Use the focus verb tenses as much as possible.