

Present Simple

Things in general

- The moon **goes round** the earth.
- It **doesn't rain** very much in summer.
- Many social workers **work** directly with clients.
- Psychologists **investigate** behavior in many ways.
- Correlation **does not demonstrate** causation.

Things that happen repeatedly

- I usually **go** away at weekends.
- Google **crawls** Facebook frequently.
- Whenever possible, psychologists **settle** differences by direct investigation.

To say how often we do things

- My son **visits** my house once a week.
- Iran **holds** presidential elections every four years.

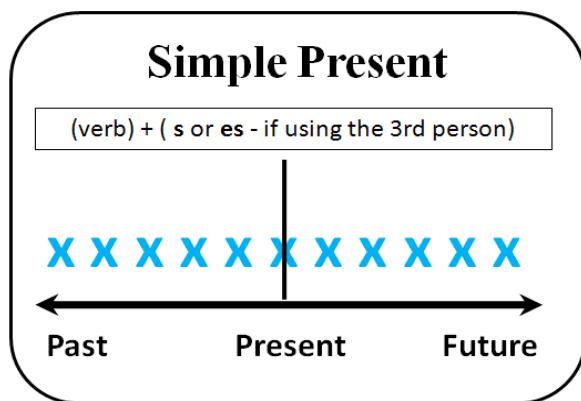
Permanent situation

Non-continuous Verbs (like, love, ... , know, realise,

remember, ..., contain, depend, ...)

- I don't **like** this lecture.
- I **believe** this kind of psychotherapy is not effective.
- I **prefer** a much more active environment
- I **remember** our first Forest Festival.

Present simple is timeless



Do not forget the -s / -es if using the third person.

- He works ...
- The figure shows that ...
- The earth goes round the sun.

Negative

- Rice **does not grow** in cold climates
- I **don't drink** coffee very often