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## GRAMMAR

### Simple Present and Present Continuous Tenses

**The simple present tense** is used to talk about things that happen regularly or are universal truths For example:

I drink a cup of coffee every morning

Plants need sunlight to grow properly.

**The present continuous tense** is used to describe an ongoing action in the present time

For example

I am doing my homework now.

The tree is swaying in the wind.

**Underline the verbs in the following sentences and identify the tenses.**

1 The dog is sleeping on the floor.

2 Children like to play in the parks

3 The baby smiles whenever it sees its

favourite doll.

4 The boy is writing a paragraph about an imaginary island.

5 My sister is planning to throw a surprise party for our parents.

6 The most important announcement of the evening is happening right now.