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Grammar worksheet (3) - Present Simple Tense

- We use the **present simple tense** form of the verb to tell about:

1. Regular or routine actions and habits

Example: She brushes her teeth every morning.

Example: He reads every day.

2. Facts (things that are always true)

Example: The sun rises **from the east**.

3. Things that you like and need

Example: I like ice-cream.

- **Time clues for the present simple tense:** always, often, usually, never, sometimes , every (day, week, month, year, night, morning...etc), on Saturdays, on Sundays, on weekends...etc., twice a day, three times a month...etc.

Rules of adding s to form the present simple tense:

1. If the subject tells about one, add -s to most verbs to change them to present simple tense.

Example: My uncle reads the newspaper every morning.

2. If the verb ends in (ss, sh, ch, x, z, o) add -es to the verb.

Example: Tom never washes his face.