Present Simple exercises with answers

Name: _____ Date: _____

1. Choose the right option

Tom and Anna _____ happy.

a) is b) am c) are

2. Fill in the gaps

The tea _____ hot, and the cakes _____ fresh.

Words: no / am not / isn't / aren't / not

3. Choose the right option

_____ you tired?

a) Am b) Is c) Are

4. Choose the right option

We _____ football every week.

a) are play b) play c) plays

5. Fill in the gaps

Emma _____ French and _____ to Paris every summer.

Words: study / studys / studies / flies / flys

6. Choose the right option

Tom _____ breakfast.

a) never eats b) is never eats c) eats never

7. Choose the right option

Anna _____ drive a car.

a) don't b) doesn't c) isn't

8. Fill in the gaps

_____ the museum _____ on Mondays?

Words: Do / open / Does / Are / opens

9. Put the words in order

Give a short answer with No: Does Tom like tea?

don't / not / like / No, / doesn't / he

Not all words are needed.

10. Fill in the gaps

I _____ tired, but Sam _____ fine.

Words: be / are / am / is

11. Put the words in order

Say that Anna doesn't feel tired today

today / no / Anna / not / tired / isn't / aren't

Not all words are needed.

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12. Choose the right option

_____ a teacher?

a) He is b) Is he c) He

13. Fill in the gaps

Tom _____ tea, but Anna and Sam _____ coffee.

Words: are drink / drink / is drink / drinks

14. Put the words in order

a / dog / haves / have / Tom / big / has

Not all words are needed.

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15. Choose the right option

Sam _____ tired in the evening.

a) often is b) is often c) often

16. Fill in the gaps

Sam _____ _____ TV.

Words: watch / watches / don't / isn't / doesn't

17. Put the words in order

Ask a question about Emma

Is / Emma / dinner / cooks / Do / cook / Does

Not all words are needed.

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18. Choose the right option

Do you like football? Yes, I _____.

a) am b) do c) like

19. Put the words in order

Say that they have a lot of work today

They / are / very / am / is / today / They're / busy

Not all words are needed.

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20. Choose the right option

I _____ ready.

a) no b) am not c) not am

21. Fill in the gaps

_____ Tom busy? No, he _____.

Words: aren't / Are / not / isn't / Is

22. Put the words in order

speak / languages / Ali / speaks / is / three

Not all words are needed.

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23. Choose the right option

Anna _____ music at school.

a) teachs b) teaches c) teach

24. Fill in the gaps

We _____ _____ meat.

Words: eat / eats / never / are

Answers

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1. **are**

   Tom and Anna = *they*, so we use *are*. We use *is* for one person.

2. **isn't ... aren't**

   The tea = *it*, so we use *isn't*; *the cakes* = *they*, so we use *aren't*. *Not* or *no* alone is wrong.

3. **Are**

   Questions with *you* start with *Are*. We use *Is* with *he*, *she* and *it*.

4. **play**

   With *we* the verb has no *-s*. We add *-s* only with *he*, *she* and *it*.

5. **studies ... flies**

   Study and *fly* have a consonant before *-y*, so we write *-ies*. We don't write *studys* or *flys*.

6. **never eats**

   Never comes before a main verb like *eats*, not after it. We don't add *is*.

7. **doesn't**

   Anna = *she*, so we use *doesn't*. We use *don't* with *I*, *you*, *we* and *they*.

8. **Does ... open**

   The museum = *it*, so we use *Does*. After *does* we use *open*, with no *-s*.

9. **No, he doesn't.**

   For *he* the short answer has *doesn't*. We don't repeat *like*.

10. **am ... is**

    With *I* we use *am*. Sam is one person, so we use *is*.

11. **Anna isn't tired today.**

    Anna = *she*, so we use *isn't*. We don't use *no* instead of *not*.

12. **Is he**

    In questions, *is* comes before the subject *he*, not after it.

13. **drinks ... drink**

    Tom = *he*, so we use *drinks*. Anna and Sam = *they*, so no *-s*.

14. **Tom has a big dog.**

    With *he*, *she* and *it* we use *has*, not *haves*.

15. **is often**

    Often comes after *is*, not before it. We can't leave out *is*.

16. **doesn't ... watch**

    Sam = *he*, so we use *doesn't*. After *doesn't* we use the infinitive *watch*.

17. Does Emma cook dinner?

Emma = *she*, so the question starts with *Does*. After *does*, *cook* has no *-s*.

18. do

The question has *do*, so the short answer has *do* too. We don't repeat *like*.

19. They are very busy today.

With *they* we use *are*, or the short form *they're*. We don't use *is* or *am*.

20. am not

Not comes after *am*: *I am not*. We don't use *no* here.

21. Is ... isn't

Tom = *he*, so the question starts with *Is*. In the short answer we repeat *is*.

22. Ali speaks three languages.

Ali = *he*, so we use *speaks*. We don't use *is* with *speak*.

23. teaches

Teach ends in *-ch*, so we add *-es*, not just *-s*.

24. never ... eat

Never comes before the verb *eat*. We don't need *are* here.