The Present Continuous Tense

Употребляется для выражения действий, происходящий в момент речи или ближайшем будущем (если это запланировано).

For example: Listen! Somebody is singing. I am leaving tonight.

The Present Continuous is used with the following adverbials of time

- O Now (сейчас)
- O At the moment (в данный момент)
- O At present (в настоящее время)
- O Still (еще)
- O Nowadays (в наши дни)
- O Today (сегодня)
- O Tonight (вечером)

Большинство временных указателей ставится в конце предложения.

BUT! He is still wearing that old jacket.

- + Affirmative sentences
 - Negative sentences
 - ? Interrogative sentences

Affirmative sentences

Подлежащее

Вспомогательный глагол to be

Сказуемое

I	am	
He She	is	V + ing
It We		V 11118
You They	are	

Example: Я читаю книгу сейчас.

I am reading a book now.

Мы смотрим фильм в данный момент.

We are watching a film at the moment.

Он работает в саду сейчас.

He is working in the garden now.

Exercise 1.

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- ☐ He (go) to the library.He is going to the library.
- ☐ She (stay) at home.

 She is staying at home.
- ☐ Food prices (rise) at the moment.

 Food prices are rising at the moment.
- I (eat) sweets now.I am eating sweets now.

Negative sentences

Подлежащее

Вспомогательный глагол to be + not

Сказуемое

I	am		
He She It	is	+ not	V + ing
We You They	are		

Example: Я не читаю книгу сейчас.

I am not reading a book now.

Мы не смотрим фильм в данный момент.

We are not watching a film at the moment.

Он не работает в саду сейчас.

He is not working in the garden now.

Exercise 2.

- He (not go) to the library.He isn't going to the library.
- ☐ She (not to stay) at home.

 She isn't staying at home.
- ☐ Food prices (rise) at the moment.

 Food prices aren't rising at the moment.
- I (eat) sweets now.I am not eating sweets now.

Interrogative sentences

Вспомогательный глагол to be

Подлежащее

Сказуемое?

Am	I	
Is	He, she, it	V + ing?
Are	We, they, you	

Example: Я сейчас читаю книгу?

Am I reading a book now?

Мы в данный момент смотрим фильм?

Are we watching a film at the moment?

Он сейчас работает в саду?

Is he working in the garden now?

Exercise 3.

- ☐ ... he (go) to the library?
 - Is he going to the library?
- ... she (stay) at home?
 - Is she staying at home?
- ... food prices (rise) at the moment?
 - Are food prices rising at the moment?
- ☐ ... I (eat) sweets now?
 - Am I eating sweets now?