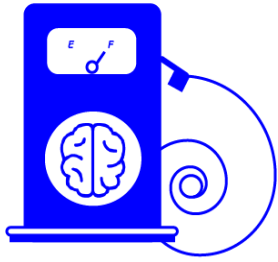


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Learn English Basics
Verbs
| Present Continuous Tense |



Brain Fueled

Present continuous form = am/is/are + verb + *ing*.
We use it to show that something is happening NOW.



Past **Now** Future

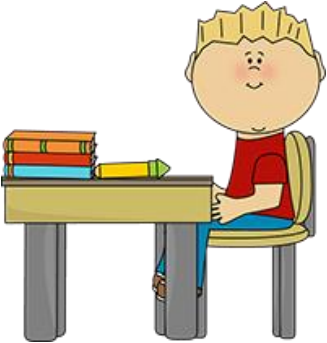
Am / Is / Are doing

What am I doing?



I'm standing.

What is he doing?



He's sitting.

What is she doing?



She's walking.

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What is it doing?



It's running.

What are they doing?



They're playing.

What are we doing?



We're surfing the internet.

Add + ing to words ending in...

two consonants	To walk	walk + ing	walking
two vowels + consonant	To sleep	sleep + ing	sleeping
one consonant and a vowel (not 'e')	To do	do + ing	doing
one vowel and g (add g) + ing	To jog	jog + ging	jogging
one vowel and m (add m) + ing	To swim	swim + ming	swimming
one vowel and n (add n) + ing	To run	run + ning	running
one vowel and p (add p) + ing	To shop	shop + ping	shopping
one vowel and t (add t) + ing	To put	put + ting	putting
ie (delete ie) (add y) + ing	To die	d + ying	dying
one consonant and e (delete e) + ing	To phone	phon + ing	phoning