



Present simple affirmative and negative

Part 1: Video preparation

- 1 Do you remember reading about the BRIT School on page 15 of your Student's Book? Look at the photos. Which school is similar to the BRIT School? a or b?



- 2 Write three subjects that students usually study at school.

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- 3 Write three 'unusual' things that students study at schools like the BRIT School.

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Part 2: Video comprehension

Watch the video as many times as necessary and do the exercises.

- 1 Answer the questions.

- 1 Which school do you see in the video, a or b?
- 2 Which 'unusual' subjects appear?

- 3 Which 'usual' subjects does the presenter (Dave) name in the video?

- 4 Who appears in school uniform at the end of the video?

- 2 Complete each rule (a–b) with the correct word from the video explanation. Then match each rule with the correct sentence (1–2).

- a We use the present simple to talk about things that are always or usually ☐
- b We use the present simple to talk about regular actions or ☐

- 1 Ella's friend goes to the BRIT School.
- 2 Normally British students learn maths, English ...

- 3 Tick (✓) the sentences that appear in the video. One of the sentences from the video is NOT correct – which one? Can you correct it?

- 1 I go to school. ☐
- 2 She goes to school. ☐
- 3 She doesn't go to school. ☐
- 4 He doesn't wears school uniform. ☐
- 5 They don't wear school uniform. ☐

- 4 Use the video explanation to circle the correct alternative.

- 1 Verbs finish with -s/-es only when we use (a) I/you/we/they (b) he/she/it.
- 2 After *don't* or *doesn't* we use the verb with s/without s.

Part 3: Grammar practice

Change the words in **bold** to make the affirmative sentences negative and the negative sentences affirmative.

- 1 They **don't study**/..... the usual subjects at the BRIT school.
- 2 Ella **goes**/..... to the BRIT school.
- 3 Students at the BRIT school **call**/..... their teachers Sir or Miss.
- 4 The school **doesn't have**/..... famous old students.
- 5 We **don't wear**/..... school uniforms at our school.