



Bahasa Inggris I

Pertemuan 5 - Present Continuous Tense -

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Present Continuous Tense

Present Continuous tense describes actions that:

- 01 Happening right now
- 02 Happening around the current time
- 03 Planned for the near future



Present Continuous Tense

Formula:

- +** S + to be + V ing + O
- S + to be + not + V ing + O
- ?** to be + S + V ing + O + ?

(+) They are watching TV
(-) They are not watching TV
(?) Are they watching TV ?

Time expression:

- now
- right now
- at the moment
- currently
- today
- this week / this month



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Uses of Present Continuous

Actions happening right now

- She is talking on the phone right now.

Temporary actions

- I am staying at my friend's house this week.

Future plans

- We are traveling to Bali next month.

Changing or developing situations

- The weather is getting warmer.



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RULES :

Verb Ending	Rule	Example	-ing Form
Most verbs	Add -ing	work, read	working, reading
Ending in -e	Drop e + ing	write, drive	writing, driving
CVC (consonant – vocal – consonant)	Double the consonant + ing	run, sit	running, sitting
Ending in -ie	Change ie → y + ing	die, lie	dying, lying

