

**HIGH SCHOOL ESL/EFL 1 and 2 | Newcomer, Beginner**

**NPS Learning in Place Plan, Phase III, April 27-May 15**

**SCHEDULE**

**Monday, April 27-Friday, May, 1:** Verb Phrases and Present Continuous.

Complete the AEF 8B Parts 1, 2 and 3

Complete the Grammar Bank (both exercises)

**Monday, May 4- Friday, May 8:** Verb Phrases and Present Continuous

Complete AEF 8B Parts 4 and 5

**Monday, April 20-Friday, April 24:** Verb Phrases and Present Continuous

Complete AEF 7 and 8 Review and Check

Note: You may complete your work on a loose-leaf sheet of paper if desired.

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**QUESTIONS**

VIRTUAL OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY-FRIDAY, 10AM -2PM.

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**G** present continuous or simple present?

**V** the weather

**P** /ɔ/, /ou/, and /ei/

What are you doing today?

I usually walk to work, but today I'm working at home.

# 8B Today is different

## 1 VOCABULARY the weather

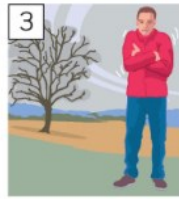
a (3 38) Listen and repeat the weather words.



It's sunny.



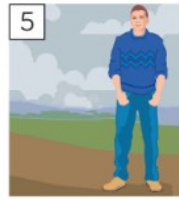
It's hot.



It's cold.



It's windy.



It's cloudy.



It's raining.



It's snowing.

b Cover the words. Describe the pictures. Ask *How's the weather?*

Picture 1. *How's the weather?* *It's sunny.*

c How's the weather today? Tell a partner.

## 2 GRAMMAR

present continuous or simple present?

a Cover the text and look at the pictures. What are they doing?

b (3 39) Listen and read the people's answers. Who says each answer? Write the names.

c p.106 Grammar Bank 8B. Learn more about present continuous and simple present and practice them.



Susan



Ben



Jack and Kayla



Emma

## 3 PRONUNCIATION /ɔ/, /ou/, and /ei/

a (3 41) Listen and repeat the words and sounds.

saw	walk always office daughter
phone	snow cold home go
train	today play take email

b (3 42) Listen. Practice the sentences.

My daughter always walks to the office.

It's cold and snowing at home.

I'm taking the train today.

## It's snowing today and it's May! What are you doing?

- : "I usually walk to work, but today I'm taking the train."
- : "I'm working at home today. It's cold outside!"
- : "We always go to school on Tuesdays, but we aren't at school today. We're playing outside!"
- : "I'm wearing snow boots to my office today. I don't usually do that."

## 4 READING

- a Read the article and choose the correct title.
- Working on vacation
  - Life as a nurse
  - Staying at a hotel



## NEW IDEAS

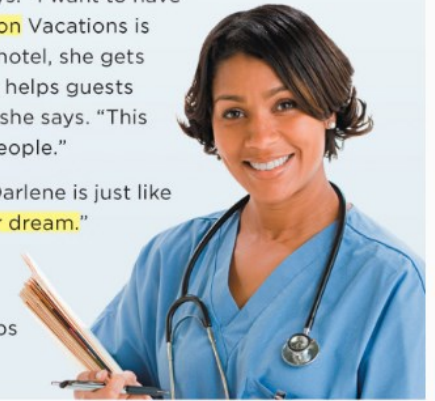
Every day, Darlene Proctor gets up at 5:00 a.m., makes breakfast, and goes to work as a nurse. She goes home at 9:00 p.m., makes dinner, and goes to bed. But today, she's on vacation. She's at Big Mill Bed and Breakfast, a beautiful hotel in North Carolina. But she's not relaxing. She's working!

**Is this really a vacation?** Well, yes and no.

Darlene is working here because she is curious about other jobs. "I like my job but I have a dream," she says. "I want to have my own hotel." A company called Vocation Vacations is helping Darlene try a new career. At the hotel, she gets up early, cleans rooms, carries bags, and helps guests from around the world. "It's hard work," she says. "This morning I'm making breakfasts for 30 people."

The hotel's owner, Chloe Tuttle, says, "Darlene is just like me 20 years ago. I hope she follows her dream."

Vocation Vacations is a big business now. It has over 125 different careers people can try, and they have more jobs every day.



- b Answer the questions.

- Why is Darlene working at the hotel?
- What is Vocation Vacations?
- Who is Chloe Tuttle?
- Is Vocation Vacations a small business?

- c Where does Darlene do these things?  
Check (✓) the boxes.

	At home	At the hotel	Both
1 get up early	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 make breakfast	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 make dinner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4 carry bags	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- d Look at the highlighted words and guess their meaning.  
Check with your teacher or a dictionary.

- e What job do you want to try?

## 5 SPEAKING

- a Ask your partner the questions. Check (✓) your partner's yes answers.

- A Are you wearing a hat?  B No, I'm not.
- A Do you usually wear ...?

	Are you ... ?	Do you usually ... ?
<b>wear</b>		
1 a hat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 glasses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 a watch	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>carry</b>		
4 a big bag	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5 an umbrella	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6 a cell phone	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>enjoy</b>		
7 class	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8 the weather	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- b Work with another pair. How is today different for you and your partner? Make three sentences.

Leila doesn't usually carry an umbrella, but she's carrying an umbrella today.

## 8B present continuous or simple present?

3 40 ))) Listen and repeat. Then read the rules.

- 1 I **work** in an office. Today I'm **working** at home.
- 2 I usually **drink** soda at lunch, but today I'm **drinking** water.
- 3 What **are** you **doing** right now?  
She's **wearing** a nice coat today.

- 1 Simple present = things we usually do and things that are normally true, e.g., *I live in Spain. Pizza is great.*  
Present continuous = things happening now / at the moment, e.g., *I'm eating a sandwich at a restaurant. I'm watching TV now.*
- 2 We often use simple present with *always, usually, sometimes, never, etc.*, e.g., *I sometimes have lunch in my office. I never get up early on Saturday.*
- 3 We often use present continuous with *now, right now, and today*, e.g., *I'm talking on the phone right now. I'm wearing a suit today.*

## 8B

a Circle the correct form.

Ming usually goes / is going to work at 6:30, but he doesn't work / isn't working today.

1 A Are you in your office?

B No. It's snowing today, so I work / I'm working at home.

2 A Let's go to Madrid for our vacation.

B Great idea. I love / I'm loving Spanish food.

3 A What do you do / are you doing? Is that a computer game?

B No, it isn't. I work / I'm working.

4 Maritza is a nurse. She works / She's working in a hospital every day.

5 We're in France on vacation now. We stay / We're staying in a cute little hotel.

6 A Hi, Mark. Do you do / Are you doing anything important right now?

B Yes, I am. I talk / I'm talking on the phone.

7 Let's go to Mexico in December. It never rains / is raining there in the winter.

8 I usually have / am having a big lunch, but today I have / I'm having a small salad.

b Complete the sentences with the **bold** verb. Use simple present or present continuous.

Do you usually take the train to work? (**take**)

1 A Look! It is snowing! (**snow**)

B Wow. It isn't snowing in May. (**usually not snow**)

2 A My father and I eat dinner at a Mexican restaurant every Tuesday. (**have**)

B Really? Does he pay your father usually pay the bill? (**pay**)

3 A That's my friend, Ming. He wears a T-shirt and a blue hat. (**wear**)

B I can't see him. What is he doing? (**not see, do**)

A He is talking to the teacher. (**talk**)

4 A Hi, Kayla. Are you watching the soccer game on TV now? (**watch**)

B No. I never watch sports. (**watch**)

5 A What time do you eat lunch? (**eat**)

B 1:00 or 1:30, usually.

6 A Where are you Yuka and Toshi today? (**be**)

B On vacation in the mountains. They are skiing right now. (**ski**)

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# 7&8 Review and Check

## GRAMMAR

Circle a or b.

- What \_\_\_\_\_ in the winter?  
a do people do b do people
- \_\_\_\_\_ your bag?  
a This is b Is this
- A \_\_\_\_\_ sports?  
B No, he prefers computer games.  
a Does he like b Does like he
- A \_\_\_\_\_ the summer in Argentina?  
B It's from October to March.  
a When does b When is
- \_\_\_\_\_ park here?  
a Can I b Do I can
- You \_\_\_\_\_ the Internet here.  
a no can use b can't use
- A Can they come to dinner tomorrow?  
B No, they \_\_\_\_\_.  
a can't b don't
- Lisa \_\_\_\_\_ sit here.  
a can b cans
- Are you \_\_\_\_\_ TV right now?  
a watch b watching
- She's not \_\_\_\_\_ a cell phone.  
a using b using
- He \_\_\_\_\_ a book right now.  
a reading b is reading
- We're \_\_\_\_\_ in the ocean.  
a swimming b swimming
- A \_\_\_\_\_ doing right now?  
B I'm making dinner.  
a What you b What are you
- \_\_\_\_\_ to work by train?  
a Do you usually go  
b Are you usually going
- I usually walk to work, but today \_\_\_\_\_.  
a I drive b I'm driving

## VOCABULARY

a Complete the sentences with a verb.

- It's raining. Let's st \_\_\_\_\_ inside and watch TV.
- I always pl \_\_\_\_\_ computer games after school.
- People t \_\_\_\_\_ boat trips in the summer here.
- When do people usually v \_\_\_\_\_ your city?
- Can I p \_\_\_\_\_ by credit card?
- You can't t \_\_\_\_\_ photos in this museum.
- Do you usually w \_\_\_\_\_ a suit at work?
- Here's your pizza. En \_\_\_\_\_ your meal!
- I always h \_\_\_\_\_ fun on vacation.
- On the weekend, we sometimes w \_\_\_\_\_ in the park.

b Circle the correct weather word.



1 It's snowing / cold.



2 It's windy / raining.



3 It's sunny / snowing.

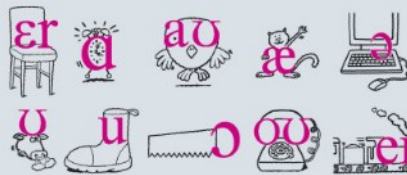


4 It's raining / cloudy.

## PRONUNCIATION

a Can you remember these words and sounds?

vowels



consonants



b ► p.132-134 Sound Bank. Check the words and sounds, and practice saying the example words.

c Underline the stressed syllable.

1 computer 2 enjoy 3 piano 4 August 5 seventeenth

## CAN YOU UNDERSTAND THIS TEXT?

- a Read the text. Who is happy about the train problem? Who is not?



**The trains aren't working!  
How are you getting to work?**

The weather is very hot and trains are having problems this morning. Some trains are one or two hours late, and some are broken.

So how are people getting to work today? **Check out the messages below.** A lot of our readers can't use the train today, so they are walking, riding bikes, and more!

**JESSIE LEE:** The trains aren't working, but it's OK. I'm going to work by bike. I'm having a good time. My bike is fast!

**RICHARD JONES:** I'm walking to work right now. It's a LONG walk and it's very hot. I'm not enjoying this.

**MARISOL DIAZ:** Why are the trains broken? I can't walk to work – my job is very far from here. I can't go by taxi – it's too expensive. What can I do?

**SERGIO SANTOS:** What an interesting morning! I'm walking in the park with a LOT of other people. I'm meeting new people, getting exercise, and having fun.

- b Answer the questions.
- Who is walking to work? Who is going by bike?
  - Are the people in the text going to work by taxi?
  - Why is each person happy or unhappy?
- c How do you usually go to work or school?

## CAN YOU UNDERSTAND THESE PEOPLE?

3 43))) Listen and choose the right answer.


- What do people do in January? 
  - Go to the movies.
  - Go to museums.
- When does the woman go to the gym? 
  - During the week.
  - On the weekend.
- Where does the man park? 
  - In the parking lot.
  - On the street.
- What languages does the woman speak? 
  - Korean.
  - Korean and Chinese.
- When is Lisa's birthday? 
  - February 7th.
  - February 17th.
- What is the man doing? 
  - Reading.
  - Writing an email.
- The husband is .
  - playing sports
  - watching sports
- The woman  a suit to work. 
  - is wearing
  - always wears

## CAN YOU SAY THIS IN ENGLISH?

Check (✓) the boxes.

### Can you...?

- |   |                          |             |
|---|--------------------------|-------------|
| 1 say what people can do in your town                         | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes, I can. |
| 2 ask about people's weekdays and weekends                    | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes I can.  |
| 3 say dates   | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes, I can. |
| 4 talk about activities you are doing now                     | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes, I can. |
| 5 talk about the weather                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes, I can. |
| 6 talk about what you usually do and what you are doing today | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes, I can. |

 **Short movies** A day off  
Watch and enjoy the movie.