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Present continuous tense



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The capital of England is London

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You are learning the present continuous tense

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I'm usually watching TV when my husband arrives home

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I go to school every day	I'm usually watching TV when my husband arrived home

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At 7am I have a shower	At 7am, I'm normally having a shower
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Event never changes	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Event never changes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Event can change, flexibility• Adverbs of frequency: normally, usually
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Future Events	Future Events
She has English class tomorrow	My mum is visiting me on Saturday
The restaurant opens at 7pm tonight	We're having a party this weekend
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Schedule/timetable event• Pre-planned and organised	

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Future Events	Future Events
She has English class tomorrow	I'm leaving in 5 minutes
The restaurant opens at 7pm tonight	We're going in the next hour
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Schedule/timetable eventPre-planned and organised	<ul style="list-style-type: none">No schedule/timetableInvolve other people

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">Schedule/timetable eventPre-planned and organised	<ul style="list-style-type: none">No schedule/timetableInvolve other peopleImmediate future

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What job do you have?
What is your profession?



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Right now, what activity are you doing?



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Usually	Usually
In the summer/winter	Constantly
Every day/week	Forever
	Still
	Now/ Even now
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