

# Present Progressive Story 1 (Present Continuous)

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## Who are they? Where are they? What are they doing?

Now Janet is in her house. She is sitting on a wooden chair. She is holding a coat. She is fixing it.

James is Janet's husband. He is sitting in front of her. He is fixing clothes too.

Elizabeth is sitting next to James. She is Janet's sister. Right now she is helping Janet and James. They are working together. They are fixing clothes.

At this moment a man is coming in. He is wearing dark clothes. He is carrying a pile of clothes. They are all working very hard.

## Present Progressive Story 1 – Exercises

**A. Answer the following questions. Use the Present Progressive tense.**

1. Where is Janet sitting now? What is she doing?

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2. Where is James sitting now? What is he doing?

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3. Who is coming in at this moment? What is he carrying?

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**B. Rewrite the following sentences as negative sentences, yes/no questions, WH-questions (using the underlined word) and tag questions.**

### Examples for the sentence “Dan is eating now”

**Negative:** Dan is not eating now.

**Yes/No Question:** Is Dan eating now?

**WH-Question:** When is Dan eating?

**Tag Question:** Dan is eating now, isn't he?

1. She is sitting on a wooden chair.

**Negative:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Yes/No Question:** \_\_\_\_\_

**WH-Question:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tag Question:** \_\_\_\_\_

2. She is holding a coat.

**Negative:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Yes/No Question:** \_\_\_\_\_

**WH-Question:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tag Question:** \_\_\_\_\_

3. He is wearing dark clothes.

**Negative:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Yes/No Question:** \_\_\_\_\_

**WH-Question:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tag Question:** \_\_\_\_\_

**C. Rewrite the story using contractions.**

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## Present Progressive Story 1 – Answers

**A. Answer the following questions. Use the Present Progressive tense.**

1. Where is Janet sitting now? What is she doing?

Janet is sitting on a wooden chair. She is fixing a coat.

2. Where is James sitting now? What is he doing?

James is sitting in front of Janet. He is fixing clothes too.

3. Who is coming in at this moment? What is he carrying?

At this moment a man is coming in. He is carrying a pile of clothes.

**B. Rewrite the following sentences as negative sentences, yes/no questions, WH-questions (using the underlined word) and tag questions.**

1. She is sitting on a wooden chair.

**Negative:** She is not sitting on a wooden chair.

**Yes/No Question:** Is she sitting on a wooden chair?

**WH-Question:** Where is she sitting?

**Tag Question:** She is sitting on a wooden chair, isn't she?

2. She is holding a coat.

**Negative:** She is not holding a coat.

**Yes/No Question:** Is she holding a coat?

**WH-Question:** What is she holding?

**Tag Question:** She is holding a coat, isn't she?

3. He is wearing dark clothes.

**Negative:** He is not wearing dark clothes.

**Yes/No Question:** Is he wearing dark clothes?

**WH-Question:** Who is wearing dark clothes?

**Tag Question:** He is wearing dark clothes, isn't he?

**C. Rewrite the story using contractions.**

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