Present Continuous - Exercises

1. Put the verb in the present continuous.
   It is six o’clock in the evening and everybody is very busy.
   1. My mother ..........................(make) dinner.
   2. My father ............................(work) in the garden.
   4. My brother ............................(tidy) his room.
   5. My grandmother ..........................(walk) a dog.
   6. My grandfather ..............................(pick) apples.
   7. Only I ..................................(not do) anything. I think I’ll turn on the TV. Let’s see what’s on.

2. Make full sentences in present continuous. Use these words:
   1. swim / lake / Becky .................................................................
   2. hate / fat / meat ......................................................................
   3. pick / flowers / granny .............................................................
   4. come / concert / tomorrow / you / ?........................................
   5. why / jump / boy /?................................................................
   6. we / feed / crocodiles ................................................................
   7. why / smoke / again / you / ?...................................................
   8. it / rain / ?.............................................................................
   9. children / not laugh / but / cry ....................................................
   10. go / where / you / ?.................................................................

3. Put the verbs in the correct form, present continuous or present simple.
   ex.: Let’s go out. It isn’t raining (not rain) now.
   Julia is very good at languages. She speaks (speak) four languages very well.
   1. Hurry up! Everybody ..........................(wait) for you!
   2. “..............................................(you / listen) to the radio?” “No, you can turn it off.”
   3. “..............................................(you / listen) to the radio every day?” “No, just occasionally.”
   4. The River Nile ..........................(flow) into the Mediterranean.
   5. We usually ...........................(grow) vegetables in our garden, but this year ..........................(not grow) any.
   6. Rachel is in London at the moment. She ...........................(stay) at the Park Hotel.
   7. Normally I ...........................(finish) work at five, but this week I ..........................(work) until six to earn a little more money.
4. A traveler in time from the 16th century is in shock when he sees what people in the 21st century are doing. Read his talking and continue with it - write another 10 sentences.

"It is terrible; people are living in very, very tall buildings! They call them skyscrapers. They are jumping from bridges and rocks with a rope around their legs! How crazy! They are... ...............................................................
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