

Speaking in the present

When you talk about another person (she or he) the verbs take the letter 's' at the end.

I like _____.

I speak _____.

I live in _____.

She likes yoga.

She speaks Spanish.

She lives in County Dublin.

Fill in the table about people in your class.

Name	Martin					
live	County Dublin					
speak	English					
like	football and cinema					
is	married					

Practice

Choose two people from the table and write sentences about them.

Person 1 _____

Person 2 _____

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Positive sentences

It is very important to remember the 'S' when we talk about another person (he or she).

I speak English.

I like football.

I take bus number 46A.

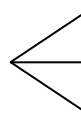
She speaks Irish.

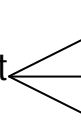
She likes yoga.

She drives to school.

Negative sentences

In negative sentences we use

I don't  speak Irish
 like yoga
 drive to school

She doesn't  speak Russian.
 like football.
 take bus number 46.

Write sentences which are true for you.

- 1. (speak Irish) _____
- 2. (smoke) _____
- 3. (get up at 6 o'clock) _____
- 4. (live in Bray) _____
- 5. (like cleaning) _____

Write sentences about your teacher

- 6. (live in Dublin 7) _____
- 7. (speak Arabic) _____
- 8. (take bus 45) _____
- 9. (likes ironing) _____
- 10. (divorced) _____

Positive and negative sentences

If the sentence is positive, write the negative.

If the sentence is negative, write the positive.

Example

I work in a bank.

I don't work in a bank.

She doesn't speak Somali.

She speaks Somali.

1. I smoke 20 cigarettes a day.

2. I speak German.

3. My teacher works all night.

4. I don't speak English.

5. I go to MacDonalds every day.

6. We don't live in Ireland.

7. My teacher gets up at 10:30.

8. My friend doesn't like dancing.

9. I drive to school.

10. My teacher cooks Chinese food.

11. I don't play football.

12. Children don't like playing.

13. My teacher likes cleaning the house.

14. I don't go to the cinema.

15. We go to school in the afternoon.
