

LESSON NINE

Who is speaking?



Dialogue



Ali is talking to Reza.

- Ali: Hello.
Reza: Hello. Is that Ali?
Ali: Yes. Who's speaking?
Reza: This is Reza.
Ali: Hello, Reza. What are you doing?
Reza: I'm studying.
Ali: English or Persian?
Reza: English.
Ali: Do you study English every day?
Reza: No, not every day. But I'm practicing it now.
Ali: Oh, *mum's calling. Thank you, goodbye.
Reza: Goodbye.



Understanding

Give complete answers orally.

1. Who's calling Ali?
2. What is Reza doing?
3. Does he practice English every day?
4. Who is talking to Reza?

* mom: American spelling



Patterns: Listen and repeat.

A. You see Ali in these pictures.

Listen to your teacher and repeat the sentences.



1. Ali's getting up now.



2. He's washing his hands and face.



3. He's saying his prayers now.



4. He's putting on his clothes.



5. He's eating his breakfast.



6. He's going to school.

7. Ali and his friends are playing football at school now.



B. Listen and repeat.



1. What's Ali doing?
He's doing his homework.



2. Are they eating dinner now?
No, they aren't.

3. What are they doing?
They're watching TV.



Oral Drills

Close your books. Listen to the tape and substitute the words in the pattern sentences.

A.

I am walking to school now.

- | | |
|--------------|--------|
| 1. You | 4. She |
| 2. They | 5. We |
| 3. The woman | |

B.

Are you watching TV?

- | | |
|--------|---------|
| 1. Ali | 4. they |
| 2. we | 5. you |
| 3. he | |

C.

I am not teaching Persian now.

1. listen to the radio
2. read a newspaper
3. do my homework
4. write English
5. teach English

D. Answer these questions. Follow the model.

Model:

What are you doing?
I am putting on my jacket.



1. What is she doing?



2. What are they doing?



3. What are the boys doing?



4. What is he doing?

5. What is she doing?



Write It Down

A. Choose a sentence for each picture. Follow the example.

1

She is writing a letter.

4

She's eating an apple.

2

He's reading a newspaper.

5

Mrs Azari is making dinner.

3

She's watching TV.

6

They're playing football.



Example: 3. She's watching TV.





B. Complete the sentences. Follow the example.

Example: He ----- . (go to school)
He is going to school now.

1. The children ----- . (eat breakfast)
2. They ----- . (play ping - pong)
3. She ----- . (do her homework)
4. You ----- . (practice English)
5. The teacher ----- . (speak English)

C. Read these sentences.

1. Ali gets up at 5:30 every morning.
2. He eats his breakfast at 6:00.
3. He goes to school at 7:00 o'clock.
4. His class begins at 8:00.
5. He studies English on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Now write about yourself .

1. I
2. I
3.
4.
5.

D. Change these sentences. Follow the example.

Example: He studies English two days a week.
He is studying English now.
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1. Mary does her homework every evening.
.....
2. The boys play football on Fridays.
.....
3. We go to school at 7:00 every morning.
.....
4. They study English on Mondays and Wednesdays.
.....
5. I do my homework at home every day.
.....

E. Make questions with these words. Follow the example.

Example: the teacher / speak
Is the teacher speaking English?
.....

1. the students / play
.....?
2. the children / watch
.....?
3. Ali / eat
.....?
4. I / walk
.....?
5. Mina / make
.....?

F. Ask questions and give short answers.

Example:

Ali / walk to school every morning
 A: Does Ali walk to school every morning?
 B: Yes, he does.

1. the boys / play football on Mondays

A: Do ----- ?

B: No, -----.

2. the students / speak English

A: Are ----- ?

B: Yes, -----.

3. they / go to school by bus

A: Do ----- ?

B: Yes, -----.

4. Ali / read a newspaper

A: Is ----- ?

B: No, -----.

5. she / do her homework

A: Is ----- ?

B: No, -----.



Speak Out

A. Look at the pictures and answer the questions orally. Follow the model.

Model:

What is she doing?
 She is reading a book.



1. What is Maryam doing?

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2. What are they doing?

-----.



3. What is she doing?

-----.



4. What are they doing?

-----.

5. What is he doing?

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B. Answer these questions. Follow the model.

Model:

What is she reading? (a book)
She is reading a book.
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1. What is she reading? (a newspaper)

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2. What is she studying? (English)

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3. What is he writing? (a letter)

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4. What are they watching? (TV)

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5. What is she doing? (her homework)

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Read Aloud

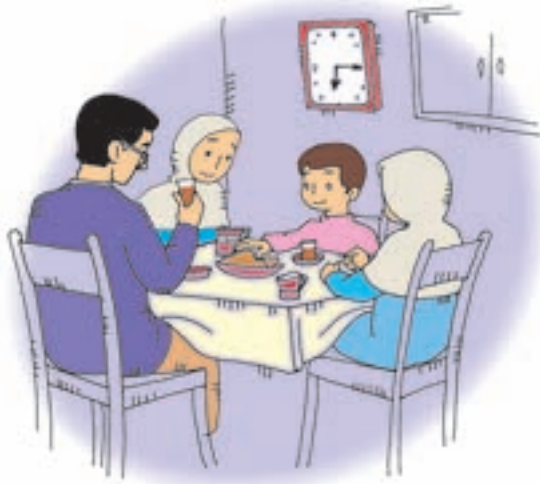
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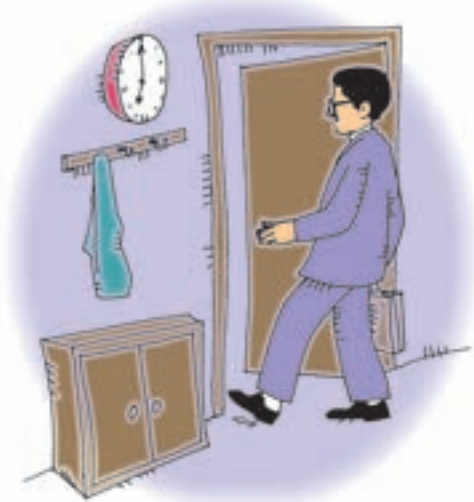
Reading

My name is Javad. This is my mother. She makes breakfast for the family every morning. Now she is making tea.





It's 6:15 now. My mother, my sister ,and I are sitting at the table. We are eating breakfast. Our father is drinking tea.



It's 7:00 in the morning. My father is leaving home. He goes to work at 7:00 o'clock.



It's 7:30 now. I am putting on my jacket. I'm not ready for school yet.



It's 7:45. Hurry up Javad. You're late today. Your class begins at 8:00.

Now answer these questions in complete sentences.

1. Who is making tea?
2. What is my father drinking?
3. What time does he go to work?
4. Am I putting on my jacket or my shirt?
5. What is my sister doing?

New Words and Expressions

at (the table)
children
clothes
do
face
for
it
letter

mum/mom
newspaper
now
oh
or
tea
week
woman
yet

be late
be ready
begin
call
drink
leave
make (tea, dinner,...)
practice
put on
say ... prayers
talk
wash

... day(s) a week
This is Reza.

Basic Structure			
a. Simple Present			
I You We They	study	English every day.	
He She	studies		
b. Present Continuous			
I	am	studying	English now.
He She	is		
We You They	are		
<p>Comment: The simple present is used to show what we do every day. The present continuous shows an action happening at the time of speaking.</p>			