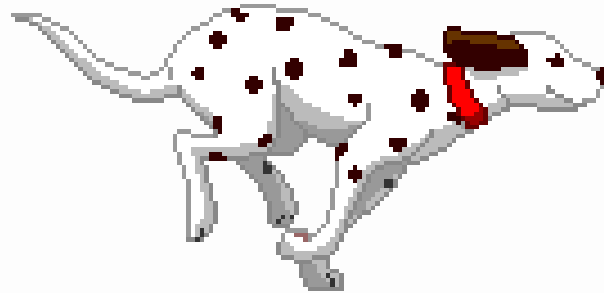


# Present Continuous Tense

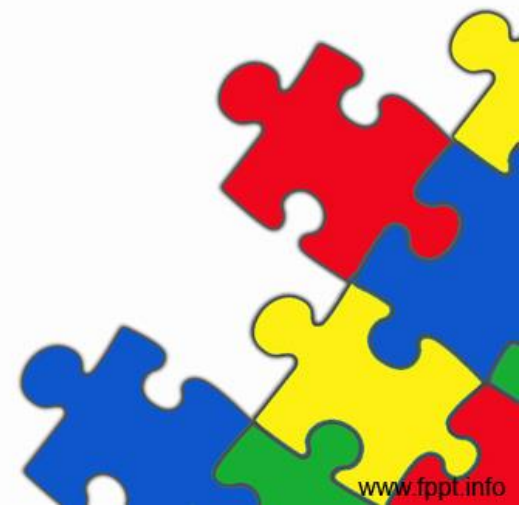


# We use the present continuous to talk about:

- Action happening **now**
- Now you are looking at the screen and at the same time...



The dog is running.



# The structure of the present continuous tense is:



to be

V + ing



The bird is flying.



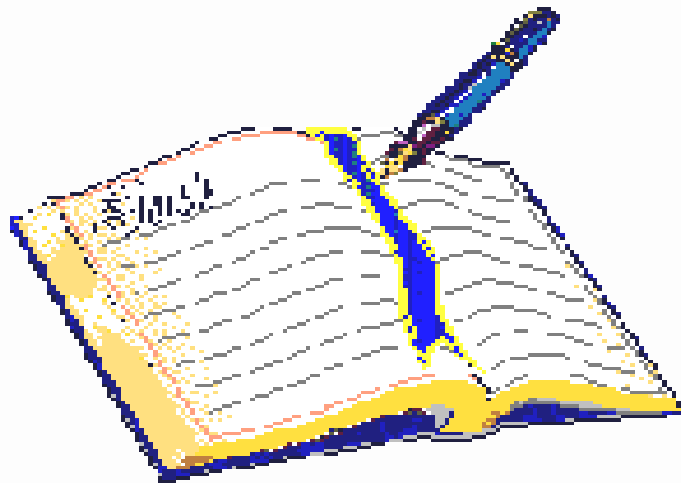
# Verb + ing

❖ sleep + ing → sleeping

❖ make~~x~~ + ing → making

❖ shop   + ing → shopping





- I am writing.



# Present Continuous - Affirmative

I am play**ING**  
You are

He is play**ING** Football  
She is  
It is

We are  
You are play**ING**  
They are



# Negative sentences

- I am **not** reading.



- I am writing



# Present Continuous - Negative

I am not play**ING**

You are not

He is not

She is not

It is not

play**ING**

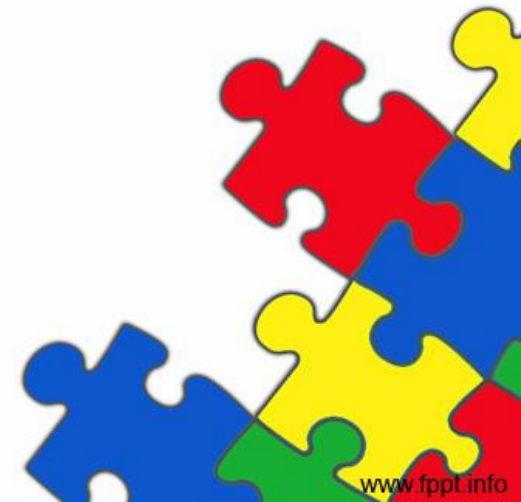
Football

We are not

You are not

They are not

play**ING**



# Questions



- **Are** they dancing?
- Yes, they are.
- **Is** he eating pizza?
- No, he isn't.



# Present Continuous - Questions

Am I  
Are You      play**ING**

Is He  
Is She      play**ING**      Football?  
Is It

Are We  
Are You      play**ING**  
Are They



# Present Continuous – Short answers

Yes, I am

Yes, you are

Yes, he is

Yes, she is

Yes, it is

Yes, we are

Yes, you are

Yes, they are

No, I'm not

No, you aren't

No, he isn't

No, she isn't

No, it isn't

No, we aren't

No, you aren't

No, they aren't



# What is she doing?

- She is reading a book.



# What is she doing?

- She is crying.



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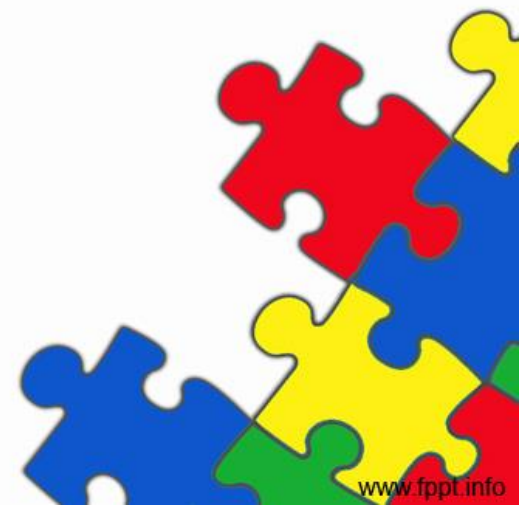
# What's he doing?

- He's watching TV.



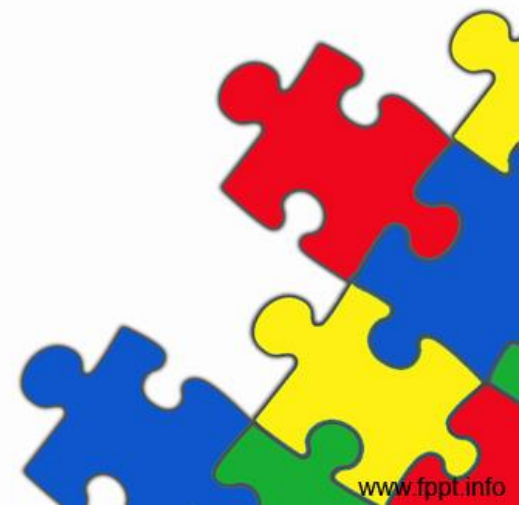
# Where's he going?

- He's going to school.



# And what are you doing right now?

- We are studying English.



# PRACTICE

A: Hi, Lisa! What are you doing (do)?

B: Hi, Zach! I am eating (eat) a sandwich.

A: That's Good! is you brother playing (play) video games?

B: No, he's not! He is watching (watch) TV.

A: What is your mom doing (do)?

B: She's is washing (wash) the dishes,  
and what are you doing?

A: I am finishing (finish) my English homework.

