

## GRAMMAR PRACTICE

### I. Grammar:

#### 1. The simple present tense.

- \* Structures: (+) S + V(s/es) .....
- (-) S + don't/doesn't + V...
- (?) Do/Does + S + V...?

#### 2. The present progressive tense.

- \* Structures: (+) S + be (am/is/are) + V-ing ...
- (-) S + am not/ isn't/aren't + V-ing...
- (?) Are/Is + S + V-ing...?

#### 3. a/an; some/any (review)

4. **Adjectives:** tall, heavy, thin, short, light, full, weak, thirsty, hot, strong, hungry, cold, cool, warm, round, oval, young, new....

### II. Exercises (Student's book)

1. Present simple tense (p.122)
2. a, an, some, any (p.122)
3. Adjectives (p.122)
4. Question words (p.123)
5. Contrast: Present simple and present progressive tenses (p123)

### III. Further exercises

#### I. Choose the word or sentence that best fits the blank in each sentence

1. They want \_\_\_\_\_ milk.  
A. a                                      B. any                                      C. some
2. Would you like some water? No, thanks. I'm not \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. thirsty                                B. full                                      C. tired
3. What is there \_\_\_\_\_ dinner?  
A. to                                        B. for                                        C. at
4. The girls feel so hungry. They want some \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. water                                  B. milk                                      C. meat and rice
5. Lan has \_\_\_\_\_ lips.  
A. heavy                                  B. full                                        C. tall
6. Apples are my \_\_\_\_\_ fruit.  
A. favor                                    B. favorite                                C. health
7. What \_\_\_\_\_ you like for breakfast? \_ I'd like a sandwich and some milk.  
A. would                                B. do                                        C. are
8. \_\_\_\_\_? He feels tired.  
A. How does he feels?                B. How does he feel?                C. How is he feel?
9. Is there \_\_\_\_\_ tea left.  
A. some                                  B. a                                         C. any
10. \_\_\_\_\_? It's green.  
A. What's this?                        B. What color is the pencil?            C. Do you like it?

#### II. Supply the correct form or tense of verb in parentheses.

1. Mr and Mrs Smith (**want**) \_\_\_\_\_ something to drink.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ (**her mother / have**) \_\_\_\_\_ long black hair?
3. She would (**like**) \_\_\_\_\_ some vegetables.
4. They (**drink**) \_\_\_\_\_ some iced milk at the moment.

5. It (**be**) \_\_\_\_\_ very cold now. You should put on your coat.
6. Lan (**go**) \_\_\_\_\_ shopping to buy some food everyday.
7. Listen! Students (**sing**) \_\_\_\_\_ in that room.
8. On Sundays, Nam and Ba usually (**stay**) \_\_\_\_\_ at home.

**III. Reading.**

**A. Read the passage, and then choose the word that best fits each of the blanks.**

**strong      is      a      has      brown      hair      skin**

Hoa is (1) \_\_\_\_\_ gymnast. She (2) \_\_\_\_\_ thin and light. She (3) \_\_\_\_\_ a round face and short fair (4) \_\_\_\_\_. She has (5) \_\_\_\_\_ eyes and a small nose. She is very (6) \_\_\_\_\_.

**B. Read the following text. Decide if the statements are True or False and then answer the questions**

My name is Thu. I live in a small house in the country with my parents and my little brother. My father likes fish, noodles and iced coffee. He always drinks a cup of coffee in the morning before going to work. He doesn't like soda or carrots. My mother's favorite foods are fish, chicken and carrots. She doesn't like bananas or apples. My little brother loves noodles. He has noodles for breakfast every day. He also likes fish and potatoes. His favorite drink is lemonade. As for me, my favorite foods are beef, beans, and potatoes. I also like drinking apple juice and lemonade.

1. Thu's brother and father don't like noodles. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Thu's father likes carrots but her mother doesn't. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Thu's favorite drinks are carrot juice and lemonade \_\_\_\_\_
4. Thu likes beans but she doesn't like potatoes \_\_\_\_\_

**IV. Rearrange the groups of words in a correct order to make complete sentences.**

1. face/ Hoa / an/ and/ oval/ nose/ small/ a/ has/.  
.....
2. doing / I / now / homework / in / am / the library/  
.....
3. rice / They / like / and / don't / chicken /.  
.....
4. Lan's / is / Chicken / food / favorite /.  
.....

**VI. Rewrite these sentences so that they have the same meaning as the original 1.**

- Laura's hair is long and black.  
Laura has .....
2. His favorite vegetables are cabbage and tettuce.  
He likes .....

**VI. Make questions for the underlined parts in the sentences**

1. They would like some noodles.  
.....?
2. She feels thirsty. She would like something to drink.  
.....?

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