

Present Tense Subject / Verb Agreement

Use the following structure to form subject – verb agreement in the present tense.

he / she / it	[verb + “s” or “es”]
I / you / we / they	[verb]

The verb “**to be**” has an irregular conjugation in the present tense:

I	[am]
he / she / it	[is]
you / we / they	[are]

Directions: Circle the correct verb form in the following sentences.

Example: I (am, are) wearing jeans.

- 1) I ____ (are, am) happy.
- 2) Rice ____ (taste, tastes) good with chicken.
- 3) He ____ (are, is) wearing a blue shirt.
- 4) Roberto ____ (plays, play) soccer.
- 5) You ____ (drive, drives) a car to work.
- 6) Tom ____ (use, uses) a fork to eat.
- 7) Jenny ____ (am, is) a good student.
- 8) Cars ____ (take, takes) people from one place to another.
- 9) You ____ (has, have) a nice smile.
- 10) Those pencils ____ (need, needs) to be sharpened.