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TALLER DE REFUERZO- I PERIODO
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Present Simple, Present Continuous

A) Read the two texts carefully. Then answer the questions.

Isabel

‘On **Saturday mornings** I usually get up late and do the housework. Then I meet some friends in town for lunch, and go shopping in the afternoon.’

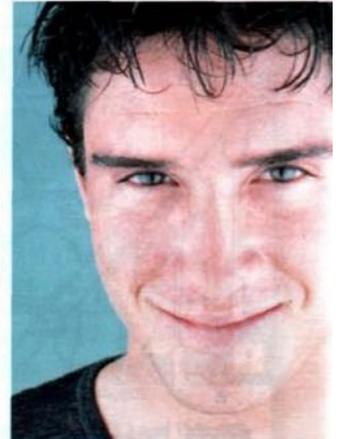
But this Saturday is different! This morning Isabel got up early because today she’s getting married. She’s in church with all her family and friends. She’s wearing a white dress, and her husband is standing next to her.



Mark

‘On **Christmas Day** we usually all go to my parents’ house. We open our presents, then have a big lunch at about 2.00 in the afternoon.’

But this Christmas is different! Mark and his wife are in Australia. They’re visiting friends. This morning they went to church, and now they’re having a barbecue next to the swimming pool. It’s hot and they’re wearing swimsuits.



1. What does Isabel usually do on Saturday mornings?
2. What is she doing this Saturday?
3. What does Mark usually do on Christmas day?
4. What is he doing this Christmas?
5. Underline the verbs in the two text, compare between the verbs that describe habits (usually) and the verbs that describe actions at the time of speaking (this Saturday/ Christmas.../ Now ...) . Then complete the rules:
 - a) When we **describe habits**, we put the verb in the tense.
 - b) When we **describe actions at the time of speaking**, we put the verb in the tense.

B) Complete the text about Leo by putting the verbs in the correct tense.

‘On my birthday I (go/ sometimes)..... out with friends, or I (go) out to a restaurant with my family. My Mum (make/ usually)me a birthday cake. My Dad and sisters (get/ usually) me birthday presents.’

But this birthday is different! It’s Leo’s eighteenth birthday, so now he’s an adult. This morning he got a lot of presents. Now he (have)a big party with all his friends. They (dance)..... and (sing) They (eat) delicious food and cakes, and (drink)..... different sweet drinks. Leo (wear) a blue jumber.



C) Write a short paragraph talking about what you usually do, and what you are doing right now.

D) complete with the comparatives

- 1- winter is _____ spring (cold)
- 2- girls are _____ boys (quiet)
- 3- my garden is _____ a park (small)
- 4- rugby is _____ football (dangerous)
- 5- a sofa is _____ a chair (confortable)
- 6- my father is _____ my brother (strong)
- 7- english is _____ maths (easy)
- 8- a month is _____ a week (long)
- 9- a plane is _____ a car (fast)
- 10- a car is _____ a bike (expensive)

E) circle the correct otion

- 1- spring is **windier than / the windiest** summer
- 2- cars are **the quickest / quicker than** a bike
- 3- my sister is **the shortest / shorter than** person in my family
- 4- a radio is **cheaper than / the cheapest** a t.v.
- 5- my bedroom is **tidier than / the tidiest** room in my house.
- 6- history is **the most interesting/ more interesting than** subject of all.
- 7- a gorilla is **the strongest/ stronger than** a snake.
- 8- cocrodiles are **more dangerous than/ the most dangerous** snakes.

F) Choose the correct option

1. I need some *tea*. _____ do you need?

() How much () How many

2. I need some *eggs*. _____ do you need?

() How much () How many

3. I need some *paper*. _____ do you need?

() How much () How many

4. I need some *money*. _____ do you need?

() How much () How many

5. _____ *cigarettes* do you smoke a day?

() How much () How many

6. _____ *work* do you have to do?

() How much () How many

7. _____ *sleep* did you get last night?

() How much () How many

8. _____ *children* do you have?

() How much () How many

9. _____ *real friends* do you have?

() How much () How many

10. _____ *times* must I tell you?

() How much () How many