

Choose the option that completes the sentence by using **Simple Present Tense** or **Present Continuous Tense**.

- 1) The mechanic _____ the car's engine problem right now. He will let the owner know soon.
A) is diagnosing B) diagnose C) diagnoses D) am diagnosing
- 2) The technician _____ new software on the computers. The system should be updated by the end of the day.
A) am installing B) is installing C) install D) installs
- 3) The car mechanic _____ the engine at the moment. It should be ready by this afternoon.
A) repairing B) am repairing C) repair D) is repairing
- 4) The librarian _____ books at the moment. She is organizing them by category.
A) shelve B) shelved C) is shelving D) am shelving
- 5) The librarian _____ new books in the library. She is organizing them by author.
A) am cataloging B) is cataloging C) catalogs D) catalog
- 6) The dog _____ around the yard right now. It looks like it is having a lot of fun.
A) am running B) running C) is running D) run
- 7) The musician _____ the violin at the concert tonight. The audience is eager to hear her performance.
A) is playing B) plays C) am playing D) play
- 8) The photographer _____ stunning images of the sunset. The colors are beautiful.
A) am capturing B) is capturing C) captures D) capture
- 9) The team of engineers _____ a new bridge in the city. The project is progressing on schedule.
A) design B) designing C) is designing D) am designing
- 10) Several students _____ for the test at the moment. They are playing outside.
A) am not studying B) doesn't study C) don't study D) aren't studying
- 11) The driver _____ up passengers from the airport right now. The traffic is light today.
A) picks B) is picking C) pick D) am picking
- 12) The students _____ their books to class today. They left them at home.
A) doesn't bring B) don't bring C) am not bringing D) aren't bringing
- 13) The gardener _____ the plants in the greenhouse. The flowers are growing beautifully.
A) am watering B) is watering C) water D) watering
- 14) A few volunteers _____ the park right now. They are picking up trash.
A) cleaning B) are cleaning C) clean D) am cleaning
- 15) Several workers _____ furniture into the new office. They are setting up the desks.
A) am moving B) are moving C) move D) moving

Answer Sheet (C1MB5)

Simple Present Tense or Present Continuous Tense: Intermediate Level: Multiple Choice Quiz 5

- 1) A) is diagnosing
- 2) B) is installing
- 3) D) is repairing
- 4) C) is shelving
- 5) B) is cataloging
- 6) C) is running
- 7) A) is playing
- 8) B) is capturing
- 9) C) is designing
- 10) D) aren't studying
- 11) B) is picking
- 12) D) aren't bringing
- 13) B) is watering
- 14) B) are cleaning
- 15) B) are moving



scan or click here for more pdfs