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Let's focus our attention to the lesson given in pages 47 & 48

Present Continuous Tense

The Form: Subject + am / is / are + "ing" form of the Verb

Function: 1. To describe action that is taking place now.

Look at the examples.

1. I **am reading** the first sentence now.
2. He **is looking** at me.
3. She **is listening** to the radio.
4. The cat **is drinking** milk.
5. We **are learning** a grammar lesson.
6. You **are sitting** next to me.

Function : 2. To refer to the immediate / planned future events.

Look at the examples.

1. I **am going** to a movie tonight.
2. Ravi **is taking** part in the inter-school drama competition next Monday.
3. Sheela **is going** to the library this evening.
4. We **are visiting** our grandparents this weekend.
5. They **are coming** tomorrow morning.

Activity- 1. Fill in each blank with the **Present Continuous** form of the verb given in brackets.

1. The gardener(water) the plants.
2. I(read) the newspaper.
3. You(make) a big noise. I can't concentrate on the lesson.
4. Those children are happy. They(enjoy) a trip.
5. Look! Our teacher.....(come).Let's go to the class.

Activity- 2. (a) Write 5 sentences about the things that are taking place around you at the moment.

(b) Write 5 sentences that refer to the immediate /planned future events.

(c) Complete the activity given in page 47 in your text book. (Do it as a writing activity)