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Grammar Self-check
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GRAMMAR. The simple present tense: habitual activities

Look at these sentences in the simple present.

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FIGURE IT OUT . . .

Complete these grammar rules.

1. Use the simple present tense for _____ activities.
ongoing / habitual
2. Add _____ to the base form of the verb after the subjects **he**, **she**,
-s / -ed
and **it**.
3. Use the _____ form of the verb after the subjects **you**, **I**, **they**, and **we**.
past / base