

Exercise 4

Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with the correct (Present Continuous Tense) form of the verbs given in brackets:

1. The peon *is ringing* (ring) the bell.
2. It *is drizzling* (drizzle) outside now.
3. He *is leaving* (leave) Delhi this morning.
4. She *is writing* (write) a letter.
5. I *am going* (go) to see my parents.
6. My brother *is practising* (practise) law these days.
7. He *is burning* (burn) midnight oil these days.
8. The officer *is looking* (look) into the matter.
9. The boys *are playing* (play) cricket.
10. Why *are* you *spoil*ing (spoil) your clothes?

Exercise 5

Fill in the blanks in the following sentences using Simple Present Tense or Present Continuous Tense of the Verb given in brackets:

1. Take an umbrella with you. It *is raining* (rain).
2. The District Education Officer *comes* (come) here.
3. My brother *wants* (want) to buy a new car.
4. We *are thinking* (think) of going to Kalka.
5. They *are building* (build) a new house.
6. Agra *stands* (stand) on the bank of the Yamuna.
7. The boy *is crying* (cry). He *wants* (want) milk.
8. I *am learning* (learn) to drive.
9. The cook *is making* (make) tea. It will be ready in five minutes.
10. This book *consists* (consist) of fifty pages.
11. Mr. Kapoor rarely *wears* (wear) a hat.
12. She generally *goes* (go) to school on foot.
13. Run fast. The train is *coming* (come).
14. She is tired. She *does not want* (not want) to work any more.
15. The school *begins* (begin) with a morning assembly every day.