

Present Continuous Poems for kids

Affirmative Sentences

It is play time in Ron's school. What are all the children doing?

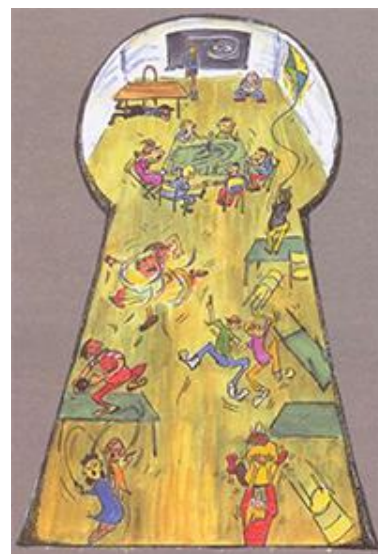
Peter IS HATING a cake.
Susan IS DRAWING a snake.
Mary and Janet ARE SKIPPING.
Mark, Tom and Wendy ARE SITTING
and PLAYING a game of roulette
with Caroline, Kate and Anette.
Nevil IS FLYING a colourful kite.
Ron'S PUSHING Ted with all of his might.
Johnny IS THROWING a ball.
Bobby IS FIGHTING with Paul.
Alex IS HAVING a nap.
Two boys ARE LEARNING to rap.
They'RE all HAVING really good fun -
The boys and girls from NAUGHTY GRADE ONE.

Ron is in NAUGHTY GRADE ONE. It is the end of June and Ron has only one more week at school. During this week Ron and his friends are planning to do rather unusual things.

On Monday they'RE CLEANING the school.
On Tuesday they'RE PAINTING the pool.
On Wednesday they'RE SPENDING a day
catching fish at Greenwater Bay.
On Thursday the boys from Ron's class
ARE SINGING some psalms at a mass.
On Friday they'RE READING a book
on pirates and bad captain Hook.
On Saturday they'RE SHOWING a play.
There's The Snow Queen, Gerda and Kay.
On Sunday Ron'S FLYING to Rome.
For a month he IS LEAVING his home.

I'm a boy. I'm playing with my toy.
He's a boy. He's playing with his toy.
I'm a girl. I'm playing with my doll.
She's a girl. She's playing with her doll.

I'm a rat. I'm wearing a hat.
It's a rat. It's wearing a hat.
I'm a parrot. I'm drawing a carrot.
It's a parrot. It's drawing a carrot.
I'm a bear. I'm brushing my hair.
It's a bear. It's brushing its hair.
I'm a snail. I'm looking for my tail.
It's a snail. It's looking for its tail.



I'm a mouse. I'm running in the house.
It's a mouse. It's running in the house.
I'm a bee. I'm hiding in the tree.
It's a bee. It's hiding in the tree.
I'm a fox. I'm sleeping in the box.
It's a fox. It's sleeping in the box.
I'm a butterfly. I'm flying in the sky.
It's a butterfly. It's flying in the sky.
— Who is running in the house?
— The mouse.
— Who is hiding in the tree?
— The bee.
— Who is sleeping in the box?
— The fox.
— Who is flying in the sky?
— The butterfly.

- Listen to me.
- I'm listening.
- Speak to me.
- I'm speaking.
- Come to me.
- I'm coming.
- Run to me.
- I'm running.

She is looking at the star.
He is playing the guitar.
He is singing, «Dear Lily,
How beautiful you are!»

Polly is running,
Dolly is screaming,
Willy is jumping,
Tommy is singing.

What a noise!
What a rush!
Dear children
Hush, hush!

Some children are writing.
Some children are reading.
Some children are jumping.
Some children are eating.

The girl is lying in the sun.
The boy is eating a bun.
The dog is waiting by the door.
The cat is playing on the floor.

This is my father,
A busy man,
He is writing
With a pen.
 This is my brother,
 A clever boy,
 He is playing
 With his toy.
This is my sister,
A pretty girl,
She is dancing
With her doll.
 This is my cat,
 A funny pet,
 It is looking
 For a rat.

I'm calling my friends
At half past three.
They're very busy,
They can't come to me:
Pete is reading a book,
Kate is learning to cook,
Pat is feeding her cat,
Jack is tidying his flat.

The birds are singing.
The sun is shining.
The boys are running.
The girls are smiling.

Jane is always losing things,
She is always buying rings,
She is always catching cats,
She is always changing hats.

Tom is always coming late,
He is always pushing Kate,
He is always catching frogs,
He is always chasing dogs.

How lovely is the evening
When the bells are sweetly ringing.
Din-din-don, din-din-don —
What a lovely pleasant song!

Mr Boring is snoring.
Mr Bumping is jumping.
Mr Freezing is sneezing.
Mr Wishing is fishing.

Summer

On a warm summer day
Little children like to play.
What a lovely day today!
What are they doing today?
They are running,
They are singing,
They are jumping.
They are swimming.

Autumn

Rain is falling, falling down,
It is falling on the ground.
Leaves are falling, falling down,
They are falling on the ground.

Winter

It is snowing.
The wind is blowing.
The girls are reading.
The boys are skiing.

Spring

The buds are springing.
The birds are singing.
The sun is shining.
The people are smiling.

It's a wet windy day.
It's raining today.
It's a cold frosty day.
It's snowing today.

In Antarctica it's snowing,
And in Africa it's hot,
In Japan the wind is blowing,
And in Italy it's not.
In Brazil the sun is shining,
And in Spain the sky is blue,
In Great Britain it is raining,
And in France it's raining, too.

Polly, Dolly, Kate and Molly —
All are filled with pride and folly.
They are naughty every day.
What are they doing today?
Polly is giggling,
Dolly is wriggling,
Kate is fighting,
Molly is biting.

The cats are sitting
On the shelves.
They are enjoying
Themselves.

The cats are sleeping,
The mice are eating,
The birds are singing,
The ducks are swimming.

Today I'm feeling sad.
I really don't know why.
I've got so much to make me glad,
And yet I want to cry.

Three little ghosts
Are sitting on the posts.
They are drinking coffee
And eating cheese
toasts.



It's 8 o'clock in the morning.
The boy is chasing the dog.
The dog is chasing the cat.
The cat is chasing the rat —
What a flat!



General Questions

Are you sleeping?
Are you sleeping,
Dear Nick, dear Nick?
Morning bells are ringing,
Morning bells are ringing:
Tick-tock-tick,
Tick-tock-tick.

Are you washing?
Are you washing,
Dear Nick, dear Nick?
Morning bells are ringing,
Morning bells are ringing:
Tick-tock-tick,
Tick-tock-tick.

Are you eating?
Are you eating,
Dear Sam, dear Sam?
Evening bells are ringing.
Evening bells are ringing:
— Yes, I am. Yes, I am.
Are you reading?
Are you reading,
Dear Sam, dear Sam?
Evening bells are ringing.
Evening bells are ringing:
— Yes, I am. Yes, I am.

In the evening
My telephone is ringing.
And my friends are asking me,
"Are you watching TV?
Are you dancing?
Are you reading?
Are you eating?
Are you sleeping?"
— "No, I'm not.
I'm not dancing,
I'm not reading,
I'm not eating,
I'm not sleeping.
I'm learning English!"

Are you playing football?
— Is Nick playing football?
Are you watching TV?
— Is he watching TV?
Are you reading a book?
— Is he reading a book?
Are you drinking tea?
— Is he drinking tea?

Special Questions

— Where are you going,
My pretty girl?
— I'm going to the shop
To buy a doll.
— Where are you going,
My pretty boy?
— I'm going to the shop
To buy a ball.

— What are you doing now, Mr Cow?
— I'm eating.
— What are you doing now, Mrs Cow?
— I'm dreaming.

— One-two-three-four,
Who is knocking at my door?
Five-six-seven-eight,
Who is knocking at my gate?
— It's a cat,
Funny and fat.
And a pig,
Hungry and big.
And a doll,
Pretty and small.
And a mouse.
Come into my house!

Planned Future

- What are you doing tonight, Mr Luing?
- I'm staying at home.
- What are you doing?
- I'm going to the theater.
- Will you go with me?
- Oh, no, I'm watching TV.

- What are you doing at 3?
- I'm as busy as a bee.
- What are you doing at 4?
- I'm painting my door.
- What are you doing at 5?
- I'm learning to drive.
- What are you doing at 8?
- Nothing.
- Great!

I'm having a party on Sunday.
I'm having a meeting on Monday.
I'm going to London next week.
My plans are interesting and big!