Present Progressive - Test 2 - Answers

A - Put in the correct verb forms.

1) Tom _______ playing the guitar.
   a) am
   b) are
   c) is

2) The farmers _______ milking the cows.
   a) am
   b) are
   c) is

3) Carmen _______ not waiting for the school bus.
   a) am
   b) are
   c) is

4) _______ the children flying their kites?
   a) Am
   b) Are
   c) Is

5) They _______ cycling with their friends.
   a) am
   b) are
   c) is

6) _______ your mother washing her hair?
   a) Am
   b) Are
   c) Is

7) Conny _______ moving to New Zealand next weekend.
   a) am
   b) are
   c) is

8) Look! The rice _______ cooking.
   a) am
   b) are
   c) is

9) My friends and I _______ having tea right now.
   a) am
   b) are
   c) is

10) _______ dreaming?
    a) Am I
    b) Are I'm
    c) Is I'm

B - Which answers are correct?

1) Which actions are in the Present Progressive?
   a) action happening at the moment of speaking
   b) result of an action in the past is important in the present
   c) things in general
   d) you have already decided and arranged to do sth.
   e) repeated actions

2) Which verb forms are formed correctly?
   a) they are admitting
   b) they are admitting
   c) they are lying
   d) they are lying
   e) they are picknicing
   f) they are picknicking
   g) they are serveing
   h) they are serving

3) Which verb forms are correct?
   a) he is phoneing
   b) he is phoning
   c) he is referring
   d) he is referring
   e) he is tidieing
   f) he is tidying
4) Which verb forms are formed correctly?
   a) Hi's having a bath.
   b) I'm having a bath.
   c) Its having a bath.
   d) She's having a bath.
   e) Their having a bath.
   f) We're having a bath.
   g) You're having a bath.
   h) Your having a bath.

5) What are typical signal words for the Present Progressive?
   a) Listen!
   b) ago
   c) at this moment
   d) ever
   e) right now
   f) since
   g) usually

6) Which sentences/questions are in the Present Progressive?
   a) He was with us.
   b) Jessica is wearing a new dress.
   c) Let's visit our aunt.
   d) The boys like reading books.
   e) The girls are doing the shopping.

C - Form short/contracted forms.

1) we are whispering -  __we’re whispering__
2) it is whispering -   __it’s whispering__
3) they are whispering -  __they’re whispering__
4) you are whispering -  __you’re whispering__
5) she is whispering -  __she’s whispering__
6) I am whispering -  __I’m whispering__
7) he is whispering –  __he’s whispering__

D - Ask for the underlined parts.

1) Mr Brown is helping in the shop.  __Where is Mr Brown helping?__
2) Claire is touching the screen.  __What is Claire doing?__
3) Sheila is sitting on the sofa.  __Where is she sitting?__
4) I am writing three e-mails.  __How many e-mails are you writing?__
5) Jack is working late.  __What is Jack doing?__
6) They are playing cricket.  __What are they playing?__
7) Anne is walking her dog.  __Who is walking her dog?__
8) She is buying a present at the clothes shop.  __Where is she buying a present?__
9) The ghost is disappearing.  __Who is disappearing?__
10) They are carrying the bags to the car.  __Where are they carrying the bags to?__
**E - Put in the verbs in brackets into the gaps.**

1) Look! The boys **are putting up** a tent.
2) I **am not seeing** Andrew tonight. auch richtig: **’m seeing**
3) What **are** Tim and Joe **having** for lunch now? auch richtig: **’re Tim and Joe having**
4) Jeff **is celebrating** a party next Friday.
5) I **am teaching** Polish in a school in Krakow. auch richtig: **’m teaching**
6) He **is working** at the supermarket in the holidays. auch richtig: **’s working**
7) Listen to Angela! What language **is** she **speaking**?
8) Mary **is staying** at her aunt's home.
9) Hey! What **are you doing** there? auch richtig: **’re you doing**
10) She **is not phoning** Mel now. auch richtig: **isn't phoning** oder **’s not phoning**

**F - Which sentences/questions are correct?**

1) Which sentence is in the Present Progressive?
   a) He is reading.
   b) He is reads.
   c) He likes reading.
   d) He was reading.

2) Which sentence is in the Present Progressive?
   a) He can't riding on the horse.
   b) He does not riding.
   c) He isn't riding on the horse.
   d) He not riding.

3) Which negative sentence is in the Present Progressive?
   a) Stephen is not polishing the car.
   b) Stephen is polishing not the car.
   c) Stephen polishing not the car.

4) In which sentence is the Present Progressive formed correctly?
   a) Jane and Frank am running after the dog.
   b) Jane and Frank are running after the dog.
   c) Jane and Frank is running after the dog.

5) Which question is in the Present Progressive?
   a) Are you sending text messages?
   b) Have you sending text messages?
   c) Is you sending text messages?
   d) Were you sending text messages?