

# Meeting in a cafe

- grammar lesson



Where are they?

What are they talking about?

Think & take notes!

Ideas

Remember!



# Ideas



- cafe
- drink coffee
- meet someone
- have fun
- laugh together
- say a joke



- cafe
- juice bar
- be at a meeting
- work together
- talk about work = "talk shop"
- business partners

Look at the photos again  
say the words!





# Read and listen to the dialogue!

Think! Who is who? What are their jobs?



Mariko & Pierre



Charlie & Otto

-Hey! So what do you do?  
- I'm a free-lance engineer. I'm working for Smart this month.  
-No way! Me too!  
-You're joking!  
-Would you like another coffee?  
-I'm meeting a friend soon, but OK I have time for one coffee!  
Thanks!

-Hi! What are you doing here?  
-I'm working.  
-Can I sit?  
-Emm...Sure!  
-What are you working on?  
-I am designing a small house.  
-Wow! Can I see it?  
-Emm...

Find out!

Rules

Look at the names!  
Were you right?

## Questions

Read the texts again!

Pierre: Hey! So what do you do?

Mariko: I'm a free-lance engineer.  
I'm working for Smart this month.

Pierre: No way! Me too!

Mariko: You're joking!

Pierre: Would you like an other coffee?

Mariko: I'm meeting a friend soon,  
but OK I have time for one coffee!  
Thanks!

Otto: Hi! What are you doing here?

Charlie: I'm working.

Otto: Can I sit?

Charlie: Emm...Sure!

Otto: What are you working on?

Charlie: I am designing a small house.

Otto: Wow! Can I see it?

Charlie: Emm...

## Answer the questions!



1. How long does Mariko work for Smart?
2. When is Mariko meeting her friend?
3. What is Charlie doing in the picture?
4. What is he doing on the laptop?
5. Are they talking about the PAST, PRESENT (NOW) or FUTURE?





## Answer the questions!



1. How long does Mariko work for Smart?

2. When is Mariko meeting her friend?

3. What is Charlie doing in the picture?

4. What is he doing on the laptop?

5. Are they talking about the PAST, PRESENT (NOW) or FUTURE?



1. this month

2. soon

3. He's working.

4. He's designing a small house

5. PRESENT and FUTURE



# Present continuous



Form

now  
at the moment  
now  
right now

close future  
soon  
shortly  
in a few minutes

temporary actions  
today  
this week  
this year  
a few hours

NOW

I'm working.  
I'm designing a small house.

NOW soon

I'm meeting a friend soon.

NOW

this month

I'm working for Smart this month.

## Form - Present continuous

**+** subject + be + verb-ing + (object + time word)

I 'm meeting a friend soon.

I 'm working for smart this month.

He 's designing a small house.

They 're having a coffee.

**-** subject + be + not + verb-ing + (object + time word)

I 'm not working at the moment.

**?** Q-word + be + subject + verb-ing + (object + time word)

Are you studying now?

What are you studying?

**remember!**  
**BE**

**VERB-ing**

## the verb 'BE'

I 'm  
you 're  
he 's  
she 's  
it 's

we 're  
you 're  
they 're



## Verb-ing

meet + ing = meeting

work + ing = working

smile + ing = smiling ~~smile~~ing

**run + ing = running**

**C [r] + V [u] + C [n] x2 + ing**

C = consonant ( r, m, b, b, g, t etc.)

V = vowel (o, i, u, e, a)

## 1. Four sentences are incorrect. Correct them!

- a. She works in Canada this year.
- b. I'm not working the moment.
- c. They are meeting the boss soon.
- d. Don't worry! She joking!
- e. He's chating with his friend.

## 2. Write questions!

- 1. What \_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_ (do) at the moment?
- 2. What \_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_ (work) on this week?
- 3. What \_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_ (do) tomorrow?
- 4. \_\_\_\_ he \_\_\_\_ (talk) to you or me?
- 5. \_\_\_\_ they \_\_\_\_ (try) to eat better?

#HELP

ANSWERS

## Look at the tips!

1.

- a. She works in Canada **this year**. [temporary action]
- b. I'm not working \_\_ **the moment**. [now]
- c. They are meeting the boss soon.
- d. Don't worry! She \_\_ joking! [verb BE]
- e. He's **chating** with his friend. [C V Cx2 ing]

2.

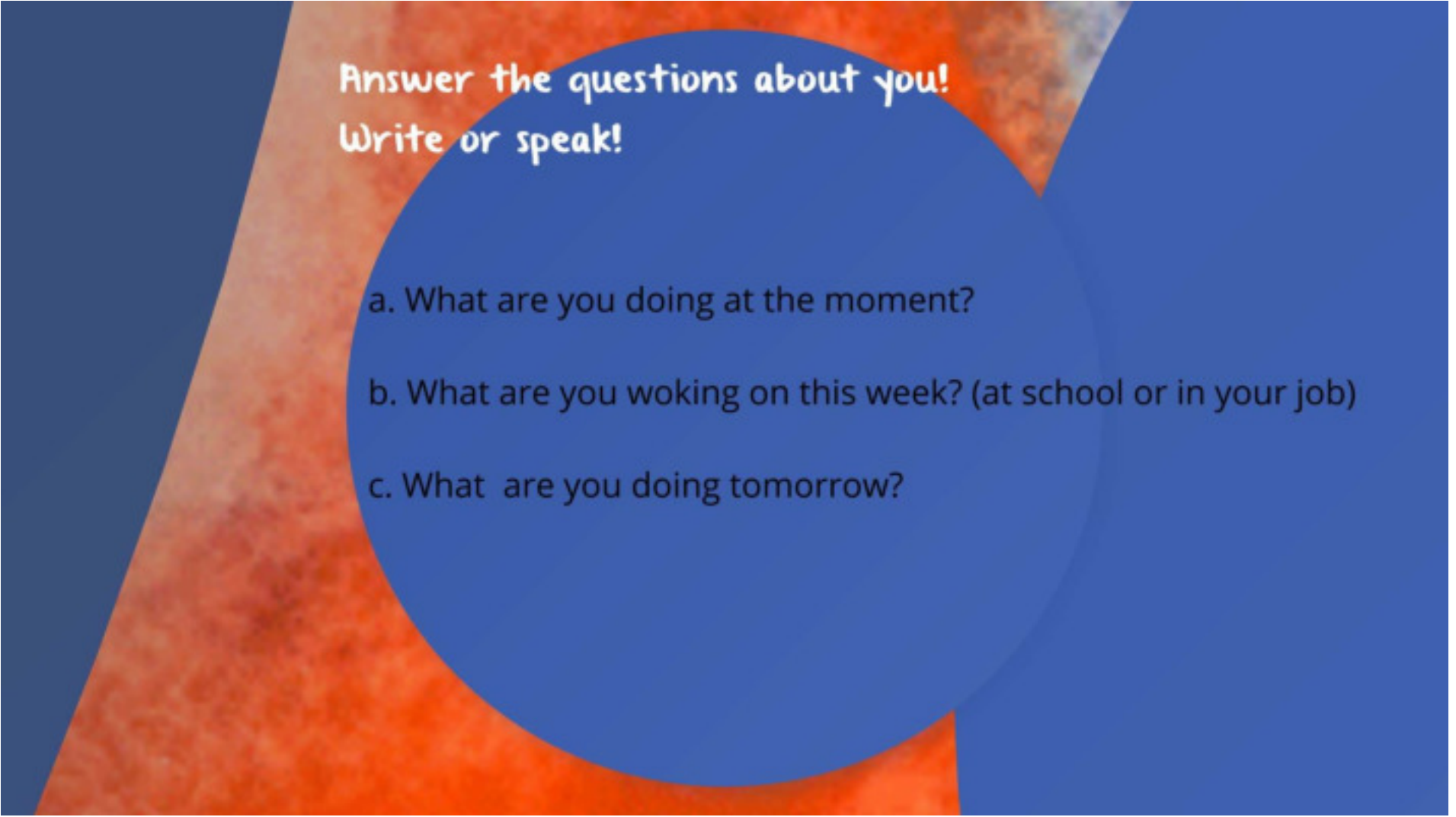
- a. What \_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_ (do) at the moment? [Qword + BE + subject + verb-ing?]
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# Check!

## extra activity

1.
  - a. She is working in Canada **this year**. [temporary action]
  - b. I'm not working at **the moment**. [now]
  - c. They are meeting the boss soon.
  - d. Don't worry! She is joking! [verb BE]
  - e. He's **chatting** with his friend. [C V Cx2 ing]
2.
  - a. What are you doing (do) at the moment? [Qword + BE + subject + verb-ing?]
  - b. What are you woking (work) on this week?
  - c. What are you doing (do) tomorrow?
  - d. Is he talking (talk) to you or me? [BE + subject + verb-ing?]
  - e. Are they trying (try) to eat better?



Answer the questions about you!  
Write or speak!

- a. What are you doing at the moment?
- b. What are you working on this week? (at school or in your job)
- c. What are you doing tomorrow?



**1. Make a list of 5 things  
you are doing this week!**

e.g. going to the doctor on Friday.  
studying for a test.

**2. Answer the question with your list!**

So, what are you doing this week?

e.g. I'm going to the doctor on Friday.  
I'm studying for a test.





Thank you for watching!

Let me know if you have any  
questions!

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