A day in the life of a London bus driver

Today I will learn to talk about everyday habits – mine and other people's – without losing *-s* and *does*.

- I use **-s** with he / she / it: *Ola gets up at six.*
- I ask questions with **do / does**: *Does your dad cook?*
- I put **always / never** before the verb: *I never drink coffee.*
- I can hear the difference: *gets – drives – watches.*

Two truths and a lie

Listen to three sentences. **Which one is false?**

1. I get up at six every day.
2. I never drink coffee.
3. I play the guitar in a band.

Now you: three sentences about you. Two true, one false.

Listen: Dave, a London bus driver

What time do you think a London bus driver **gets up**?

Listen. **True or false?**

1. Dave gets up at half past four.
2. He has breakfast at home.
3. Most passengers talk a lot in the morning.
4. He plays football twice a week.
5. His wife never works at night.
6. Dave likes London traffic.

Listen again: answers

Exercise 1

1. T
2. F – he **doesn't have** breakfast at home
3. F – most of them **don't talk**
4. T
5. F – she **sometimes works** at night
6. F – “Not really!”

Exercise 2

1. My first bus **leaves** the garage…
2. Most of them **don't talk**…
3. I often **take** my dog…
4. My wife **works** in a hospital.
5. I always **say** hello…
6. That **makes** my day.

What's the rule?

I / you / we / they **get up**	he / she / it get___ up
I ___ have breakfast at home.	He ___ have breakfast at home.
___ you like your job?	___ Dave like London traffic?

Where do **always, often, never** go? *I never see... I often take... I always say...*

The rule

I / you / we / they **get up**	he / she / it get**s** up
I **don't** have breakfast.	He **doesn't** have breakfast. (not: doesn't has)
Do you like your job?	**Does** Dave like traffic? (not: does … likes)

always / often / never + verb: *I **always** **say** hello.* · be + **always**: *He's **always** late.*

Listen: /s/, /z/ or /ɪz/?

/s/	/z/	/ɪz/
gets	drives	finishes
works	plays	watches
makes	loves	relaxes
stops	goes	washes

/s/ after *p, t, k, f* · /z/ after other sounds and vowels · /ɪz/ after *s, z, sh, ch, x*

Find the mistake: answers

1. Dave **drives** a bus in London.
2. His wife **doesn't work** at the weekend.
3. Does Dave **like** his job?
4. He **always goes** to the park after work.
5. Their kids **watch** TV after dinner.
6. What time **do you** get up?
7. She never **eats** meat.
8. Who **drives** the night bus?

How many did you get right? Show me: 0–8.

Find someone who…

1. Make questions: *gets up before six* → ***Do you get up*** *before six?*
2. Stand up. Ask your classmates. **5 minutes.**
3. “Yes, I do.” → write the name and ask one more question.

> **A:** Do you play a team sport?
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> **B:** Yes, I do.
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> **A:** Which sport? How often do you play?
>
> **B:** Volleyball. Twice a week.

Tell the class · Homework

Tell us about your classmates: *Kuba **plays** volleyball twice a week. Ola **never drinks** coffee.*

Exit ticket: 3 sentences + traffic lights ● ● ●

Homework – choose A or B

A. Write 60–80 words: *A day in the life of…* (someone in your family or a job you find interesting). Use 3 frequency adverbs and 2 negatives.

B. Do the exercises in the Present Simple lesson on **zadruzynski.com**.