

Die Bildung des Partizip Präsens (ing-Form):

1. Im Normalfall hängt man -ing an den unveränderten Stamm des Verbs.

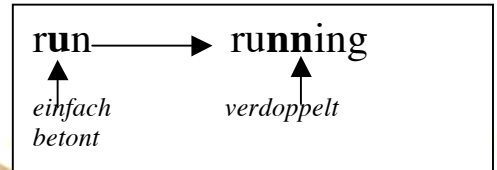
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| work ...working | go | walk |
| read | eat | paint |
| sing | look | say |

2. Ein stummes -e am Ende des Verbs **fällt weg**.

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| write | compare | share |
| make | give | change |

3. Ein einfacher Konsonant nach einem einfachen, betonten Vokal **wird verdoppelt**.

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| run | sit |
| swim | dig |
| shut | drop |



„open“ hat aber einen unbetonten Vokal, deshalb Normalfall: opening

The Present Continuous Tense (Progressivform, Verlaufsform):

Volle Form (wird selten gebraucht)

- I am drinking tea.
- You are whisky.
- He drinking pop.
- She is drinking a Coke.
- are drinking water.
- You are milk.
- They drinking red wine.

Kurzform

- I'm reading the newspaper.
- You're reading a letter.
- He's reading the Sun.
- She a love story.
- We're reading the Times.
- You a book.
- They're reading a paperback.

Fragend

- Am I sitting on my chair?
- sitting down?
- Is he sitting at his desk?
- on the ground?
- Are we sitting in first class?
- Are you sitting at the table?
- Are sitting on the bench?



Das Present continuous wird immer dann gebraucht, wenn man „jetzt gerade“ sagen kann. I'm reading = ich lese gerade, ich bin am Lesen (wörtlich: ich bin lesend) Bei Bildbeschreibungen immer Present continuous!

Put into the Present continuous (in die Progressivform setzen):

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| I (write) a letter. | 2I'm writing a letter..... |
| He (shut) the door. | 3 |
| Tommy (cross) the road. | |
| That bus (stop). | |
| I (open) the window. | |
| He (put) the flowers in the vase. | |
| She (sit) at her computer. | |
| They (make) a model of a space ship. | |
| A dog (swim) in the water. | |

- paint: malen
- compare: vergleichen
- share: teilen
- shut: schliessen
- sit: sitzen
- dig: graben
- drop: fallen lassen
- paperback: Taschenbuch
- bench: Bank
- cross: überqueren
- space ship: Raumschiff