

AFFIRMATIVE FORM OF SIMPLE PRESENT TENSE

BE-VERB

SUBJECT	BE- VERB	EXAMPLES
SINGULAR SUBJECT I HE SHE IT	SINGULAR VERB AM IS IS IS	I am an engineer He is sitting there She is a good student The Tugu Negara is a national monument
PLURAL SUBJECT YOU WE THEY	PLURAL VERB ARE ARE ARE	You are ridiculous! We are awesome! They are amazing!

ACTION VERBS

RULES	BASE FORM	SIMPLE PRESENT TENSE	EXAMPLE
Add -s to most regular verb	OPEN WALK HELP DELIVER	OPENS WALKS HELPS DELIVERS	The girl opens the door to the main office Zafirah helps her mother with the chores
Add -es to verbs ending with -ch, -sh, -ss	TEACH FETCH PREACH EXPRESS	TEACHES FETCHES PREACHES EXPRESSES	She teaches geography The artist expresses his thoughts through the painting
For verbs ending with -y, replace -y with -ies	STUDY CRY TRY FLY	STUDIES CRIES TRIES FLIES	Yassin studies medicine at UKM She tries her hardest in achieving her dream