




# CURSO INGLÉS (A2)

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# UNIT 2: NINE TO FIVE

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# GRAMMAR

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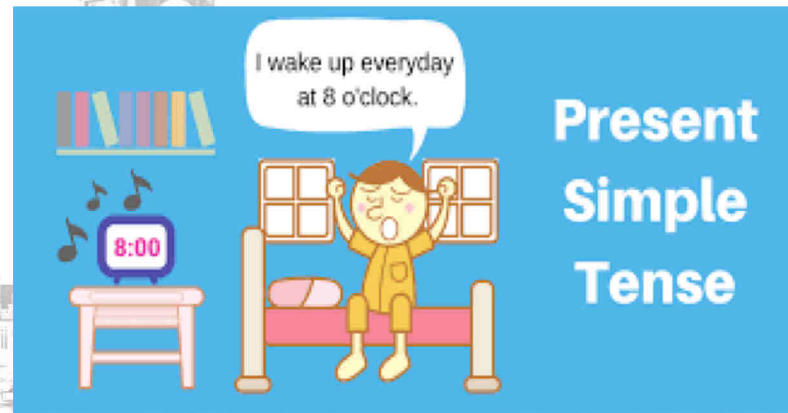




# WHAT ARE WE GOING TO LEARN?

## GRAMMAR

- present simple tense
- expression of frequency
- word order in questions



# 1. GRAMMAR

## PRESENT SIMPLE TENSE

### AFFIRMATIVE

### NEGATIVE

SUBJECT +  
INFINITIVE  
WITHOUT  
TO

+

I **work**.

You **work**.

He / She / It **works**.

We **work**.

You **work**.

They **work**.

-

I **don't work**.

You **don't work**.

He / She / It **doesn't work**.

We **don't work**.

You **don't work**.

They **don't work**.

→ Verbos acabados en s, ch, sh, x, o = es (eg. She **watches** TV)

→ Verbos acabados en consonante + y = ies (eg. She **cries**)

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## INTERROGATIVE

[?]	[✓]	[X]
<p>Do I work?</p> <p>Do you work?</p> <p><b>Does</b> he / she / it work?</p> <p>Do we work?</p> <p>Do you work?</p> <p>Do they work?</p>	<p>Yes,</p> <p>I <b>do</b>.</p> <p>you <b>do</b>.</p> <p>he / she / it <b>does</b>.</p> <p>we <b>do</b>.</p> <p>you <b>do</b>.</p> <p>they <b>do</b>.</p>	<p>No,</p> <p>I <b>don't</b>.</p> <p>you <b>don't</b>.</p> <p>he / she / it <b>doesn't</b>.</p> <p>we <b>don't</b>.</p> <p>you <b>don't</b>.</p> <p>they <b>don't</b>.</p>

## WHEN DO WE USE THE PRESENT SIMPLE?

→ To talk about  
habits and  
routines

*e.g. I go to the  
gym three times a  
week*

→ To express  
general truths

*e.g. The Earth  
goes around the  
Sun*

→ To refer to  
permanent actions  
and states

*e.g. She has got  
dark hair and  
blue eyes*

## EXPRESSION OF FREQUENCY

### ADVERBS OF FREQUENCY

100%	Always	She <b>always</b> goes to the night club to dance.
90%	Usually	They <b>usually</b> quarrel.
80%	Normally	I <b>normally</b> go to the gym.
70%	Often	They <b>often</b> go out for dinner.
50%	Sometimes	I <b>sometimes</b> go with my husband.
30%	Occasionally	I <b>occasionally</b> eat junk food.
10%	Seldom	I <b>seldom</b> read the newspaper.
5%	Hardly ever	I <b>hardly ever</b> drink alcohol.
0%	Never	I <b>never</b> go to the cinema. I don't like it.

**FREQUENCY  
EXPRESSIONS →  
USUALLY AT THE  
END**

once  
twice  
three times  
four times  
etc.

a  
an

hour  
day  
week  
month  
year  
etc.

once  
twice  
three times  
four times  
etc.

every 2/3/...

hours  
days  
weeks  
months  
years  
etc.

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# WORD ORDER IN QUESTIONS

Question word / phrase	be	3.22	Question word / phrase	Auxiliary	Subject	Infinitive 3.23
What	Is	she from Spain?	What	Do	you	live near here?
Where	Are	your friends here?	Where	Does	your mother	know?
How many students	's	your dog's name?	How many children	do	you	do?
How	's	your office?	What kind of music	does	he	live?
How old	are	in the class?	How	do	you	have?
	are	you?		does	she	like?
	is	she?		do	you	spell your surname?

1. question word
2. verb to be
3. subject
4. complements

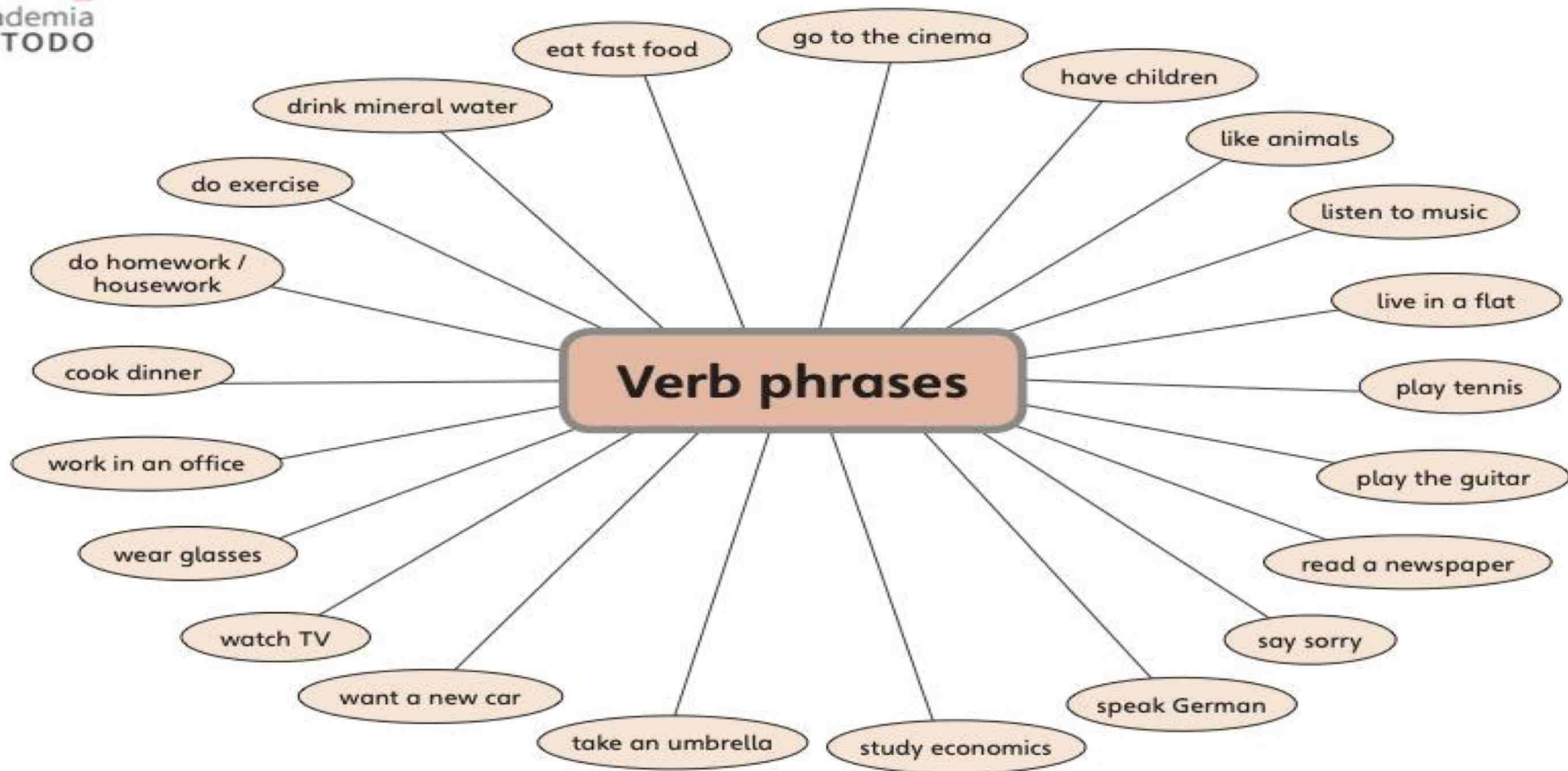
1. question word
2. auxiliary
3. subject
4. main verb
5. complements

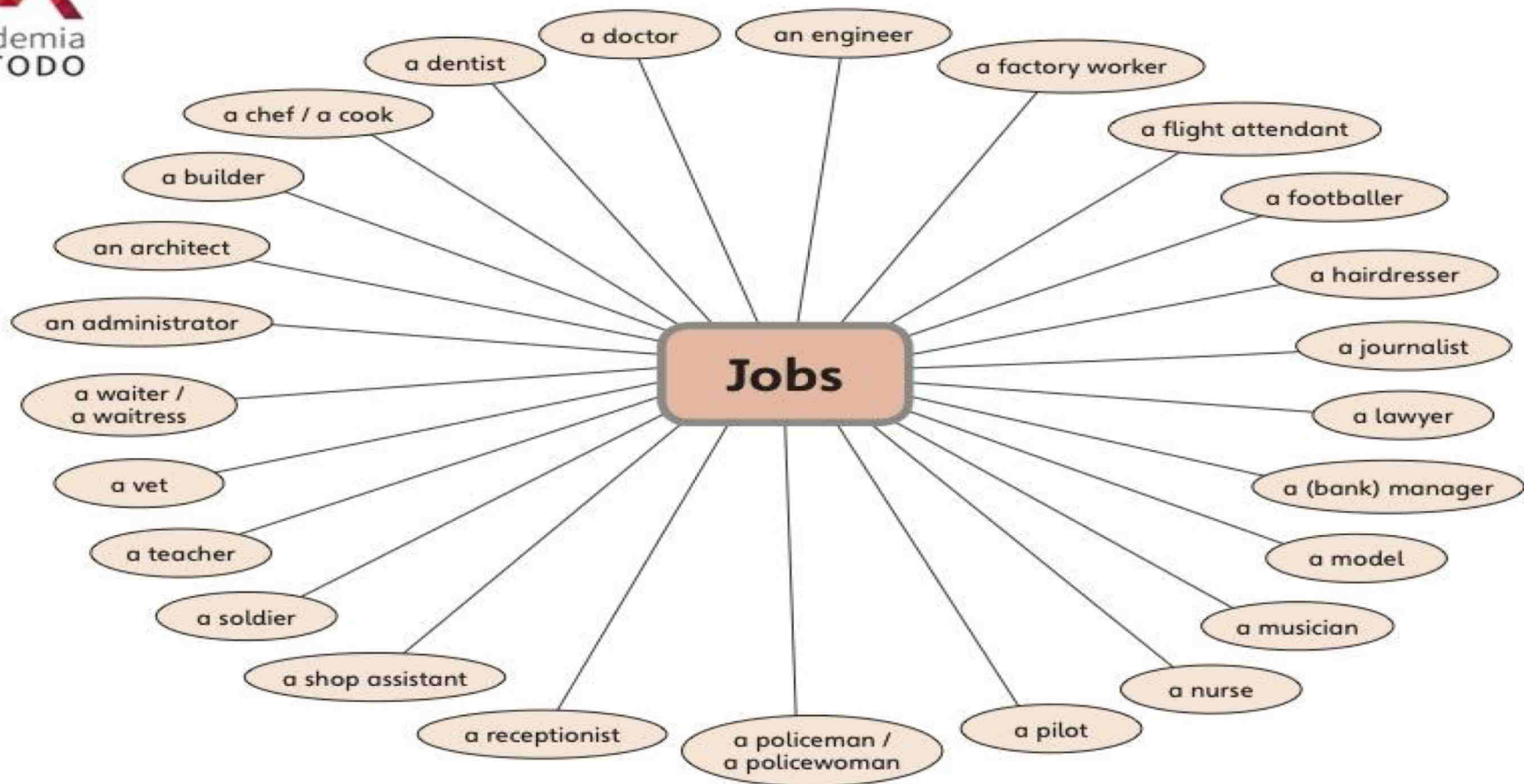


# VOCABULARY

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# WRITING

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### 3. WRITING AN ARTICLE: 'MY FAVOURITE DAY'

#### GENERAL GUIDELINES:

- Use the present simple and frequency adverbs.
- Divide your writing in different paragraphs.
- Use sequence words:
  - + During = durante
  - + Then = entonces
  - + Until = hasta
  - + From... to... = desde... hasta
  - + After (lunch) = después de  
comer
  - + After that = después
  - + Before = antes de

My favourite day of the week is Saturday, because it's the first day of the weekend!

I get up very early **during** the week, so on Saturday it's nice to get up late, and I always stay in bed **until** about 10.30. **Then** I usually go shopping with a friend. In Spain a lot of shops are closed on Sundays, so Saturday is the only day for shopping. We don't always buy something, but we have fun just looking.

I often have lunch at my mother's house, with her and my brother. It's great, because my mum is a really good cook – she always makes things we like, and my brother and I have time to talk about our week. **After** lunch I sometimes study **from** about 4.00 **to** 6.00, especially if I have exams.

In the evening I usually go out with my friends. We often go to the cinema, and **after that** we have a pizza or *tapas*. I never go to bed **before** 1.00, or sometimes later.

**1st paragraph → favourite day and why**

My favourite day of the week is Saturday, because it's the first day of the weekend!

**2nd paragraph → What you do in the morning**

I get up very early **during** the week, so on Saturday it's nice to get up late, and I always stay in bed **until** about 10.30. **Then** I usually go shopping with a friend. In Spain a lot of shops are closed on Sundays, so Saturday is the only day for shopping. We don't always buy something, but we have fun just looking.

**3rd paragraph → What you do in the afternoon**

I often have lunch at my mother's house, with her and my brother. It's great, because my mum is a really good cook – she always makes things we like, and my brother and I have time to talk about our week. **After** lunch I sometimes study **from** about 4.00 **to** 6.00, especially if I have exams.

**4th paragraph → What you do in the evening**

In the evening I usually go out with my friends. We often go to the cinema, and **after that** we have a pizza or *tapas*. I never go to bed **before** 1.00, or sometimes later.





# SPEAKING

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## 4. SPEAKING: GIVING PERSONAL INFORMATION II

Where	do you	live work / study	?
What kind of	do you	films food like	?
What	do you	sports magazines TV programmes languages car play read watch speak have	?
Who	's	singer actress TV programme restaurant	?
What			

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do you

?

films  
food

do you

like

?

sports  
magazines  
TV programmes  
languages  
car

do you

play  
read  
watch  
speak  
have

?

's

your favourite

singer  
actress  
TV programme  
restaurant

?

## What



TO ANSWER: SUBJECT + VERB IN THE PRESENT SIMPLE + COMPLEMENTS

e.g.

*I live in Madrid*

*I work in a factory*

*I like comedy films*

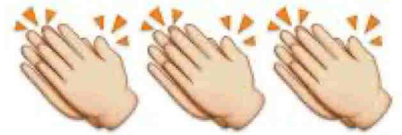
*I love Spanish food*

NOW... TRY IT

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# THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION



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