

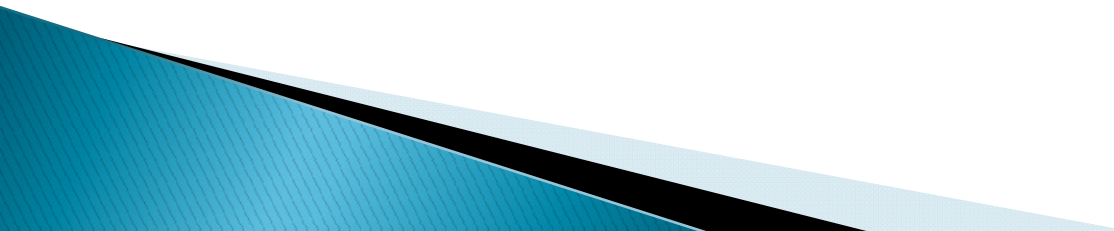
# ENGLISH GRAMMAR

## النحو الانجليزي

للمرحلة الاولى في قسم اللغة الانجليزية

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# PRESENT SIMPLE TENSE

- ▶ It is called simple because it is simple to form as the verb consists of one word only.
  - ▶ **THE FORM (Affirmative)**
  - ▶ I/we/you/they+ base verb....
  - ▶ I work hard.
  - ▶ You work hard.
  - ▶ They work hard.
  - ▶ We work hard.
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▶ She/he/it + base verb + s.....

▶ She works hard.

▶ He works hard.

▶ It works.

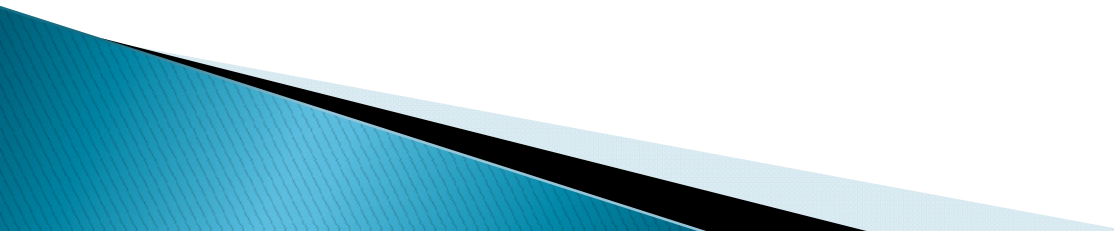
▶ **THE FORM (Negative )**

▶ I/we/you/they+ do not + base verb...

▶ He /she / it+ does not+ base verb....

▶ I don't like mango.

▶ She does not like mango.

- ▶ **THE FORM (Interrogative )**
  - ▶ **Do + I/we/you/ they+ base verb...?**
  - ▶ **Does+ she / he/ it+ base verb....?**
  - ▶ **Do you like mango?**
  - ▶ **Does she like mango?**
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# THE USES OF THE PRESENT SIMPLE

1 – It is used to talk about general truths, habits, and unchangeable situations

Human body contains 206 bones.

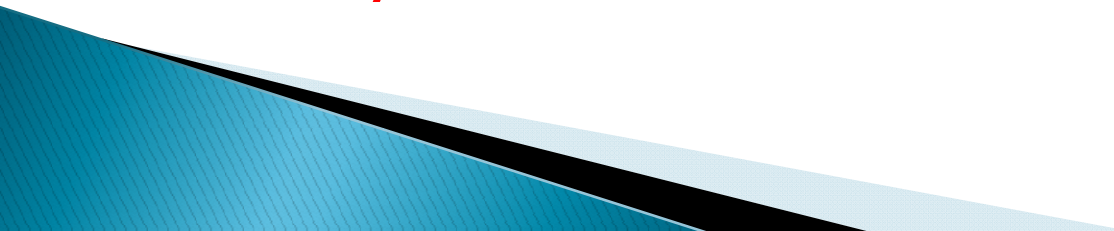
He drinks tea at breakfast.

I live in Basra.

2 – It is used to talk about repeated actions.

She often drinks coffee in the afternoon.

He never works after 5 pm.

- ▶ 3– it is used to give instructions and directions.
  - ▶ Open the closet.
  - ▶ You turn left, then go straight, you will find the bank.
  - ▶ 4– To state how often we do things.
  - ▶ I go shopping twice a month.
  - ▶ 5– To express scheduled events in the future such as time tables and public transportations
  - ▶ The train leaves at 5:00 pm.
  - ▶ We fly to Paris next week.
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- ▶ 6– when saying equals doing ( we do something the moment we say it), the present simple is used.
  - ▶ I promise I will study hard this year.
  - ▶ I suggest you go to dentist.
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