

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

GRAMMAR QUIZ

STATIVE vs ACTIVE VERBS

- Choose the best answers.

- Right now, my brother ... TV in the living room.**
a) watches
b) is watching
- Ardis is very busy. She ... lots of homework.**
a) has
b) is having
- I'm hungry! I ... to eat lunch at the cafeteria.**
a) want
b) am wanting
- ... they ... the story about the space aliens?**
a) Do / believe
b) Are / believing
- They worked hard and saved their money and now they ... their home.**
a) own
b) are owning
- I was bored, so now I ... the dictionary!**
a) read
b) am reading
- My sister lives in New York. She ... New York a lot.**
a) likes
b) is liking
- It's a beautiful day today. It's sunny and the birds**
a) sing
b) are singing
- (A) What's Tom doing?
(B) He ... the food you cooked.**
a) tastes
b) is tasting
- The kids are outside. They ... in the snow.**
a) play
b) are playing
- Thank you for the flowers. I'm ... them right now.**
a) smell
b) smelling
- (A) Can you remember his name?
(B) No, I ... his name.**
a) forget
b) am forgetting
- (A) Do you like the food?
(B) Yes, it ... wonderful!**
a) tastes
b) is tasting
- It's eight o'clock and I ... to work. I hope I can arrive on time.**
a) drive
b) am driving
- Most cats don't like to swim. In fact, they ... the water.**
a) hate
b) are hating
- Did you buy new perfume? It ... really nice.**
a) smells
b) is smelling
- Kevin is tired after the long flight. He ... on the sofa.**
a) sleeps
b) is sleeping
- Roberto ... a large family: three sisters and two brothers.**
a) has
b) is having

17 – 18 = Excellent

15 – 16 = Good

14 or Less = Study More!

Grammar Focus Stative vs Active Verbs

Level Intermediate

ANSWER KEY

My Notes



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| 1. B | 10. B |
| 2. A | 11. B |
| 3. A | 12. A |
| 4. A | 13. A |
| 5. A | 14. B |
| 6. B | 15. A |
| 7. A | 16. A |
| 8. B | 17. B |
| 9. B | 18. A |

Grades as percentages

- 18 / 18 = 100%
- 17 / 18 = 94
- 16 / 18 = 89
- 15 / 18 = 83
- 14 / 18 = 78
- 13 / 18 = 72
- 12 / 18 = 67
- 11 / 18 = 61
- 10 / 18 = 56
- 9 / 18 = 50
- 8 / 18 = 44
- 7 / 18 = 39
- 6 / 18 = 33
- 5 / 18 = 28
- 4 / 18 = 22
- 3 / 18 = 17
- 2 / 18 = 11
- 1 / 18 = 6
- 0 / 18 = 0%