Present Tense – Regular IR Verbs

WHAT IS IT?

Used when talking about something which **is happening now** or which **happens in general**.

An IR verb is just a verb (infinitive) which ends in IR.

EXAMPLES OF REGULAR IR VERBS

chois**ir** – to choose

fin**ir** – to finish

réuss**ir** – to succeed

rempl**ir** – to fill

HOW DO I FORM IT?

1. Choose your verb (infinitive)

e.g. **finir** – to finish

2. Take off the IR and add the following endings depending on which person is doing the action:

e.g. Nous finissons – We finish

I	Je	**is**
You (singular)	Tu	**is**
He/she/one	Il/elle/on	**it**
We	Nous	**issons**
You (plural)	Vous	**issez**
They	Ils/elles	**issent**

STILL STUCK?

EXAMPLES

Je chois**is**
- I choose

Il reuss**it**
- He succeeds

Ils rempl**issent**
- They fill

Normalement – Normally   **D'habitude** – Usually   **Quelquefois** – Sometimes   **Dans mon temps-libre** – In my free time