# Presente simple: tercera persona

## Contraste en -y: -ies o -s

Para escribir la tercera persona de un verbo terminado en y, mira la letra anterior. Con consonante + y, quita y y añade ies: try, tries. Con vocal + y, conserva y y añade s: pay, pays. Las vocales son a, e, i, o, u. Todos los sujetos de los huecos requieren la forma de he, she o it. No decidas solo por la última letra: try y pay terminan en y, pero cambian de forma distinta.

**Ejemplo resuelto**

We pay online. Our cousin ____ with cash. → We pay online. Our cousin pays with cash.

Nosotros pagamos por internet. Nuestro primo paga en efectivo.

**Completa el verbo de la segunda frase en presente simple. Usa el verbo principal de la primera y fíjate en la letra anterior a y.**

**01.** I copy the title from the board. My classmate _____ the date too.

**02.** They reply to each message before bed. Their sister _____ after breakfast.

**03.** The babies cry when they wake up. This baby _____ when he is hungry.

**04.** I tidy my room on Fridays. My sister _____ hers on Saturdays.

**05.** We buy eggs at the farm. Our mom _____ cheese there.

**06.** They carry their lunch in paper bags. Their cousin _____ hers in a box.

**07.** You spray the plants with water. Your brother _____ the lawn.

**08.** We play board games after lunch. Our grandpa _____ cards.

**09.** You obey the safety signs on the trail. Your friend _____ them too.

**10.** You dry your gloves by the heater. Your brother _____ his boots there.

**11.** We hurry to the station each morning. Our dad _____ to the bus stop.

**12.** You stay with your aunt on weekends. Your brother _____ with your uncle.

**13.** They buy drinks for the picnic. Their mom _____ sandwiches.

**14.** They worry about their lost dog. Their neighbor _____ about it too.

**15.** You pay for tickets with a card. Your cousin _____ with cash.

**16.** They enjoy the morning walks. Their aunt _____ the evening walks.

**17.** We hurry to put the books away. Our sister _____ to finish her drawing.

**18.** The children cry during sad movies. Our little brother _____ too.

**19.** Road repairs delay the buses. A fallen tree _____ the cars.

**20.** I worry when my cat is missing. My brother _____ when his dog is missing.

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**Continuación: ejercicios 21-40. Completa el verbo de la segunda frase en presente simple. Usa el verbo principal de la primera y fíjate en la letra anterior a y.**

**21.** The geese fly across the river. A small plane _____ over it too.

**22.** I try to answer every question. My friend _____ to answer them too.

**23.** We say thank you after the meal. Our brother _____ it too.

**24.** I play tennis after work. My sister _____ badminton.

**25.** The bees fly into the garden. A butterfly _____ into the greenhouse.

**26.** I pay my bills on time. My aunt _____ hers early.

**27.** We enjoy the concerts in the park. Our aunt _____ the plays at the theater.

**28.** You try to catch the early bus. Your cousin _____ to catch the next one.

**29.** We study the map before leaving. Our guide _____ it during the walk.

**30.** They obey the rules during practice. Their coach _____ them too.

**31.** You play the piano on Sundays. Your cousin _____ the guitar on Fridays.

**32.** We study French on Mondays. Our brother _____ German on Tuesdays.

**33.** I carry my laptop to college. My friend _____ hers to work.

**34.** I say please when I ask for help. My little sister _____ please too.

**35.** You stay indoors when it rains. Your cat _____ inside too.

**36.** You copy the phone number onto a card. Your dad _____ it into his notebook.

**37.** We reply to invitations by email. Our aunt _____ by phone.

**38.** I spray the windows before wiping them. My neighbor _____ the glass doors.

**39.** I enjoy the cooking lessons. My cousin _____ the dance lessons.

**40.** Heavy rains delay the flights. Thick fog _____ the trains.

# Soluciones

Frases con el hueco completado. La respuesta aparece en negrita.

**01.** My classmate **copies** the date too.
**02.** Their sister **replies** after breakfast.
**03.** This baby **cries** when he is hungry.
**04.** My sister **tidies** hers on Saturdays.
**05.** Our mom **buys** cheese there.
**06.** Their cousin **carries** hers in a box.
**07.** Your brother **sprays** the lawn.
**08.** Our grandpa **plays** cards.
**09.** Your friend **obeys** them too.
**10.** Your brother **dries** his boots there.
**11.** Our dad **hurries** to the bus stop.
**12.** Your brother **stays** with your uncle.
**13.** Their mom **buys** sandwiches.
**14.** Their neighbor **worries** about it too.
**15.** Your cousin **pays** with cash.
**16.** Their aunt **enjoys** the evening walks.
**17.** Our sister **hurries** to finish her drawing.
**18.** Our little brother **cries** too.
**19.** A fallen tree **delays** the cars.
**20.** My brother **worries** when his dog is missing.
**21.** A small plane **flies** over it too.
**22.** My friend **tries** to answer them too.
**23.** Our brother **says** it too.
**24.** My sister **plays** badminton.
**25.** A butterfly **flies** into the greenhouse.
**26.** My aunt **pays** hers early.
**27.** Our aunt **enjoys** the plays at the theater.
**28.** Your cousin **tries** to catch the next one.
**29.** Our guide **studies** it during the walk.
**30.** Their coach **obeys** them too.
**31.** Your cousin **plays** the guitar on Fridays.
**32.** Our brother **studies** German on Tuesdays.
**33.** My friend **carries** hers to work.
**34.** My little sister **says** please too.
**35.** Your cat **stays** inside too.
**36.** Your dad **copies** it into his notebook.
**37.** Our aunt **replies** by phone.
**38.** My neighbor **sprays** the glass doors.
**39.** My cousin **enjoys** the dance lessons.
**40.** Thick fog **delays** the trains.