# Presente simple: negativas y preguntas

## Contraste: don't y doesn't

Mira el sujeto, es decir, quién hace la acción. Con I, you, we, they y sujetos plurales usamos don't. Con he, she, it y nombres como my aunt o the shop usamos doesn't. I y you llevan don't aunque hables de una sola persona. Las dos formas van antes del verbo básico: We don't play; she doesn't play. El contexto de cada ejercicio indica que la acción no ocurre.

**Ejemplo resuelto**

Leo only eats fruit. He ____ eat cake. → Leo only eats fruit. He doesn't eat cake.

Leo solo come fruta. No come tarta.

**Completa la negativa con la forma corta del presente simple que concuerda con el sujeto.**

**01.** My sister only plays the violin. She _____ play the flute.

**02.** The baby always sleeps in a crib. She _____ sleep on the sofa.

**03.** They always cook their own meals. They _____ order takeout.

**04.** The museum stays closed all day on Mondays. It _____ open then.

**05.** We only meet on Fridays. We _____ meet on Tuesdays.

**06.** Leo always takes the stairs. He _____ use the elevator.

**07.** My brother buys all his lunches. He _____ make them himself.

**08.** My parents only drink water at dinner. They _____ drink tea then.

**09.** The cat stays indoors all day. It _____ go outside during the day.

**10.** You only write with a pen. You _____ write with a pencil.

**11.** We keep all our photos on the computer. We _____ print them.

**12.** We never listen to the radio. We _____ listen in the car either.

**13.** The bookstore sells new books only. It _____ sell used ones.

**14.** The gardener only waters plants in the morning. He _____ water them at night.

**15.** I have no bank cards. I _____ have a credit card.

**16.** This is a nonstop train to Boston. It _____ stop in Salem.

**17.** The twins leave their bags at home. They _____ bring them to the park.

**18.** I only swim in the pool. I _____ swim in the river.

**19.** The cleaner works in offices only. She _____ clean houses.

**20.** The bus driver only works mornings. He _____ work at night.

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**Continuación: ejercicios 21-40. Completa la negativa con la forma corta del presente simple que concuerda con el sujeto.**

**21.** Our neighbors have no pets. They _____ have a cat.

**22.** My aunt never buys clothes online. She _____ buy shoes online either.

**23.** Dad always leaves home at seven. He _____ leave at eight.

**24.** These stores stay closed all day on Sundays. They _____ open then.

**25.** They only travel by train. They _____ travel by plane.

**26.** We always eat breakfast at home. We _____ eat it at school.

**27.** The ferry stays in port all winter. It _____ run in winter.

**28.** I always pay with cash. I _____ pay by card.

**29.** Our teacher speaks French only. She _____ speak Italian.

**30.** My cousin only studies on weekdays. He _____ study on Sundays.

**31.** You never eat nuts. You _____ eat walnuts either.

**32.** The children only play outdoors. They _____ play ball inside.

**33.** The cafe only sells hot drinks. It _____ sell juice.

**34.** I never wear a watch. I _____ wear one at work either.

**35.** Emma never rides a bike. She _____ ride one to school either.

**36.** This phone has no camera. It _____ take photos.

**37.** You know nothing about this game. You _____ know its rules.

**38.** The dog eats dog food only. It _____ eat our leftovers.

**39.** These birds never fly south. They _____ fly there in winter either.

**40.** You only read on paper. You _____ read books on your phone.

# Soluciones

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

**01.** She **doesn't** play the flute.
**02.** She **doesn't** sleep on the sofa.
**03.** They **don't** order takeout.
**04.** It **doesn't** open then.
**05.** We **don't** meet on Tuesdays.
**06.** He **doesn't** use the elevator.
**07.** He **doesn't** make them himself.
**08.** They **don't** drink tea then.
**09.** It **doesn't** go outside during the day.
**10.** You **don't** write with a pencil.
**11.** We **don't** print them.
**12.** We **don't** listen in the car either.
**13.** It **doesn't** sell used ones.
**14.** He **doesn't** water them at night.
**15.** I **don't** have a credit card.
**16.** It **doesn't** stop in Salem.
**17.** They **don't** bring them to the park.
**18.** I **don't** swim in the river.
**19.** She **doesn't** clean houses.
**20.** He **doesn't** work at night.
**21.** They **don't** have a cat.
**22.** She **doesn't** buy shoes online either.
**23.** He **doesn't** leave at eight.
**24.** They **don't** open then.
**25.** They **don't** travel by plane.
**26.** We **don't** eat it at school.
**27.** It **doesn't** run in winter.
**28.** I **don't** pay by card.
**29.** She **doesn't** speak Italian.
**30.** He **doesn't** study on Sundays.
**31.** You **don't** eat walnuts either.
**32.** They **don't** play ball inside.
**33.** It **doesn't** sell juice.
**34.** I **don't** wear one at work either.
**35.** She **doesn't** ride one to school either.
**36.** It **doesn't** take photos.
**37.** You **don't** know its rules.
**38.** It **doesn't** eat our leftovers.
**39.** They **don't** fly there in winter either.
**40.** You **don't** read books on your phone.