Present Tense – Regular RE Verbs

**WHAT IS IT?**

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

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

**HOW DO I FORM IT?**

1. Choose your verb (infinitive)

e.g. **vendre** – to sell

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

e.g. Nous vendons– We sell

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| I | Je | **s** |
| You (singular) | Tu | **s** |
| He/she/one | Il/elle/on | **(no ending)** |
| We | Nous | **ons** |
| You (plural) | Vous | **ez** |
| They | Ils/elles | **ent** |

**STILL STUCK?**

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**EXAMPLES**

J’attend**s**

- I wait.

Nous descend**ons**

-We descend.

Ils répond**ent**

* They respond.

**EXAMPLES OF**

**REGULAR RE VERBS**

attendre – to wait (for)

descendre – to descend

vendre – to sell

entendre – to hear

perdre – to lose

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