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# GRAMMAR DICTATION

## PRESENT SIMPLE (negative statements)

- Listen to your teacher read aloud the words and change them to **negative statements** in the spaces below. Use contractions where possible (eg. aren't, don't, etc.)

"tall"



1. My best friend isn't tall.
2. Steven doesn't go to work at eight o'clock.
3. It \_\_\_\_\_ today.
4. Mrs. Smith \_\_\_\_\_ in this city.
5. They went to school, so they \_\_\_\_\_ now.
6. The cat \_\_\_\_\_.
7. You \_\_\_\_\_ now. You can help me.
8. Don't ask them. They \_\_\_\_\_ the answer.
9. She \_\_\_\_\_.
10. You should study hard. The test \_\_\_\_\_.
11. It \_\_\_\_\_ today.
12. It's Monday. It \_\_\_\_\_.
13. Where is Mr. Richards? He \_\_\_\_\_.
14. My friends \_\_\_\_\_ that restaurant.
15. The TV is broken. It \_\_\_\_\_.
16. I \_\_\_\_\_ grammar difficult.

**Grammar Focus** Present Simple (negative statements)

**Level** Intermediate

## READ ALOUD



## My Notes



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| 1. tall     | 9. a student |
| 2. go       | 10. easy     |
| 3. hot      | 11. raining  |
| 4. live     | 12. Tuesday  |
| 5. here     | 13. at home  |
| 6. sleeping | 14. like     |
| 7. busy     | 15. work     |
| 8. know     | 16. think    |

## ANSWERS

1. My best friend **isn't tall**.
2. Steven **doesn't go** to work at eight o'clock.
3. It **isn't hot** today.
4. Mrs. Smith **doesn't live** in this city.
5. They went to school, so they **aren't here** now.
6. The cat **isn't sleeping**.
7. You **aren't busy** now. You can help me.
8. Don't ask them. They **don't know** the answer.
9. She **isn't a student**.
10. You should study hard. The test **isn't easy**.
11. It **isn't raining** today.
12. It's Monday. It **isn't Tuesday**.
13. Where is Mr. Richards? He **isn't at home**.
14. My friends **don't like** that restaurant.
15. The TV is broken. It **doesn't work**.
16. I **don't think** grammar is difficult.