

Exercises

Exercise A

Underline the verbs that show continuous action.

1. I am writing an essay.
2. The boy is playing with a top.
3. Passengers are waiting for the train.
4. Mother is watching the TV.
5. They are playing hockey.
6. The stars are shining in the sky.
7. The teacher is writing on the blackboard.
8. The sun is shining brightly.
9. The crow is cawing on the roof.
10. The birds are pecking at the corn.

Exercise B

Fill in the blanks by choosing suitable verbs from the box.

sticking playing swimming sailing
shouting teaching cooking reading

1. The man is sticking hoardings on the walls.
2. The tutor is teaching mathematics.
3. Father is reading the newspaper.
4. Mother is cooking dinner.
5. The band is playing the National Anthem.
6. The swans are swimming gracefully.
7. The crowd is shouting loudly.
8. The crew is sailing gaily in the boat.

Exercise C

Fill in the blanks with verbs showing continuous actions.

1. The girls are waiting for the school bus.
2. Rajan is playing confidently.
3. Ritesh is walking quietly.
4. Jatin is wearing clothes.
5. Appu is sitting on his chair.
6. Rakesh is tying his shoe laces.
7. Raman is brushing his teeth.
8. Rohit is swimming in the pool.

