

Read each sentence below and identify the appropriate use of the present continuous (action in progress, temporary situation/habit, future plans, annoyance, or slow change).

1.	The chef is preparing dinner for the guests at the moment.	
2.	My parents are renovating the kitchen this weekend.	
3.	Sarah is messing up projects all the time!	
4.	The flowers are blooming beautifully in the garden.	
5.	We're usually going for a walk after dinner.	
6.	The students are taking their final exams next week.	
7.	I am constantly forgetting where I put my keys.	
8.	The company is launching a new product next month.	
9.	Quiet! The baby's calmly resting in her crib.	
10	Jack is learning to play the guitar these days.	
11.	The population of the city is steadily increasing.	
12.	We are meeting our friends for lunch tomorrow.	
13.	This dog is always barking loudly at the mailman.	
14.	I'm currently reading a fascinating book about astronomy.	
15	The sun is crossing the sky from east to west	

Answers

- 1. Action in progress
- 2. Future plans
- 3. Annoyance
- 4. Slow change
- 5. Temporary situation/habit
- 6. Future plans
- 7. Annoyance
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- 10. Temporary situation/habit
- 11. Slow change
- 12. Future plans
- 13. Annoyance
- 14. Temporary situation/habit
- 15. Slow change