

## Simple Present Tense - Verb Conjugation

|      |      |     |       |
|------|------|-----|-------|
| I    | Work | He  | Works |
| You  | Work | She | Works |
| We   | Work | It  | Works |
| They | Work |     |       |

### Regular Simple Present Verb Conjugation for 3<sup>rd</sup> Person Singular (He, She, It)

#### Spelling Rules

- 1) If the verb ends in an e, add “s”

Live → lives

Make → makes

Write → writes

- 2) If the verb ends in an sh, ch, ss or x, add “es”

Wash → washes

Watch → watches

Kiss → kisses

Fix → fixes

- 3) If the verb ends in a consonant + y, drop the y and add “ies”

Study → studies

Fly → flies

Cry → cries

- 4) If the verb ends in a vowel + y, add “s”

Play → plays

Say → says

Pay → pays

- 5) All other verbs, add “s”

Listen → listens

Walk → walks

Work → works

Clean → cleans