Phonetic warm up

There those thousand thinkers who were thinking how did the other three thieves go through.

Present Continuous (Progressive)

Form: Subject + ~~to~~ be + verb + ing

# I am speaking English now.

? Am I speaking English now?

Yes, I am. No, I’m not.

# He is playing basket now.

? Is he playing basket now?

Yes, he is

No, he isn’t.

When? 1. Now

2. Planned Future

Indicators: now, in the moment, at this very moment

Wh- questions:

Who am I speaking to? I am speaking to Mr Jones

Where am I going this evening? I am going home this evening.

When are you meeting Tom? I am meeting Tom at 7 pm

Why are you crying? I am crying because I don’t understand grammar

How are you doing today? I am doing great!

What are you studying? I am studying English

I am = I’m

You are = You’re

He is = He’s

She is = She’s

It is= it’s

NB:

Its (genitive case) I painted my room. Its (my room’s) color is blue

it’s (it is, it has) It’s going well = It is going well

We are = We’re

You are= you’re

They are= they’re