

PRESENT SIMPLE

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a regular, habitual action

Affirmative form – to work (lavorare)



I	work
you	work
he	} works <u>u</u>
she	
it	
we	work
you	work
they	work

Verb to do

I		do
you		do
he	}	do <u>es</u>
she		
it		
we		do
you		do
they		do

Negative form



Soggetto + **don't/doesn't** + verbo (senza 's')

I work →

you work →

he } →

she } **works** →

it } →

we work →

you work →

they work →

I **don't** work

you **don't** work

he } →

she } **doesn't works**

it } →

we **don't** work

you **don't** work

they **don't** work

Examples

I work in a school	–	I <u>don't</u> work in a school
you make pizza	–	you <u>don't</u> make pizza
he bakes ^s bread	–	he <u>doesn't</u> bake bread
she sells ^s houses	–	she <u>doesn't</u> sell houses
we live in Trieste	–	we <u>don't</u> live in Trieste
you study English	–	you <u>don't</u> study English
they go home	–	they <u>don't</u> go home

Interrogative form



I	work	→	do	I work?
you	work	→	do	you work?
he			he	
she	works	→	does	she work?
it			it	
we	work	→	do	we work?
you	work	→	do	you work?
they	work	→	do	they work?

Examples

I work in a school	–	<u>do</u> I work in a school?
you make pizza	–	<u>do</u> you make pizza?
he bakes ^s bread	–	<u>doesn't</u> he bake bread?
she sells ^s houses	–	<u>doesn't</u> she sell houses?
we live in Trieste	–	<u>don't</u> we live in Trieste?
you study English	–	<u>don't</u> you study English?
they go home	–	<u>don't</u> they go home?