

Present continuous: exercise 4

Negative questions

Make negative questions with the words in brackets. _____

Example:

Our teacher is speaking too fast. (not speak slowly) - Why isn't she speaking slowly?

My brother is sleeping.

Why ? (not get up)

I am working at a hotel now.

Why ? (not learn for exams)

Our daughter is waiting over there.

Why ? (not wait with you)

They are flying to Mumbai.

Why ? (not fly to Calcutta)

My mum and dad aren't doing anything.

Why ? (not watch a film)

I'm tired, so I'm drinking tea.

Why ? (not drink coffee)

He is washing his T-shirts by hand.

Why his wife ? (not wash them)

We are staying at home next weekend.

Why ? (not go to see your friends)

Answer key

Exercise 4

Why isn't he getting up? Why is he not getting up?

Why aren't you learning for exams? Why are you not learning for exams?

Why isn't she waiting with you? Why is she not waiting with you?

Why aren't they flying to Culcutta? Why are they not flying to Calcutta?

Why aren't they watching a film? Why are they not watching a film?

Why aren't you drinking coffee? Why are you not drinking coffee?

Why isn't his wife washing them? Why is his wife not washing them?

Why aren't you going to see your friends? Why are you not going to see your friends?

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