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(with **“to be”** as auxiliary verb)

**Present progressive** tense:

A: I am drinking water now. You are watching a movie now.

(I’m drinking water now.) (You’re watching a movie now.)

N: I am not drinking water now. You are not watching a movie now.

(I’m not drinking water now.) (You’re not watching a movie now.)

* (You aren’t watching a movie now.)

Q: Am I drinking water now? Are you watching a movie now?

A: Debbie is teaching in Room 122. Your son is brushing his teeth.

(Debbie’s teaching in Room 122.) (Your son’s brushing his teeth.)

N: Debbie is not teaching in Room 122. Your son is not brushing his teeth.

(Debbie’s not teaching in Room 122.) (Your son’s not brushing his teeth.)

(Debbie isn’t teaching in Room 122.) (Your son isn’t brushing his teeth.)

Q: Is Debbie teaching in Room 122? Is your son brushing his teeth?

A: Donna is finding new books. They are researching their term paper.

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**Past progressive** tense:

A: We were saving our money. Mary Jane was helping her student.

N: We were not saving our money. Mary Jane was not helping her student.

(We weren’t saving our money.) (Mary Jane wasn’t helping her student.)

Q: Were we saving our money? Was Mary Jane helping her student?

A: My dog was digging in the yard. They were stopping the train at Lyon.

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