

Subject-Verb Agreement Exercise

Fill in the blanks with a verb form that agrees with the subject

1. Excessive consumption of fatty foods
..... not good for health.

is

are

2. The introduction of reforms
opposed by the aristocracy.

was

were

3. Every morning, the chirping of birds
..... me up.

wake

wakes

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4. Neither he nor his brothers
English.

Speak

Speaks

5. Mary as well as her sisters
abroad.

Study

Studies

6. A rolling stoneno mosses.

Gather

Gathers

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7. Children flying kites.

enjoy

enjoys

8. Both my parents teachers.

is

are

9. What you say no sense to me.

make

makes

10. Working women many

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problems.

face

faces

11. Two-thousand dollars not a small sum.

is

are

12. The way long and the night dark.

was, was

was, were

were, were

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Answers

Excessive consumption of fatty foods is not good for health.

The introduction of reforms was opposed by the aristocracy.

Every morning, the chirping of birds wakes me up.

Neither he nor his brothers speak English.

Mary as well as her sisters studies abroad.

A rolling stone gathers no mosses.

The boys are flying kites.

Both my parents are teachers.

What you say makes no sense to me.

Working women face many problems.

Two-thousand dollars is not a small sum.

The way was long and the night was dark.