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Yes or No, At the Airport

★ the full answer · ★★ at the airport · ★★★ build the whole answer

PRESENT CONTINUOUS: AM/IS/ARE + VERB-ING ★

The question uses am/is/are + a verb + -ing. The answer repeats the little verb. Tap to hear it.

YOU

Are you checking your bags?Yes, I am checking them.or just Yes, I **am**.

HE · SHE · IT

Is she boarding the plane?Yes, she is boarding.or just Yes, she **is**.

WE · THEY

Are they waiting at the gate?Yes, they are waiting.or just Yes, they **are**.To say no, add **not**: No, I am **not**. · No, she **isn't**. · No, they **aren't**.

AT THE AIRPORT ★★

Tap a question to hear it, then answer with a partner. Some answers are yes, some are no.

Are you checking any bags?Yes, I am checking two bags.short: Yes, I **am**.Is he carrying a passport?Yes, he is carrying a passport.short: Yes, he **is**.Are they waiting at the gate?No, they **aren't** waiting at the gate.short: No, they **aren't**.Is the plane leaving soon?No, it **isn't** leaving soon.short: No, it **isn't**.Are you flying to Miami?Yes, I am flying to Miami.short: Yes, I **am**.Is she sitting by the window?Yes, she is sitting by the window.short: Yes, she **is**.

WATCH OUT IN YOUR LANGUAGE

CHECK YOURSELF: BUILD THE WHOLE ANSWER ★★ ★

Answer yes with the whole sentence. Choose am, is, or are. Then choose the verb with -ing. Two blanks every time. On paper, write both in.

1. Are you flying today? Yes, I _____ today.
2. Is she waiting for the plane? Yes, she _____ for the plane.
3. Are they boarding now? Yes, they _____ now.
4. Is he checking a bag? Yes, he _____ a bag.
5. Are you traveling alone? Yes, I _____ alone.
6. Is the plane leaving? Yes, it _____ .

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