

Categorize the given hobbies in the correct headings.

knitting
hiking archery
highlining archery
cycling skydiving
painting video gaming
rock climbing
origami gardening
origami gardening
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origami gardening
cooking

Indoor Activities	<b>Outdoor Activities</b>	<b>Extreme Activities</b>		
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## Read the speech bubbles and write Sarah or David under each picture.

Hello, everyone! I'm Sarah and I'm seventeen. In my free time, I prefer doing some indoor activities. I like cooking in the kitchen. It makes me feel great. I'm keen on reading, especially before going to bed. I enjoy playing board games such as chess and backgammon. I like sewing with my mother, but my favourite one is crocheting. I strongly advise it to you!

Hi, there! My name is David and I'm eighteen years old. I'm quite into outdoor hobbies because I'm very agile and energetic. I'm keen on archery. It's a wonderful sport. And hiking is one of my favourite activities. When I go to the beach at weekends, I always go scuba diving and windsurfing. After school, I usually go

skateboarding. My biggest dream is learning paragliding.







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Match the hobbies and sports with the pictures.

A. wood carving B. hover boarding
C. pottery D. hunting E. jogging
F. racing G. highlining
H. roller skating I. fly boarding



Read the sentences and circle the closest meaning for the underlined words.

Before climbing the rocky mountains, you must check your safety harness carefully.

A) emergency kit

B) protective equipment

2. Having a perfect body balance is very important for highlining because it's a difficult sport.

 A) rope walking between cliffs B) riding a sailboard on water

3. She is very keen on watching TV. She especially loves watching quiz shows and documentaries.

A) much interested in something

B) studying continuously

I really get bored at

I really get bored at weekends, so I'll look for the activities I can participate with friends.

A) be reluctant

B) take part

5. All the supporters got <u>disappointed</u> when the team lost the final match against their rival.

A) satisfied or pleased B) sad or displeased

Read the questions and match them with the given answers.

1. What are your hobbies that make you feel refreshed?

2. Can you play any musical instrument?

3. What do you like doing in your free time?

4. What could you do when you were at high school?

5. Do you think everyone should have a hobby?

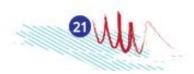
A. I usually read books or science magazines in my free time.

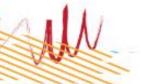
B. I think everyone should have a hobby to get rid of the stress of daily life.

C. My favourite activity that makes me feel refreshed is gardening.

D. Yes. I have been learning to play the violin for a year and it really makes me feel great.

E. I was very good at playing chess. My grandfather taught me the rules of the game.





#### GERUND

 Bir fiile "-ing" eki getirilerek kullanılır ve cümlede fiilden türemiş isim olarak bulunur. İsim oldukları için cümlede özne veya nesne olarak kullanılabilirler.

I don't like watching news flash. (Flaş haber izlemeyi sevmem.)

Playing tennis is a good exercise for all people. (Tenis oynamak tüm insanlar için iyi bir egzersizdir.)

✓ Cümlenin öznesi olarak kullanılabilir.

Drinking too much coffee fastens your heartbeat. (Çok fazla kahve içmek kalp atışını hızlandırır.)

Watering the plants in the garden makes me feel relaxed.

(Bahçedeki bitkileri sulamak beni rahatlatır.)

Using social media is one of the most common habits of people.

(Sosyal medyayı kullanmak insanların en yaygın alışkanlıklarından biridir.)

"like, dislike, enjoy, love, hate, don't mind..." gibi bazı fiillerden sonra kullanılır.

People enjoy listening to music while they are doing something.

(İnsanlar bir şeyler yaparken müzik dinle<mark>mekten</mark> hoslanırlar.)

I love drinking tea at breakfast. I don't like drinking milk or fruit juice.

(Kahvaltıda çay içmeyi severim. Süt veya meyve suyu içmeyi sevmem.)

I don't mind sleeping late because I don't have to get up early in the mornings.

(Geç uyumaya aldırmam çünkü sabahları erken kalkmak zorunda değilim.)

accustomed to afraid of apologize for approve of be fed up with be gifted in be into believe in blame for complain about crazy about feel like fond of good / bad at happy about insist on

instead of interested in keen on look forward to object to participate in rely on responsible for succeed in talk about thank for think about think of tired of use for worry about

 Kendisi ile birlikte sıklıkla bir edat (preposition) bulunan fiillerle ya da sıfatlarla kullanılır.

John was interested in collecting stamps when he was a child.

(John çocukken pul toplamakla ilgileniyordu.)

All the students are responsible for obeying the school rules.

(Tüm öğrenciler okul kurallarına uymakla yükümlüdür.)

She is very keen on dancing. She cannot think of a world without dancing.

(O dans etmeye çok heveslidir. O dansın olmadığı bir dünya düşünemez.)

✓ Bazı belirli fiillerden sonra "gerund" kullanılır.

admit	dislike	mention		
appreciate	enjoy	mind		
avoid	fancy	miss		
can't stand	finish	postpone		
confess	forgive	practice		
consider	give up	quit		
delay	imagine	risk		
deny	involve	suggest		
discuss	keep	understand		

Robert had to postpone travelling to Italy. (Robert İtalya'ya seyahat etmeyi ertelemek zorunda kaldı.)

You should avoid getting too close to the screen while you are watching TV.

(Televizyon izlerken ekrana çok <mark>yaklaşmaktan</mark> kaçınmalısınız.)

My father had better quit smoking; otherwise, he will get serious diseases.

(Babam sigarayı bıraksa iyi ol<mark>ur aksi takdirde ciddi</mark> hastalıklara yakalanacak.)

The robbers admitted robbing the central bank last week.

(Soyguncular geçen hafta merkez bankasını soyduklarını itiraf ettiler.)

Do you fancy spending time with your classmates? (Sınıf arkadaşlarınızla vakit geçirmeyi seviyor musunuz?)

You should keep on studying eagerly until the university exam day.

(Üniversite sınavı gününe kadar hevesle çalışmaya devam etmelisiniz.)



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### INFINITIVES

√ Fiillerin başına "to" getirilerek yapılır ve cümlede fiilden türemiş isim olarak kullanılır.

I decided to study engineering at university. (Üniversitede mühendislik okumaya karar verdim.)

She wants to invite all her classmates to the party. (Tüm arkadaşlarını partiye davet etmek istiyor.)

✓ Amaç bildirmek için kullanılır.

He wants China to join an important business fair. (O, Çin'in önemli bir iş fuarına katılmasını istiyor.)

Linda studied all night to get a good mark from the exam.

(Linda sınavdan iyi bir not almak için tüm gece çalıştı.)

You need to live in England to improve your English.

(İngilizcenizi geliştirmek için İngiltere'de yaşamalısınız.)

"would like, would love, would prefer" yapılarından sonra kullanılır.

I would like to have fried chicken and rice, please. (Kızarmış tavuk ve pilav istiyorum lütfen.)

She would prefer to stay at home. (Evde kalmayı tercih ederim.)

√ "too, enough" yapılarından sonra kullanılır.

He is too young to drive a car. (Araba sürmek için çok genç.)

She isn't willing enough to go shopping with us. (Bizimle alışverişe gitmek için yeterince istekli değil.)

✓ Bazı belirli sıfatlardan sonra kullanılır.

ashamed	happy	reluctant	
clever	kind	sad	
difficult	nice	sorry	
disappointed	pleased	stupid	
glad	proud	surprised	

I'm proud to be the winner of the chess tournament.

(Satranç turnuvasının galibi olmaktan gurur duyuyorum.) Everybody was surprised to see such a tall man in the street.

(Herkes sokakta böyle uzun bir adam gördüğü için şaşırdı.)

It's sometimes difficult to motivate the students to study more.

(Öğrencileri daha fazla çalışmaya motive etmek bazen zor olabilir.)

✓ Bazı belirli fiillerden sonra "infinitive" kullanılır.

afford	happen	refuse	
agree	hope	say	
appear	invite	seem	
arrange	learn	teach	
ask	manage	tend	
dare	offer	threaten	
decide	plan	wait	
expect	prepare	want	
fail	pretend	warn	
get	promise	wish	

We cannot afford to buy that house because it's quite expensive for us.

(O evi satın almaya gücümüz yetmez çünkü bizim için oldukça pahalı.)

I decided to go to Turkey for a summer holiday. (Yaz tatili için Türkiye'ye gitmeye karar verdim.)

People expected to see the president while he was leaving the meeting area.

(Cumhurbaşkanı toplantı alanından ayrılırken insanlar onu görmeyi umuyordu.)

We plan to organize a big barbecue party with all our relatives at the weekend.

(Hafta sonu tüm akrabalarımızla birlikte büyük bir mangal partisi düzenlemeyi planlıyoruz.)

The passengers wanted to get on the plane without waiting in lines for a long time. (Yolcular uzun süre kuyrukta beklemeden uçağa binmek istediler.)

I offered to help them with their homework. (Onlara ödevlerine yardım etmeyi teklif ettim.)



- 6 Circle the correct options. (Gerunds or Infinitives)
  - I'm very good at to use / using computers and writing poems.
  - My friend, Thomas is really gifted in taking / to take photographs.
  - I recommend you watching / to watch the latest movie of Orlando Bloom.
  - We usually go hiking / to hike when we get bored at home.
  - I'm very into to do / doing sports, I especially love playing / to play basketball.
  - My daughter, Sally enjoys dancing / to dance.
  - I want learning / to learn how to play a musical instrument during summer holidays.
- 7 Choose the correct options.
  - You should quit - - frozen and fast food if you want to have a healthy life.

A) to eat

- B) eating
- We were very surprised ---- my favorite singer eating dinner at this restaurant yesterday.

A) to see

- B) seeing
- Unfortunately, I don't have enough money - - - - a new laptop.

A) to buy

- B) buying
- 4. I phoned some of my classmates - - them to my graduation party on Saturday.

A) inviting

- B) to invite
- My mother can't stand - - to hip-hop music. She always prefers classical music.

A) to listen

B) listening



 Don't worry! I don't mind \_\_\_\_\_\_ (study at night until the early morning.

It's a very important project for me. I'd like \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) it until this weekend.

 My grandfather and I enjoyed \_\_\_\_\_ (spend) time together near the lake in the good old days.

Jane is crazy about \_\_\_\_\_ (keep) pets at home, but her father doesn't allow her.

The headmaster expects all teachers
 \_\_\_\_ (join) the first-aid course this term.

 My son is gifted in \_\_\_\_\_\_ (solve) maths questions. He can find the results in a very short time.

2) Complete the sentences with the right verb.

pretend

- We all \_\_\_\_\_\_ to live in a peaceful world.
- 2) I \_\_\_\_\_\_ to be a doctor in the role play.
- 3. I don't \_\_\_\_ opening the window although it is cool in here.
- 4 You should never \_\_\_\_\_ trying to achieve your goals.

5. Peter doesn't \_\_\_\_\_ joining parties. He has a shy personality.







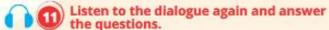






Listen to the dialogue between two retired men and circle the incorrect ones.

- 1. Alfred and Ronald ----
  - A) are both retired now
  - B) are old friends
  - C) met for the first time
- Ronald runs across Alfred in the street.
   Ronald - -.
  - A) gives advice to Alfred
  - B) was a bank manager
  - C) is a famous person
- Alfred got retired from his job two months ago. He - - - -.
  - A) can't decide on a hobby
  - B) wants to travel around the world
  - C) wants to start a hobby
- Ronald and Alfred talked about hobbies and at last, Alfred - - - -.
  - A) wanted to learn how to play an instrument
  - B) chose painting as a hobby
  - C) doesn't like doing sports





- Is Alfred still the manager of a hospital?
- 2. When did Ronald retire from his job?
- 3. Who asked for advice about leisure time activities?
- 4. Does Alfred like doing sports?
- What hobbies did Alfred decide to take up?

Listen to the dialogue again and tick (</) the hobbies you hear.











There is more to life than eating, sleeping and working. Always work and no play makes your life dull. So, you need to do some kind of work according to your interests which give you happiness and joy. A hobby is an activity that you can enjoy doing in your spare time. They are fun activities that are enjoyable, entertaining and relaxing. There are many kinds of hobbies. It could be anything from stamp collection to travelling. You can learn new things by dealing with something as a hobby. People pursue their hobbies with great passion and taste. Hobbies will help you become more patient. Hobbies also help people to escape from the daily stress of life. Good hobbies improve our personality and character traits. Your hobbies may be lifelong. You can follow more than one hobby. They may include music, dancing, reading, story writing, sports, philately, painting, theatre and others. Interestingly, one person's hobby may be another person's profession. For example, one could be a professional story writer, but for another, story writing could be a hobby. There are also many other ways to spend our leisure time. Some people make crafts, some join a sports team, some like to travel, some play games, some collect things, some participate in contests and some learn a new skill. Everyone has different hobbies. For some, it is easy to find a hobby, but for others, it is not as there are so many options out there. No matter what hobby you take up, just remember there is a lot more to do apart from just work.



1. A hobby is the only thing that people can spend their leisure time on.

A person may be interested in more than one hobby.

It is not enough to find a hobby to get away from the stress of life.

4. Taking up a hobby is a difficult process for everyone.

You can learn new things while you are busy with a hobby.

Some hobbies are regarded as a profession for some people.

# Choose the correct options for the underlined words.

 Spending time with a hobby is a good way of escaping from the stress of business life.

A) coming closer

B) avoiding from

When people get bored with life, they can add passion and taste into their ordinary lives.

A) laziness

B) pleasure

According to their talents or interests, people <u>follow</u> more than one hobby.

A) pursue

B) give up

Our lives can become quite <u>dull</u>
if we don't take time to relax in
our daily lives.

A) enjoyable

B) boring

You can overcome your stress or commonness by participating in social activities especially at weekends.

A) taking part

B) preventing











Read the speech bubbles about celebrities' hobbies and interests. Then, answer the questions.

# KATY PERRY

Hello, everyone! I'm Katy Perry. I have some hobbies and interests apart from singing songs and giving concerts, I like gardening and taking care of glamorous flowers in the yard of my house. I also enjoy writing lyrics for my songs, enjoy writing lyrics for my songs, Besides, I'm very good at cycling and roller skating.

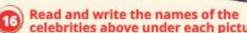


i, thereI I'm Tom Cruise. You now me from my adventure novies. I'm very busy with shooting movies. I spend most of my time at the film sets and studios. I try to make more studios. I try to make more time for fencing. It's an amusing sport and It makes me feel sport and It makes me feel energetic. I also love swimming energetic. I also love swimming on holiday in summers. I also on holiday in summers. I also enjoy paragliding. It's wonderful and expensive indeed.



Hello, friends! I'm very keen on sports and I always start my day with Jogging. I also love doing water sports like windsurfing and rafting. I can do canoeing on the angry rivers and ski well from the summits of high mountains in winter. I also have an interesting hobby. I collect stylish and well-designed watches. I have a great collection of watches at home.

Hi, everyonei My name is Angelina jolie. I'm a famous actress. You know I'm also a goodwill ambassador for the United Nations Refugee Agency. I travel a lot and meet lots of innocent people who are in need. In my spare time, I do crocheting. I knit pullovers, gloves and socks. I'm crazy about taking photos. Wherever I go, I never forget to take my camera with me. I also have a collection of knives and daggers. I know they are sharp and dangerous, but I really like them.





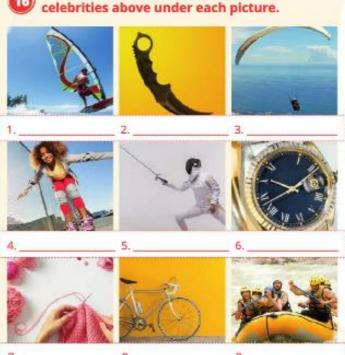
2. What can Angelina Jolie do in her free time?

3. What does Mustafa Sandal enjoy collecting?

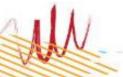
4. What is Katy Perry talented in doing?

5. Who is good at scuba diving and swimming?

6. Where does Tom Cruise spend most of his time?









Listen to the dialogue between Peter and

Peter is interested in pottery.

Megan is interested in pottery.

Peter prefers pottery to fencing.

Megan prefers pottery to fencing.

Megan suggests having chess

tournaments in the future.

Peter suggests having chess

tournaments in the future.

Peter can fence.

Megan can fence.

Megan and tick (√) the correct option.

Megan can't play chess.

Peter doesn't play chess.

### CAN / CAN'T

"can" ve "can't" şu ana ait yeteneklerimizi ve yapabildiğimiz ya da yapamadığımız işleri ifade ederken kullanılır.

She can speak English fluently because she has lived in London for a long time.

(O akıcı bir şekilde İngilizce konuşabilir çünkü uzun zamandır Londra'da yaşıyor.)

They can easily walk all the way home. It isn't

(Eve kadar tüm yolu kolayca yürüyebilirler. Çok uzak değil.)

I'm very good at sports. I can do extreme sports like paragliding and bungee jumping. (Sporda çok iyiyim. Yamaç paraşütü ve hava dalışı gibi sporları yapabilirim.)

- Soru cümlesi oluşturmak için "can" öznenin başına
  - A: Can you knit some things for winter, grandma? (Büyükanne, kış için bazı şeyler örebilir misin?)
  - B: Yes, I can knit pullovers and gloves. (Evet, kazak ve eldiven örebilirim.)

Listen to the dialogue again and answer the questions.

1. Who is going to a training activity?

2. Does Peter enjoy active activities or relaxing activities?

3. What is actually a brain sport?

4. Who is planning to take up a new hobby?

5. What is Peter interested in?

### COULD / COULDN'T

"could" ve "couldn't" geçmişe ait yapabildiğimiz genel şeyleri ifade ederken kullanılır.

Fazil Say was a real genius. He could play the piano when he was only five. (Fazıl Say gerçek bir dâhiydi. Sadece beş yaşındayken piyano çalabiliyordu.)

Our goalkeeper was great, so the other team couldn't score a goal in the match. (Kalecimiz harikaydı bu yüzden diğer takım maçta gol atamadı.)

Geçmiş ile alakalı belirli bir olayla ilgili yapabildiğimiz veya zor bir durum ile alakalı başarabildiğimiz bir şeyi anlatırken "was / were able to" kullanılır.

The rival team played very well, but we were able to win the game.

(Karşı takım çok iyi oynadı ama oyunu kazanabildik.)

It was foggy yesterday. Were the planes able to take off without any problems? (Dün hava sisliydi. Uçaklar sorunsuz kalkabildiler mi?)















### Read the passage and write a title for the text.

Title: .....

Hello! My name is Brenda. I'm seventeen years old and I live in Glasgow, the biggest city of Scotland. We all have a hobby or a pastime that we love and enjoy. For some, it may be painting, while for others, it may be sports. The choice of a hobby is vast and it depends on the taste of the person. My hobby is stamp collection which is a great pastime. It is also known as philately. I have a huge collection of stamps from all over the world. It all began when I was seven. While I was looking through my father's stamp album, I somehow got fascinated by it. At first, I used to collect stamps that were on envelops. My interest on it grew day by day and I started studying it deeply. Then, I spend my leisure time collecting stamps of different countries. Each stamp has a specific characteristic of that country. In this way, it helps to increase your awareness of each country, too. Sometimes, stamps may have pictures of great people of that country. In short, stamp collection is not only a hobby, but also a gateway to the awareness about other countries. This is a great hobby because I collect stamps that are rare to be obtained. Now, I have an album with a variety of stamps which are kept neatly and safely. I take great pleasure in stamp collecting.



- 1. What does the choice of a person's hobby depend on?
- 2. How did Brenda's curiosity in collecting stamps start?
- 3. What is the other word for collecting stamps?
- 4. What does she do in her leisure time?
- 5. Why is collecting stamps a wonderful hobby for Brenda?
- 6. Where does Brenda keep all her stamps?



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4 1	Match	the	words	with	their	defi	nitions

- A envelope
- neatly

  nastime
- E pastime
- G vast
- B the gateway to
- D philately
- collection
- 1. of great extent or quantity; immense \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. an activity that someone does regularly \_\_\_\_
- a flat paper container with sealable flab, used to enclose a letter or document \_\_\_\_
- 4. arranged in a tidy way; in good order \_\_\_\_
- 5. the way to get into something or somewhere \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. a group of objects of the same type that have been collected by people \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. the collecting or study of stamps as a hobby \_\_\_\_\_



### **WOULD LIKE**

✓ Bir şeyi yapmak istediğimizi ifade ederken kullanılır. "want" fiili ile aynı anlamda kullanılsa da, "would like" daha nazik bir ifade şeklidir. "would like" sonrasında kullanacağımız fiil "infinitive (to do)" şeklindedir.

I would like a cup of coffee. (Bir bardak kahve istiyorum.)

She would like to have a sandwich for lunch. (Öğle yemeğinde sandviç almak istiyor.)

✓ Olumsuz yapısı ise "wouldn't like" şeklindedir.

I wouldn't like to do my homework now. (Şimdi ödevimi yapmak istemiyorum.)

 Soru sormak için sadece "would" öznenin başına getirilir.

Would you like to have a dessert after your meal? (Yemekten sonra tatlı ister misiniz?)

What would you like to do as a hobby? (Hobi olarak ne yapmak istersiniz?)

#### PREFER

 Genel olarak hayatta neyi tercih ettiğimizi söylerken kullanırız.

I prefer to live in the country because I don't like city life. (Kırsal alanda yaşamayı tercih ederim çünkü şehir hayatını sevmem.)

NOT: Prefer kullanımının üç şekli vardır;

 prefer something to something else (bir şeyi başka bir şeye tercih etmek)

I prefer chess to backgammon. (Satrancı tavlaya tercih ederim.)

 prefer doing something to something else (bir şey yapmak yerine başka bir şey yapmayı tercih etmek)

I prefer eating pizza to eating a hamburger. (Pizza yemeyi hamburger yemeye tercih ederim.)

He prefers reading a novel to playing video games. (O roman okumayı video oyunları oynamaya tercih eder.)

 prefer to do something rather than do something else (bir şeyi yapmak yerine başka bir şeyi yapmayı tercih etmek)

I prefer to go to the cinema rather than watch TV at home.

(Evde televizyon seyretmek yerine sinemaya gitmeyi tercih ederim.)

### **WOULD PREFER TO DO**

 Genel olmayan, belirli bir durumdaki tercihimizi ifade etmek için kullanılır. Kendisinden sonra kullanacağımız fiil "infinitive (to do)" şeklindedir.

A: Shall we watch an action movie? (Aksiyon filmi izleyelim mi?)

B: No, I'd prefer to watch a romantic comedy. (Hayır, romantik komedi izlemeyi tercih ederim.)

✓ Olumsuz kullanımı ise "wouldn't prefer" şeklindedir.

I wouldn't prefer to walk in the rain. Let's call a taxi.

(Yağmurda yürümeyi tercih etmem. Taksi çağıralım.)

 would prefer to do rather than do something else (bir şey yapmayı başka bir şey yapmaya tercih etmek)

We'd prefer to sit in the garden rather than play chess in the room.

(Biz bahçede oturmayı odada satranç oynamaya tercih ederiz.)

### **WOULD RATHER DO THAN**

✓ Belirli bir durumdaki spesifik tercihimizi ifade ederken kullanırız. "would rather" dan sonra fiil yalın olarak gelir.

I'd rather visit Miniatürk when I go to İstanbul this summer.

(Bu yaz İstanbul'a gittiğimde Miniatürk'ü ziyaret etmek isterim.)

✓ Olumsuz hali "would rather not" olarak söylenir.

This is quite boring, I'd rather not see it again. (Bu oldukça sıkıcı. Bir daha görmek istemem.)

 Bir şeyi, başka bir şey yapmaya tercih ederken "than" kullanılır.

I'd rather go out than study for the test now. (Sınava çalışmak yerine dışarı çıkmaya tercih ederim.)

✓ Soru cümlesi ise "would" öznenin başına getirilerek yapılır.

Would you rather eat out or at home? (Dışarıda mı yoksa evde mi yemek istersiniz?)

Would you rather go to work by bus or train? (Îșe otobüsle veya trenle mi gitmek istersiniz?)



- Circle the correct option.
- I don't want to cook the meal today. I'd rather eat / eating out this evening.
- We would like visit / to visit historical buildings in the city.
- My father would like / prefers reading a newspaper to watching TV in his free time.
- Tony would rather have / to have an omelette than a toast for breakfast.
- I would like to / prefer come to your birthday party next weekend.
- Sharon would prefer to study / study Geography rather than solve Maths problems.
- Where would you like spend / to spend your summer holiday this year?
- I would rather / would like go rafting than go caving.

- Choose the correct option.
  - I would like ---visit all historical buildings and museums when I go to istanbul.
    - a) visiting b) visit c) to visit
  - People prefer --shopping in big malls ---- buying their needs from

the local shops.

a) to do / to b) doing / to c) do / rather than

We would rather ---- a meal at home - - - eat at a restaurant this evening.

- a) cook / than b) doing / to c) do / rather than
  - A: Do you like doing extreme sports? B: Actually not. I prefer enjoyable, relaxing sports such as tennis or golf fast and tiring ones.

Complete the sentences with the given words.

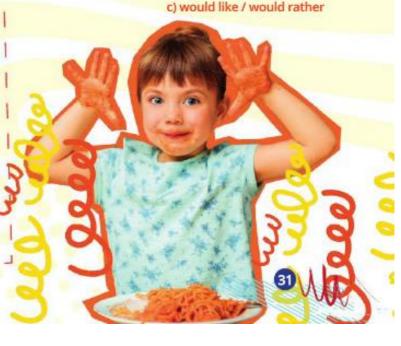
play eat watch

- chess with my father because he can play very well and he is a perfect rival for me.
- My daughter would like \_ spaghetti for dinner. It's her favorite food.
- Brian feels very ill today. He would rather not to work today. He needs a rest.
- 4. Would you prefer a laptop or a desktop computer for your office? Which one is better?
- Do you prefer \_\_\_\_\_ to music in your free time at home?
- We want to go out this evening. We would at home because we rather not are bored.
- 7. I'd prefer the bus rather than drive to work in the mornings because there is always a traffic jam in the early hours of the day.

Leanna ---- be a housewife than a busy manager at the company. She - - - a quiet and calm life.

- a) would rather / prefers b) prefers / would rather
- c) would prefer / would like

- a) do / than b) doing / to
- c) do / rather than
  - My friend ---to scuba dive, but I'm afraid of sea creatures. I ---- take beautiful photographs of the nature.
- a) prefer / would rather b) would rather / would like



### SCORE



### Circle the correct option. (5x4=20 pts.)

- 1. My daughter got really disappointed / cheerful when the school cancelled the trip to the zoo.
- 2. I am really sorry, but there was nothing we could do to allow / prevent the accident.
- 3. Hollywood stars pay great attention to look beautiful and glamorous / ordinary on TV.
- 4. Peter painted his room with bright colours to make it dull / jazzy.
- 5. Engineers should plan buildings of the future invulnerable / impressive to earthquakes.



### Match the halves of the sentences. (5x4=20 pts.)

- a. My mother is always on pins and needles when my brother goes ice climbing
- b. Ali has a good command of English
- c. Finally, Judith let the cat out of the bag
- d. My brother has always been the odd man in the office
- e. I'm not keen on watching docudramas on TV

1. as she was tired of kee	ping her sister's secret
2. because it is a perilous	sport.
3. since they make me fee	el miserable.
4. so nobody is willing to	work with him.
5. so it is easy for him to f	find a job abroad.
Complete the sentences "would prefer" or "prefer	
1. I think teenagers	to stay in a hot
rather than a tent.	
2. Thomas is keen on hist	ory and architecture,

- \_\_ visiting historical places and museums whenever he goes abroad.
- 3. My grandparents don't know how to use the Internet, so they \_\_\_\_\_ write letters.
- to play online games instead of watching TV.
- 5. Most of my students bodyboarding than drifting.



### Choose the correct option to complete the sentence. (5x4=20 pts.)

- 1. I was glad - - the tickets for the show after waiting in the queue for two hours.
- b. to get
- c. getting
- My sister doesn't mind - on Sundays, but I really hate it.
  - a. work
- b. to work
- c. working
- 3. After watching the weather forecast, we decided ---- our plans.
  - a. change
- b. to change
- c. changing
- 4. Keep - - until you succeed.
  - a. try
- b. to try
- c. trying
- 5. When I was a child, I couldn't stand ---- horror movies.
  - a. watch
- b. to watch
- c. watching



#### Look at the underlined words or phrases and choose the sentence that has the closest meaning. (4x5=20 pts.)

- 1. Nancy is gifted in cooking.
  - a. Nancy has a flair for preparing tasty dishes.
  - b. Nancy doesn't enjoy spending time in the kitchen.
- 2. I am fascinated by her ability of writing poems.
  - a. I can't stand reading her poems because they are dull.
  - b. I think she is gifted in writing poems.
- 3. My father was fortunate to turn his hobby into his career.
  - a. My father was lucky because he could make money on his hobby.
  - b. My father was unlucky because he didn't enjoy doing his job.
- 4. Safari tours offer you a unique chance to see wild animals in their habitats.
  - a. It is common and usual to see wild animals in their habitats.
  - b. Seeing wild animals in their habitats is an exceptional case.







