



UNIT 8: Language 7th

Grammar 1: Wish Statements

1.- Match

Wish statements TR: 8.4

I **wish** my teacher **were** a robot. (But my teacher is not a robot!)

I **wish** I **could** program a robot. (But I can't.)

Mom **wishes** she **had** a robot that played table tennis! (But she doesn't have one.)

Dad **wishes** the vacuuming robot **didn't cost** so much. (But it costs a lot.)

1 Read and write. Complete the sentences.

1. I wish a personal robot could help (can / help) me speak English.
2. My family _____ there _____ (be) a robot to cook for us.
3. I _____ I _____ (not / have) to do everything myself. I'd like a personal robot!
4. My sister _____ she _____ (have) a robot to make snacks for her.
5. I _____ robots _____ (not / be) so expensive.
6. My cousins _____ they _____ (have) robots to make their beds!
7. I _____ I _____ (can) play soccer like ASIMO.
8. Our cat _____ my mom _____ (not / use) a vacuuming robot. He gets scared!



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Write. What about you? What do you wish a robot could do for you? For your family? For your school? Work with a partner and compare your wishes.

For me: I wish a robot could explain my homework to me.

For my family: _____

For my school: _____
