

## EXERCISES

## 2.1 Complete the sentences using one of the following:

cause(s) close(s) drink(s) live(s) open(s) ~~speaks~~ take(s) place

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| 1 Ann <del>speaks</del> German very well.                            | 4 Bad driving ..... many accidents.         |
| 2 I never ..... coffee.  | 5 My parents ..... in a very small flat.    |
| 3 The swimming pool ..... at 9 o'clock and ..... at 18.30 every day. | 6 The Olympic Games ..... every four years. |

## 2.2 Put the verb into the correct form.

- Jane ~~doesn't drink~~ (not/drink) tea very often.
- What time ..... (the banks / close) in Britain?
- 'Where ..... (Martin/come) from?' 'He's Scottish.'
- 'What ..... (you/do)?' 'I'm an electrical engineer.'
- It ..... (take) me an hour to get to work. How long ..... (it/take) you?
- I ..... (play) the piano but I ..... (not/play) very well.
- I don't understand this sentence. What ..... (this word/mean)?

## 2.3 Use one of the following verbs to complete these sentences. Sometimes you need the negative:

believe eat flow ~~go~~ ~~grow~~ make rise tell translate

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| 1 The earth <del>goes</del> round the sun. | 7 An interpreter ..... from one language into another. |
| 2 Rice <del>doesn't grow</del> in Britain. | 8 A liar is someone who ..... the truth.               |
| 3 The sun ..... in the east.               | 9 The River Amazon ..... into the Atlantic Ocean.      |
| 4 Bees ..... honey.                        |  |
| 5 Vegetarians ..... meat.                  |  |
| 6 An atheist ..... in God.                 |  |

## 2.4 Ask Liz questions about herself and her family.

- You know that Liz plays tennis. You want to know how often. Ask her.  
How often ... ~~do you play tennis~~?
- Perhaps Liz's sister plays tennis too. You want to know. Ask Liz.  
..... your sister .....
- You know that Liz reads a newspaper every day. You want to know which one. Ask her.  
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- You know that Liz's brother works. You want to know what he does. Ask Liz.  
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- You know that Liz goes to the cinema a lot. You want to know how often. Ask her.  
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- You don't know where Liz's mother lives. Ask Liz.  
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## 2.5 Complete using one of the following:

I apologise I insist I promise I recommend ~~I suggest~~

- It's a nice day. ~~I suggest~~ we go out for a walk.
- I won't tell anybody what you said. ....
- (in a restaurant) You must let me pay for the meal. ....
- ..... for what I said about you. It wasn't true and I shouldn't have said it.
- The new restaurant in Hill Street is very good. .... it.