

## Expressing preferences (2)

1. **I prefer** noun **to** noun. ----- I **prefer** coffee to tea.
2. **I'd prefer to** + verb ----- I **'d prefer** to drink tea
3. **I like** noun **better than** noun.----- I **like** tea better than coffee.
4. **I prefer** verb+ing.----- I prefer drink**ing** tea.
5. **I prefer** verb+ing **to** verb+ing ---- I prefer drink**ing** coffee to drink**ing** tea.

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a) **Choose the correct option.**

- 1- Daniel, Merlin and I \_\_\_\_\_ pasta to salad.  
a) prefer                      b) likes                      c)'d prefer
- 2- Employers in this company \_\_\_\_\_ to work from Mondays to Thursdays.  
a) like                      b) prefer                      c) would prefer
- 3- Stefan and I \_\_\_\_\_ Barcelona FC better than Real Madrid FC.  
a) Like                      b) likes                      c) would prefer
- 4- Francisco \_\_\_\_\_ studying English to studying Chinese.  
a) prefer                      b) prefers                      c) 'd prefer

b) **Which do you prefer?**

Write sentences using rule number 5.

- 1 Sue (drive / travel by train) --- Sue prefers driving to travelling by train.
- 2 Marcia and Ana (play basketball / <sup>play</sup> football)
- 3 Ivan (go to the cinema / watch DVDs at home)
- 4 I (be very busy / have nothing to do)