B. Language Builder

Exercise 1: Match the words with the pictures. Use the words in the box.

computer	games	cooking	gym	radio	restaurant	shopping	television	walking



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Exercise 2: Choose the correct answers to complete the sentences.

1 He likes *plays/ playing/ play* football.

2 They hate *listen/ listening/ listens* to the radio in English.

3 I *loves/ love/ loving* reading a book at home.

4 She *hate/ hating/ hates* shopping in the mall.

5 We don't like *does/ do/ doing* sport.

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6 Do you like *cook/ cooks/ cooking* for friends.

7 Don't they hate *goes/ going/ go* for walks in bad weather?

Exercise 3: Match the sentence halves.

1. I like going	●		●	surfing the internet.
2. I hate shopping	●		●	to the gym with my friends.
3. I don't like going for	●		●	to the news on the radio.
4. I don't like listening	●		●	for clothes.
5. I hate playing	●		●	dinner for my family.
6. I don't like spending time	●		●	walks in the rain.
7. I love cooking	●		●	tennis.

Exercise 4: Complete the sentences. Use the words in the box.

boring	fit	friendly	funny	happy	interesting	lazy	sad

1. She does a lot of sport. She's very _____.
2. He makes me laugh. He's really _____.
3. They don't like working hard. They're _____.
4. They are always smiling. They're _____.
5. She cries a lot. She's _____.
6. He always tells the same stories. He's very _____.
7. My teacher explains things well and I want to learn more. She's is _____.
8. The neighbors are every kind and helpful to us. They are very _____.

Exercise 5: Read about William and his friends. Complete the sentences with the correct adjectives.

Hello, my name's William. I'm an engineer and I work for a big company. I know lots of people at work and some of them are also my friends. My best friend is called Eddie. We work in the same office. He always makes me laugh because he's so *boring/ funny*. He loves playing tennis and football. He also likes swimming. Eddie is very *fit/ lazy*, because he does so much sport. My sister, Maxine, also

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likes playing tennis and she loves going for long walks, but her main interest is shopping for clothes! I often go with her to the shopping mall, but I hate shopping myself. For me, it's *boring/ friendly* to wait while someone chooses lots of clothes, so I normally sit and play games on my mobile phone while I wait for her. That's much more *interesting/ sad*! My other friends are all very different. John, for example, hates doing sport and is only *funny/ happy* when he's at home reading a book or watching TV. Another friend, called Dave, is a really nice guy who loves going out with friends. Dave hasn't got a job and he doesn't want one, because he doesn't like working. He's very *interesting/ lazy*. Marta is my sister's best friend. She's very *friendly/ sad* so loves chatting for hours on the internet. She has hundreds of online friends.

Exercise 6: Complete the sentences. Use the phrases in the box.

hate doing	like going out	like playing loves talking	loves going	loves reading

1. My best friend _____football.
2. Maxine _____to the gym.
3. John and Martin _____sport.
4. Thomas _____a book at home.
5. I _____to restaurants with my friends.
6. Marta _____to friends on the internet.

Exercise 7: Read the profiles of the people from the internet. Choose True or False.

Kyra
Hello, my name's Kyra. I'm from Mexico, but I live in Germany now. I'm 22 years old, but I'm not married. I like reading and playing the piano. I love watching tennis and football on the TV, but I don't like doing sport. My friends say I'm a bit lazy and I think they're right. I'm a student, by the way.

Lars
Hi, I'm Lars. I'm from Sweden. I'm 24 years old and I've got lots of friends. I like inviting them for dinner at the weekend. I love cooking French and Italian dishes. People say that I'm a friendly person and I think they're right because I like being with people and helping them. I'm quite sporty and fit. I don't like sitting at home watching TV or playing computer games.

Rachel
Hi there, my name's Rachel. I'm 26. I'm from France. I like playing football and I love swimming. That's my main interest. I go to the swimming pool about three or four times a week. Most of my friends like doing sport as well. They're all quite fit. At the weekend we all love going for long walks and then in the evening we love having a meal together in a restaurant. That's usually great fun.

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	True	False
1. Kyra is German.	○	○
2. Kyra loves playing tennis.	○	○
3.Kyra is lazy.	○	○
4. Lars is Italian.	○	○
5. Lars loves cooking.	○	○
6. Lars loves playing video games.	○	○
7. Rachel enjoys swimming.	○	○
8. Rachel's friends are fit.	○	○
9. Rachel loves going for walks with her friends in the evening.	○	○

Exercise 8: Put the words in the correct order to complete the sentences.

1. I the friends cinema with love my going to .

2. Hate for clothes shopping I .

3. The park going for long don't like walks in I .

4. The to like radio I listening .

5. Really love I c hatting on internet the .

6. Guy best really nice is friend a my .

7. Friendly very wife is my .

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