

# STARTER UNIT

## Standard

### Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with a suitable word from the box.

crafts      fashion      sport      fitness      travel

- 1 Ellie is really interested in ..... so she buys a lot of clothes.
- 2 David is writing a ..... blog about his summer holiday.
- 3 Why don't you start a blog on ..... because you love football and tennis?
- 4 I enjoying making things, so I often write about arts and .....
- 5 We want to start a website on ..... for people who don't like going to the gym!

2 Choose the correct answer.

- 1 I usually **hang** / **meet** out with friends at the weekend.
- 2 Mark **goes** / **works** out at the gym every Friday.
- 3 How often do you **make** / **eat** dinner for your family?
- 4 We don't **go** / **get** to college on Saturdays.
- 5 I like to **make** / **have** a shower before I go to bed.
- 6 Do you want to **get** / **meet** up this evening?
- 7 I hardly ever **make** / **eat** out because it's too expensive.

3 What are the occupations? Write them down. You have the first letter to help you.

- 1 The person who helps you in a shop.  
s ..... a .....
- 2 The person who cooks in a restaurant.  
c .....
- 3 The person who cuts your hair.  
h .....
- 4 The person who fixes your car.  
m .....
- 5 The person who looks after your flowers and trees.  
g .....
- 6 The person who makes your neighbourhood safe.  
p ..... o .....
- 7 The person who serves you in a restaurant.  
w .....

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### Grammar

#### 1 Complete the sentences with the *present simple* or *present continuous* form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 Sarah ..... her emails at the moment so don't disturb her! (read)
- 2 How often ..... out with your friends? (you / go)
- 3 I ..... today because it's a national holiday. (not work)
- 4 We usually ..... a lot of homework every day. (have)
- 5 Why ..... so much money on video games? (Jack / spend)
- 6 My parents ..... French because they want to live in France. (learn)
- 7 Harry ..... college this term because the course is very difficult. (not enjoy)
- 8 I ..... often ..... meat or fish. (not eat)

#### 2 Rewrite the sentences with the adverbs of frequency in the correct place.

- 1 We go out in the evening. (hardly ever)  
.....
- 2 Julia is at home at the moment. (rarely)  
.....
- 3 I don't spend much time on the internet. (usually)  
.....
- 4 It's annoying that you are late for class. (always)  
.....
- 5 Stephen remembers his mother's birthday. (never)  
.....
- 6 I am in the library at the weekend. (often)  
.....
- 7 We go swimming when the weather's good. (sometimes)  
.....

#### 3 Choose the correct answer.

- 1 Peter is **always complaining** / **always complains** about something.
- 2 I'm **always going** / **always go** to the gym on Mondays and Thursdays.
- 3 You **are always talking** / **always talk** in class so I can't hear the teacher.
- 4 It's **always raining** / **always rains** in this country! I hate it.
- 5 Hannah **is always texting** / **always texts** me when she gets home so I know she's ok.
- 6 My sister **is always taking** / **always takes** my clothes without asking.
- 7 Mum **is always cooking** / **always cooks** delicious meals.