

1 Complete the sentences with the infinitive or *-ing* form of the verbs in the box.

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- 1 My dad is really kind. He always offers *to help* people.
- 2 I'm quite optimistic. I usually expect _____ my exams.
- 3 My friend Sarah is really impatient. She can't stand _____.
- 4 Sammy is really generous. He always offers _____.
- 5 Jane is very hard-working. She doesn't mind _____ for hours.
- 6 I'm very ambitious. I often imagine _____ rich and famous.
- 7 Alex is so talkative! He keeps _____ even when nobody is listening!
- 8 My sister is so shy. She can't help _____ nervous when a stranger talks to her.

2 Complete the sentences with an infinitive or *-ing* form and true information about yourself.

- 1 I usually avoid ...
- 2 I really can't stand ...
- 3 I don't mind ...
- 4 I spend a lot of time ...
- 5 I really want ...
- 6 I sometimes pretend ...

7 Complete the sentences with the infinitive or *-ing* form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 He's pretending _____ (be) angry.
- 2 I can't help _____ (feel) nervous.
- 3 She doesn't enjoy _____ (wear) formal clothes.
- 4 Have you finished _____ (eat)?
- 5 I didn't expect _____ (pass) the exam.
- 6 Do you want _____ (watch) television?
- 7 I don't feel like _____ (go) home.
- 8 We decided _____ (have) lunch in a café.
- 9 Do you fancy _____ (play) tennis tomorrow?
- 10 I promise _____ (tell) you the truth.

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- 1 Do you fancy going to the cinema this evening?
- 2 I spend a lot of time _____ computer games.
- 3 The food in the school canteen is terrible, so I avoid _____ lunch there.
- 4 I can't help _____ that he isn't telling the truth.
- 5 I don't mind _____ my parents with the housework.
- 6 I can't stand _____ early in the morning.
- 7 Bob suggested _____ a DVD.
- 8 Can you imagine _____ in a foreign country?
- 9 It's really annoying – he keeps _____ my homework.

6 Match the two halves of the sentences.

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| 1 When he was four, he began ... | a to pay for his lessons. |
| 2 His mother agreed ... | b practising every day. |
| 3 He imagined ... | c to study music at university. |
| 4 He hoped ... | d to learn the piano. |
| 5 He didn't mind ... | e becoming a famous pianist. |

2 Complete the sentences, using the infinitive form of the verbs in the box. Then match the sentences to the pictures.

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- 1 Kate wants to be a nurse when she leaves school.
- 2 Tina's parents agreed _____ her go to the match.
- 3 Harry decided not _____ a new DVD player. They're too expensive.
- 4 Jake broke the window, but he refused _____ for a new one.
- 5 Liz is pretending _____ – but she's really listening to the radio.
- 6 Dan offered _____ my suitcase as it was really heavy.