

### **1 Choose the correct phrases to complete the dialogues.**

1 A: Hi! Where do you go / are you going?

B: I meet/am meeting Dan for a coffee.

A: Do you want/Are you wanting to come?

A: No, thanks! I need/am needing to finish my homework!

B: That's OK. I understand/am understanding.

2 A: Hill do/'m doing a survey about shopping. Can I ask you some questions?

B: Sorry! I'm in a hurry. I have /'m having a party tonight and I have/ am having loads to do.

A: That's OK.

3 A: This is my cousin Max. He stays /'s staying with us for two weeks.

B: Hi, Max. Do you live / Are you living a long way from here?

C: Yes. We have/ are having a house in London. My dad prefers/ is preferring to live near his work so he doesn't have/ isn't having to travel too far every day.

B: That makes / is making sense! Nice to meet you.

### **2 Complete the email with the correct present form of the verbs in brackets.**

Hi Eva,

What ..... (you/think) of the new Adele album? I absolutely ..... (love) it.

I ..... (listen) to it at this very moment! I ..... (play) it really loudly in my bedroom every night. Mum ..... (get) a bit fed up with it! She ..... (always / tell) me to turn it down or put my earphones in. You know, I ..... (think) Adele's music ..... (get) better. .... (you/agree)?

By the way - ..... .. (you/remember) I told you that we ..... (go) on holiday to London? Well - it's tomorrow! We ..... (get) up at 4.30 because our plane ..... (leave) at 7.00 So, I ..... (go) to bed really early tonight.

See you next week!

Love, Sammy

### **3 Put the time expressions in the correct place in the sentences.**

**Sometimes the expression can go in more than one place.**

1 I eat fish. never

2 My friend is spending two weeks in Scotland. at the moment

3 I play tennis with my friends. every Saturday morning

4 We're doing a project about the environment. this week

5 My brother cooks dinner for the family. sometimes

6 Our teacher doesn't give us much homework. usually

7 We're revising the present tenses. today

8 Do you check new words in your dictionary? always

**4 Read the bullet points and complete the sentences with the correct present form of the verbs in brackets.**

*Tell your friend about your plans for the weekend*

I \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) my friends on Saturday morning and we \_\_\_\_\_ (all/go) shopping. I \_\_\_\_\_ (need) to buy some books for school and they \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a sale at the bookshop!

*Describe where you live*

I \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in a lovely village just outside a small town and I \_\_\_\_\_ (travel) to school in the town by bus every day. Most of the houses are very old but they \_\_\_\_\_ (build) some new ones on the edge of the village at the moment. Because the village is quite small. I \_\_\_\_\_ (know) nearly everyone there! That's cool.

*Describe your best friend*

My best friend is Harry and he's seventeen. He \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to become a singer! He's actually got a good voice and he \_\_\_\_\_ (sing) well. We \_\_\_\_\_ (go) everywhere together and \_\_\_\_\_ (like) the same music and films.

He \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a lot of friends and he \_\_\_\_\_ (always/chat) on the phone when he should be concentrating on his work!