GRAMMAR *need, want*

1 **Look at the example sentences from the conversation. Think about the difference between *need* and *want*.**

I want to do a picture for Mum, but I need some blue paint.
I want to go to a party tonight and I need some new clothes.
She wants a plant for the living room.
I need to write a list.

2 **Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.**

1 I've got nothing to wear! I *need* / *want* some new clothes.
2 I like having lots of clothes. I *need* / *want* some new clothes.

3 **Complete the sentences with *need, needs, want* or *wants*.**

0 This football is old. I *need* a new ball.
1 My friends are outside. They _____ to play football with me.
2 We _____ to watch TV. Our favourite film is on tonight.
3 I haven't got any money. I _____ to go to the bank.
4 **A:** Can I go out with my friends?
B: No, you _____ to do your homework.
5 My tooth hurts! I _____ to go to the dentist.
6 It's hot today! My little brother _____ to go for a swim.
7 My friend _____ to finish her homework today.

4 **Match sentences 1–4 to sentences a–d.**

1 I want to go to the cinema.
2 I want to do my homework.
3 I want to play tennis.
4 I want some new jeans.

a I need some new balls.
b I need to go shopping.
c I need my books.
d I need to buy a ticket.

5 **Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.**

1 We always / never use *to* with a verb after *need* and *want*.
2 You can / can't use a noun after *need* and *want*.

6 **Complete the sentences with *to, some* or *a*.**

1 I want _____ get my sister a nice present.
2 I'm thirsty! I need _____ drink of water.
3 I need _____ finish my homework.
4 My sister wants _____ sweets.
5 Dad needs _____ new umbrella.
6 I want _____ go to my friend's house today.

UNIT 16 *NEED, WANT*

need	+ verb	+ noun
	Jo is hungry. He needs to buy some food.	He needs some food.
want	+ verb	+ noun
	The children want to have an ice cream.	The children want an ice cream.

With a verb, we always use **to** after **need** and **want**:
*We **need to** learn more.*
*Julia **wants to** go to the cinema.*

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Practice

1 **Write *need, needs, want* or *wants*.**

1 My laptop is old. I _____ a new one.
2 Do you _____ to come to the football match with me?
3 She's 18 next week and she _____ to learn to drive a car.
4 Have you got everything for school? Do you _____ anything?
5 Oh, it's very cold! I don't _____ to go out today.
6 It's Amy's birthday tomorrow and I _____ to buy a birthday card.

2 **Complete the sentences with *need, needs, want* or *wants* and the verbs in the box.**

come	go	help
play	take	~~take~~

0 They're going shopping and they *need to take* some money.
1 I'm bored with this homework! I _____ my new computer game.
2 It's very warm today. You don't _____ your jacket.
3 Ask Petra if she _____ to the party.
4 I _____ you but I'm busy.
5 They _____ to the party.

132 **7** **Listen to the conversations. Which shops do the speakers need?**



Conversation 1	**a** toy shop
Conversation 2	**b** music shop
Conversation 3	**c** supermarket
Conversation 4	**d** clothes shop
Conversation 5	**e** bookshop

8 **In pairs, choose an activity.**

- have a party for your friends
- go to the park
- go to a football match

Talk about what you need.

What do you want to do?

Let's have a party!



OK. What do we need?

We need to get some cakes and …

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