These days

Lesson 9 C

1. Put the letters in the correct order to make activity phrases.

1. erlan ot evdri _____
2. keat a cedan sslac _____
3. eecatr a stbeiew _____
4. oklo fro a bjo _____
5. tsudy tlilana _____
6. rtuto a tusdten _____
7. eakt netnsi lsoesns _____
8. ytusd rfo na xmea _____

2. Complete the text with the phrases from exercise 1



The Idea Spot

Try something new! Here are a few ideas.

1. **Learn to drive** _____ a car. You can learn at MPH Driving School.
2. _____ in Italy!
   You can take classes in Milan, Rome, or Florence.
3. Can you play sports? _____
   from Ralph Garvis at the Youth Gym.
4. _____!
   Baila has flamenco, tango, and salsa classes.
5. You can _____.
   Use your own computer. Tech Now teaches you online.
6. _____ with a friend.
   Go to the library or a café. Get an A on your test!
7. _____. Students at
   Byron Language School need help in Japanese and Chinese. Volunteer today!
8. _____ online.
   Find a job as a nurse, doctor, teacher, accountant, musician…

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3. What are they doing these days? Read the clues and complete the chart with (yes) or (no). There is only one answer for each person.

- Carla is taking a salsa class.
- Tom isn't working these days.
- Megan isn't learning a language or looking for a job.
- Daniel is taking a language class.



Who is...	Looking for a job?	Taking dance class?	Studying Turkish?	Creating a website?
Carla	No	Yes	No	No
Tom		No		
Megan		No		
Daniel		No		

4. Answer the questions. Use the information in Exercise 3.

1. What's Carla doing these days? _____
2. What's Tom doing these days? _____
3. What's Megan doing these days? _____
4. What's Daniel doing these days? _____

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5. Match the questions and answers.

1. What class is Debbie taking? ___
2. Where is Kathryn going? ___
3. Is Tonya creating a website? ___
4. Are Cindy and Mia tutoring students? ___
5. Why is Anna studying Italian? ___
6. Are you looking for a job? ____

a) Because she's looking for a job in Rome.
b) Yes, she is.
c) She's going to her dance class.
d) No, I'm not.
e) She's taking a Spanish class.
f) No, they're not.

6. Write present continuous questions with the information in parentheses.

1. (What / you / do / these days) _____?
2. (you / take / an art class) _____?
3. (Brad / take / the class) _____?
4. (Where / you / study / French) _____?
5. (What / you and Dave / do / these days) _____?

7. Complete the conversation with the correct questions from Exercise 6.

Erin: Hi, Fei. **<u>What are you doing these days</u>**?
1
Fei: Oh, I'm studying French!

Erin: _____?
2
Fei: At the Bonjour Language School.

Eri: _____?
3

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Fei: No, he's not. He's taking tennis lessons.
Erin: Tennis? That's great.
Fei: He loves it. So, _____?
4
Erin: We're painting and drawing a lot!
Fei: _____?
5
Erin: Yes, we are! Oh, I'm late. Bye, Fei.
Fei: Bye, Erin. I mean, au revoir!

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