

UNIT 1

1 Choose the correct form of the verbs: present simple or present continuous.

- 1 Jack *sits* / *is sitting* in the living room at the moment, doing his homework.
- 2 Paul *is getting up* / *gets up* at 7.00 a.m. on school mornings.
- 3 We *come* / *We're coming* from Spain, but we *live* / *we're living* in Canada for a year.
- 4 Sarah *says* / *is saying* her dad *cooks* / *is cooking* the family dinner every Sunday.
- 5 Peter *really wants* / *is really wanting* to see the latest sci-fi film at the cinema.
- 6 Holly's sister *is* / *is being* a student at university, but she *'s working* / *she works* in a supermarket this summer.
- 7 I *don't enjoy* / *I'm not enjoying* this book very much – it's quite boring.
- 8 Do you *like* / *Are you liking* chocolate ice cream?

2 Complete these sentences with the correct prepositions.

- 1 Anna and Lucy are looking forward going to the mountains because they love skiing.
- 2 Matteo doesn't want to go climbing because he's afraid falling.
- 3 My sister can help you with your homework – she's really good explaining difficult topics.
- 4 Nathan is an excellent swimmer, so he's interested learning to surf.

3 Match the definitions below of different places in a school with the words/phrases in the box.

canteen classroom gym hall IT room playground reception
science lab sports field tennis courts

- 1 This is where you can play sports indoors.
- 2 The students and staff eat their lunch here.
- 3 You can find computers and printers in this room.
- 4 If you have to carry out an experiment, you go here.
- 5 Students can play football, rugby and hockey here.
- 6 This is an outside space that students use during break time.
- 7 Most of the school day is spent here.
- 8 If there is a big event or meeting, lots of classes can sit together in this place.
- 9 This is the place in the school where people go when they first arrive.
- 10 You go here to play a game with a ball and a racket.

4 Choose the correct verbs.

- 1 In our school, we have to *wear* / *take* a uniform. It's blue and grey.
- 2 When Nancy changed school, she didn't know anyone, so she decided to *take up* / *join* an after-school club to meet some new friends.
- 3 Most of my classmates eat in the school canteen, but I prefer to *attend* / *eat* a packed lunch because I don't like the school lunches.
- 4 My mum said if I *take* / *get* good grades this year, she'll buy me a new phone, so I'm working really hard!
- 5 Louis's maths teacher was not pleased when he *handed in* / *joined* his homework late.
- 6 Julia wasn't good enough for the volleyball team, so she's hoping to *perform* / *take up* a new sport next year.
- 7 We visited the science museum last week. Are you *attending* / *going* on a school trip this term?
- 8 The students in the fourth year can't watch the sports competition because they have to *take* / *perform* exams next week.

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