

GRAMMAR

1 Complete the sentences with *as*, *like* or *-* (if no word is necessary).

- Your dress looks _____ really nice.
- It sounds _____ you had a great time on the trip.
- Petra looks _____ if she's seen a ghost.
- The plot seems _____ a bit dull and boring to me.
- Unfortunately, the cake I made tastes _____ an old shoe.
- Your coat smells _____ funny.
- Danny is just _____ his father.
- It sounded _____ if people were a bit disappointed by the performance.

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2 Choose the correct option.

- Sue and Jo *meet* / *are meeting* up later today.
- I *don't agree* / *am not agreeing* with anything you say.
- On Saturdays, I *usually go* / *am usually going* to judo classes.
- What sort of equipment *do you need* / *are you needing*?
- This weekend, we *stay* / *are staying* in a small farmhouse in the country.
- I *fly* / *am flying* to New York every month for work.
- Susan *doesn't believe* / *isn't believing* in ghosts.
- How often *do you play* / *are you playing* golf?

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3 Complete the email with the present simple or continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

Hi Dani

Hope you're well, and thanks for your email. Believe it or not, I ¹ _____ (write) to you from a service station on the M1 motorway. We ² _____ (drive) down from Scotland to visit my brother and his wife in Abingdon, a small town near Oxford in England. We ³ _____ (go) there every summer, and ⁴ _____ (usually / stay) with them for a couple of weeks. Actually, we ⁵ _____ (only / stay) for a few days this year because I ⁶ _____ (need) to get back to Scotland for work, but it'll still be fun. Fortunately, my brother ⁷ _____ (have) a really big house, so there's lots of room for everyone. Ken ⁸ _____ (wave) to me from the queue. I ⁹ _____ (not know) why he wants my attention, but I must go and see what he wants! I hope you ¹⁰ _____ (still / enjoy) your job!

Write soon.

Susie

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VOCABULARY

4 Match each word 1–7 with the word a–g which is most similar.

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|-------------|-------------|
| 1 tired | a pleased |
| 2 worried | b fed up |
| 3 angry | c down |
| 4 bad | d exhausted |
| 5 happy | e stressed |
| 6 bored | f furious |
| 7 depressed | g guilty |

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5 Choose the correct option.

- I'm fed up *by* / *with* / *about* sitting in this office all day.
- Jenny was surprised *over* / *in* / *by* all the support she got from well-wishers.
- Sally was pleased *with* / *over* / *in* her time, but not happy about finishing last.
- Don't feel guilty *of* / *with* / *about* leaving me here on my own.
- Andy gets so stressed *about* / *for* / *in* everything.
- I'm *on* / *at* / *in* a really good mood today.
- I feel bad *about* / *of* / *with* shouting at Stuart.

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6 Complete the sentences with the correct adjective form of the verbs. Use an *-ed* or *-ing* ending.

- That film was so _____ (depress). I feel like crying.
- I'm really _____ (disappoint) about missing your wedding.
- We'd probably find some of their habits really _____ (shock).
- Andy's _____ (bore) with having to sit there all day.
- The course seems _____ (confuse) at first, but you soon realise it isn't so hard.
- One of the most _____ (annoy) things is the insects which keep you awake at night.
- Some pedestrians were _____ (shock) after witnessing the accident.
- Climbing the mountain was _____ (exhaust) but it was a fantastic achievement.
- That was probably the most _____ (disappoint) meal I've ever eaten.
- I'm _____ (please) you came, it was lovely to see you again. Drive home safely.

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