

present tenses



1 Choose the correct verb forms to complete the sentences.

- 1 I **love** / 'm **loving** singing, and my dream is to become a professional singer!
- 2 Singing is great for everyone because it **helps** / 's **helping** people to relax.
- 3 I **practise** / 'm **practising** for about two hours every day.
- 4 I **learn** / 'm **learning** a great new song at the moment.
- 5 My parents **don't understand** / **aren't understanding** why I spend so much time singing.
- 6 In the past, it was difficult to get an audience, but the internet **makes** / **is making** that easier now.

2 Complete the opinions about BMX biking with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.



I **1** (want) to take up BMX biking. Any suggestions?



Yes, do it! I **2** (think) BMX riding is the best hobby ever!



Bikes are expensive, but more **3** (become) available to buy second-hand now. Look online.



If you're into BMX, watch the new film about it. Some teenagers **4** (decide) to build their own BMX track because there's nowhere for them to practise. It's a great film!



There's always a new challenge with BMX. I **5** (try) to learn a new trick at the moment. I'm determined I'll do it!



Check out the BMX track in Winters Lane. Me and my friends **6** (go) there every weekend. It's amazing!

1 Choose the correct answer, A or B.

1 My sister is chatting to her boyfriend on the phone.
It's so annoying!

A often **B** always

2 He usually the bus, but today his mum is giving him a lift into school.

A is catching **B** catches

3 Our boots dirtier and dirtier in this muddy field.

A are getting **B** get

4 I think I this grammar question now.

A am understanding **B** understand

5 The students to get high marks in the exam.

A are aiming **B** aim

6 works as a volunteer at a kids' club.

A Rachel on Saturdays **B** On Saturdays, Rachel