Practice

Complete the text. Use the present simple form of the verbs in the box.

> arrive bury catch chase ~~get up~~ go
> have to love play practise try

Jenny and her brother Nick have to get up at seven thirty. Nick sometimes *gets up* late, so he ¹_____ eat his toast quickly before Tom and Amanda ²_____. Tom ³_____ football for the school team. He ⁴_____ every Wednesday. Amanda ⁵_____ horses. She usually ⁶_____ riding on Sundays. Chip is Jenny and Nick's dog. He ⁷_____ his bones in the garden and he ⁸_____ Fluff, the neighbours' cat, but he never ⁹_____ her. Trig is the children's alien friend. He ¹⁰_____ hard to learn English.

5 Write sentences. Use the correct form of the verbs and write any missing words. (Unit 3)

▶ Jenny / clean / teeth / twice / day / her

Jenny cleans her teeth twice a day.

1 Jenny and Nick / walk / school / five times / week / to _____

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2 Jenny / go / dentists / twice / year / to

_____

3 Tom / play / football / three times / week

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4 Nick / go / cinema / once / month / to

_____

5 Trig / eat / six times / day

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Fill in the gaps. Use the present simple.

Splodge ▶ *likes*............... (like) books and comics. He (1) .... (read) Mo and Snapper comics every day. On Mondays, he (2) .... (go) to the shop and he (3) .... (buy) a new Mo and Snapper comic. Sometimes he (4) .... (give) the comics to Tumble. Tumble likes comics, too.

6 Complete the email. Use the present simple or the present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

Hello Nick

We're in Scotland! We **don't** usually **come** (not come) to Scotland on holiday, but we're **having** (have) a really good time here. The sun _____ [1] (shine) now, so Mum and Dad _____ [2] (have) an ice cream in a café and my sister _____ [3] (write) postcards. I _____ [4] (sit) in an internet café just round the corner.

It often _____ [5] (rain) in Scotland, but it _____ [6] (not rain) today, so we _____ [7] (not look) round museums. When we are on holiday we always _____ [8] (go) to a different place every day. We _____ [9] (visit) old castles, famous buildings or historic places. Dad _____ [10] (take) photos of everything. We _____ [11] (not sightsee) today, though. We _____ [12] (relax).Tomorrow we _____ [13] (go) to Loch Ness. I _____ [14] (send) you some photographs with this email. I hope you _____ [15] (like) them.

Oliver