

Complete the text with the present simple form of the verbs in brackets.

Al is a hot dog seller in New York. Every day he  
1 gets up (get up) at 5p.m. and 2 \_\_\_\_\_ (make)  
dinner for his two boys – they get home from  
school at about 4.30. He 3 \_\_\_\_\_ (take) the bus  
into the city and 4 \_\_\_\_\_ (start) work at 7p.m.  
At about 1a.m. he 5 \_\_\_\_\_ (have) two or three  
hot dogs for lunch. He 6 \_\_\_\_\_ (work) all night.  
At work, he 7 \_\_\_\_\_ (see) a lot of interesting  
things and 8 \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) a lot of interesting  
people. He 9 \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) work at 3 or 4a.m.  
On the bus he 10 \_\_\_\_\_ (read) the morning  
newspaper. He 11 \_\_\_\_\_ (get) home at about  
6a.m. He 12 \_\_\_\_\_  
(have) breakfast  
with his family and  
13 \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to bed  
at about 8.30a.m. – and  
that's the end of his  
day ... or night.



Correct the sentences about Al:

1. Al gets up early in the morning.  
He doesn't get up early in the morning. He gets up in the afternoon.

2. Al goes to work by taxi.  
\_\_\_\_\_ to work by bus.
3. Al has a salad for lunch.  
\_\_\_\_\_ two or three hot dogs.
4. Al read a magazine on the bus.  
\_\_\_\_\_ the morning newspaper.
5. He gets home late at night.  
\_\_\_\_\_ home early in the morning.
6. Al has lunch with his family.  
\_\_\_\_\_ breakfast with them.