**UNIT 1 – EXE 2**

## D Reading

### 1 Fill in each blank with a suitable word from the box.

like  having  your  sending  usually  photo

*Dear Jane,*

I'm so happy to read your email. I like (1) _____ a pen pal in Australia because I love your country!

Thank you for sending me a (2) _____ of your family. Can you tell me more about your family members? What do you (3) _____ doing together? I like watching films with my family. We (4) _____ watch many different kinds of films. Once, we watched a film about Australia, and I found it very interesting.

I'm (5) _____ you a photo of my family.

I can't wait to read (6) _____ next email!

*Best wishes,*

*Mi*

### 2 Choose the correct answer A, B, or C to fill in each blank in the following passage.

Mark has a lot of hobbies and interests. He usually (1) _____ up early, so he can jog before school. After school, Mark often (2) _____ a horse at the riding club near his home. Sometimes he goes riding on Sunday afternoons. He also (3) _____ music. He goes to choir practice on Wednesday and Saturday evenings. (4) _____ Saturday mornings, he usually waters the plants and trees in the garden with his mum. He seldom watches TV because he likes doing things (5) _____. He has a lot of friends and he (6) _____ football with them twice a week. He's a happy boy!

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|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | **A.** gets | **B.** stays | **C.** does |
| 2. | **A.** cycles | **B.** drives | **C.** rides |
| 3. | **A.** makes | **B.** loves | **C.** does |
| 4. | **A.** On | **B.** In | **C.** At |
| 5. | **A.** inside | **B.** behind | **C.** outside |
| 6. | **A.** is playing | **B.** plays | **C.** play |

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## 3 Read the passage and do the exercises.

Do you have any hobbies? If you don't, please start one because having a hobby is very beneficial. Firstly, a hobby gives you something fun to do during your leisure time, especially during pandemics. During the Covid-19 lockdown, my family reads books and watches films together. This makes us feel better when we have to stay at home. Secondly, a hobby makes you a more interesting person. If you have a lot of experience and skills, you can share them with others. I love travelling, and I usually share my experiences with my classmates. This way, I have more friends. Now we have a travel group in our class. Last but not least, a hobby can help you develop new skills. If you spend a lot of time on your hobby, your skills will improve. My sister loves sewing. After sewing for two years, she can now sew beautiful doll clothes. Those are the reasons why you should have hobbies.

**a. Match each word in A with its meaning in B.**

| A | B |
|---|---|
| 1. beneficial | a. an emergency situation when people have to stay at home |
| 2. pandemics | b. helpful or useful |
| 3. lockdown | c. become better |
| 4. experiences | d. diseases throughout the whole country or the whole world |
| 5. improve | e. things that happen to you and affect your life |

**b. Write T (True), F (False), or NI (No Information) at the end of each sentence.**

1. During the lockdown, the author's family reads books and watches the news together. _____
2. Travelling helps the author have more friends. _____
3. There is a dancing club in the author's school. _____
4. Hobbies can help a person develop new skills. _____
5. The author's sister sews clothes for her family members. _____

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## E Writing

**1** **Make sentences, using the words and phrases below to help you. You can change the words / phrases or add necessary words.**

1. I / like / garden / because / I / love / plants / flowers.

2. My sister / not like / horse riding / because / she / afraid of / horses.

3. Make / models / develop / your / creativity.

4. Collect / stamps / help / you / be / more / patient.

5. Jog / make / you / strong / and / reduce / stress.

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