

I love playing video games

1. Look and Read

Gerunds; short responses

Affirmative statements with gerunds	Agree	Disagree	Other verbs or phrases followed by gerunds
I love playing video games.	So do I.	I don't.	like
I hate working on weekends.	So do I.	Really? I like it.	enjoy
I'm good at solving problems.	So am I.	Oh, I'm not.	be interested in
Negative statements with gerunds			
I don't mind working evenings.	Neither do I.	I do.	
I'm not good at selling.	Neither am I.	Well, I am.	
I can't stand commuting.	Neither can I.	Oh, I don't mind it.	

2. Complete these sentences about yourself - Use gerunds.

On the job or at school

In my free time

4. I'm interested in _____
5. I'm not interested in _____

At parties or in social situations

6. I'm good at _____

7. I'm not very good at _____

3. Complete the sentences with the words and phrases in the box. Use gerunds

commute

learn languages

start her own business

use a laptop

work under pressure

work with a team

1. Elena enjoys being a journalist. She has to write a news story by 4:00 P.M. every day, but she doesn't mind working under pressure.
2. Takiko is a novelist. He writes all his books by hand because he hates _____.
3. Sarah usually works alone all day, but she enjoys _____, too.
4. Jennifer works for a large company, but she's interested in _____.
5. Pablo has to use Portuguese and Japanese at work, but he's not very good at _____.
6. Annie has to drive to work every day, but she doesn't like _____.



4. Choose the correct responses.

1. A: I enjoy working in sales.
B: _____

- Well, I can.
- Neither do I.
- So do I.

2. A: I like working the night shift.
B: _____

- Well, I don't.
- Neither do I.
- Neither am I.

3. A: I can't stand getting to work late.
B: _____

- I can't.
- Neither can I.
- Well, I do.

4. A: I'm interested in using my language skills.
B: _____

- So am I.
- Oh, I don't.
- Oh, I don't mind.