

1B I'm really into Facebook

1 VOCABULARY Adverbs

a Put the words in brackets in the correct place in each sentence.

- 1 They see their grandchildren now that they live in Australia. (hardly ever)
They hardly ever see their grandchildren now that they live in Australia.
- 2 I enjoy watching old Hollywood movies. (particularly)

- 3 She hates it when people are late for meetings. (absolutely)

- 4 We go to Italian restaurants, but sometimes we also go to Turkish ones. (generally)

- 5 We're sure his flight arrives at Terminal 2, but I need to check it. (pretty)

- 6 I hope she brings her gorgeous brother to the party! (really)

b Underline the correct adverbs to complete the sentences.

- 1 I love rock music, but I absolutely / especially / fairly like The Rolling Stones. They're my favourite band.
- 2 He hardly ever / never / especially phones his mother – maybe once or twice a month.
- 3 I rarely / pretty / normally enjoy horror films, but this one was awful!
- 4 She's fairly / absolutely / rarely good-looking, but I don't think she's beautiful.
- 5 I never / really / hardly ever hate maths. I just don't understand it!
- 6 She generally / particularly / rarely takes her family out for dinner – only when it's her birthday.
- 7 They love all sports, but they're fairly / mainly / pretty interested in football. They watch all the matches on TV.
- 8 It's pretty / normally / rarely cold today, so why don't you take your gloves?

2 PRONUNCIATION

Long and short vowels

a  Listen to the words. Do the letters in **bold** make long or short vowel sounds? Tick (✓) the words with long vowel sounds.

1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> birthday	6 <input type="checkbox"/> silly
2 <input type="checkbox"/> bank	7 <input type="checkbox"/> music
3 <input type="checkbox"/> cinema	8 <input type="checkbox"/> sport
4 <input type="checkbox"/> food	9 <input type="checkbox"/> friendly
5 <input type="checkbox"/> party	10 <input type="checkbox"/> blog

3 GRAMMAR Present simple and present continuous

a Underline the correct verb forms to complete the sentences.

- 1 She is loving / loves / love reading fashion magazines at the hairdresser's.
- 2 We usually are going / goes / go to the café opposite the hotel.
- 3 I 'm reading / read / reading a great book in English at the moment.
- 4 He 's wanting / does want / wants to phone his family in Tokyo. Can he use this phone?
- 5 Why are you waiting / do you wait / you waiting for the bus? Let's walk home.
- 6 I hardly ever am visiting / visit / visits my cousins in Ireland.
- 7 She studies / studying / 's studying French politics at university this term.
- 8 Yes, they're here. They play / 're playing / playing a computer game in the living room.

b Complete the conversation with the present simple or present continuous forms of the verbs in brackets. Use contractions where possible.

ALICE What ¹'s Sarah doing (Sarah, do) in that shop?

NAOMI She ²_____ (buy) some postcards to send to her family.

ALICE Really? I ³_____ generally ⁴_____ (not send) postcards. I usually ⁵_____ (write) a message on my Facebook wall. And sometimes I ⁶_____ (put) a few photos of my holiday on my wall.

NAOMI Yes, me too, but Sarah's grandparents ⁷_____ (not have) a computer, so she ⁸_____ (send) them postcards instead.

ALICE Oh, and what ⁹_____ (Tom and Jack, do) this morning?

NAOMI They ¹⁰_____ (spend) the day at the beach.

ALICE But Tom ¹¹_____ (not like) swimming in the sea. He says the water's too cold.

NAOMI Yes, but it ¹²_____ (be) really hot today!

c  Listen and check.

