

# Unit 1

## MY HOBBIES



### A. LISTENING



1 Tyrone is interested in swimming. Now listen to him calling the staff at his local swimming pool.

Then fill in the registration form with Tyrone's information.

#### BROWNTON SWIMMING POOL

#### REGISTRATION FORM

First name:	Tyrone
Surname:	(1).....
Age:	(2) .....
Interested in (sport):	(3) .....

#### 2. Listen again. Decide whether the statements below are true (T) or false (F)

1. There are four different age groups that play water polo. ....
2. Tyrone wants to join the under 14s club. ....
3. The under 16s train on Monday and Thursday evenings. ....
4. Water polo matches are played on Saturdays. ....
5. You have to pay to join the water polo classes for under 18s ....
6. You need to bring a photo to register at the swimming pool ....
7. The training for the water polo team starts this week. ....

### B. PHONETICS

1 Find the word which has a different sound in the underlined part.

1. A. <u>turn</u>	B. <u>put</u>	C. <u>burn</u>	D. <u>fur</u>
2. A. <u>silence</u>	B. <u>absent</u>	C. <u>content</u>	D. <u>legend</u>
3. A. <u>further</u>	B. <u>answer</u>	C. <u>future</u>	D. <u>teacher</u>
4. A. <u>learner</u>	B. <u>prefer</u>	C. <u>sister</u>	D. <u>return</u>
5. A. <u>concern</u>	B. <u>control</u>	C. <u>correct</u>	D. <u>hot</u>



## C. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

### III Put the nouns from the box into the correct column.

friend	housework	the bus	a cake
homework	a mess	the gardening	video games
chess	photos	the shopping	noise

take	Do	make	play
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....

### IV Put the following verbs into the correct tenses.

1. My brother likes (jump) ..... on the trampoline.
2. Dax and Woof (watch) ..... cartoon on TV every day.
3. I (be) ..... free tomorrow.
4. My sister hates (get up) ..... early on Sunday.
5. Mrs. White enjoys (collect) ..... stamps of Uncle Ho.
6. Her hobbies (be) ..... cycling and doing shopping.
7. He sometimes (meet) ..... his friends for coffee.
8. She (leave) ..... her house for Ho Chi Minh city next Friday.
9. They like (read) ..... magazines and (dance) .....
10. What time ..... she (play) ..... volleyball in the evening?
11. She doesn't like (live) ..... in the city. She (move) ..... to the countryside next year.
12. Mr. John (hate) ..... doing morning exercise.

### V Match the picture with a suitable sentence.



A



B



C



D



E



F

1. The girls are arranging flowers now. ....
2. We are reading newspapers at the moment. ....
3. She will have a big collection of stamps. ....
4. I like jogging because it helps me keep fit. ....
5. The man enjoys riding a horse along the field. ....
6. Skating is her favourite sport. ....

**VI** Find and correct the mistakes in the following sentences.

1. My father hates drive motorbike to work in the morning. ....  
A      B      C      D
2. I go to the beach with Staney and Peter next week. ....  
A      B      C      D
3. My younger sister like building beautiful sandcastles on the beach. ....  
A      B      C      D
4. Mary enjoys cook spaghetti and singing English songs. ....  
A      B      C      D
5. He always hanging out with his friends on Sunday. ....  
A      B      C      D

**VII** Choose the best answer A, B, C or D.

1. Jim thinks arranging flowers is more boring than ..... stamps.  
A. buying      B. collecting      C. swimming      D. writing
2. What does your mother often do ..... her free time?  
A. for      B. at      C. in      D. on
3. She hates doing the gardening because she thinks it is .....  
A. tired      B. tiredness      C. tiring      D. tiredly
4. Mum, I lost my shoes yesterday. – Don't worry. I ..... you the new ones tomorrow.  
A. will buy      B. buy      C. buys      D. buying
5. I see a ..... doing the gardening over there.  
A. collector      B. reporter      C. gardener      D. teacher
6. She puts all the stamps in an .....  
A. apple      B. umbrella      C. egg      D. album
7. Anna's apartment is ..... the fifth floor.  
A. on      B. at      C. of      D. by
8. Playing sports always gives you ..... and makes you .....  
A. pleasant/ healthy      B. pleasure/ health  
C. pleasure/ healthy      D. pleased/ healthy

9. I'm sure you ..... a chance to climb mountains next weekend.  
A. have      B. will have      C. having      D. had

10. "Have you made plans for the summer?" – "Yes, we ..... to Spain."  
A. go      B. going      C. went      D. will go

11. Jogging is a/an ..... hobby.  
A. expensive      B. cheap      C. difficult      D. unusual

12. "John is a better player than Martin, isn't he?" – "Oh yes. He ..... the match tomorrow, I expect."  
A. is winning      B. win      C. wins      D. will win



## D. READING

### VIII Read the passage and choose one suitable verb to put into the blank.

play

cooking

cycling

reading

listening

Hello, my name's Sarah. I have several hobbies such as (1) ..... , surfing, (2) ..... to music and so on. However, I like (3) ..... books the most. Reading makes me feel comfortable after school. It also helps me to improve my knowledge. Sometimes, I (4) ..... sports with my mother and sister in the front yard. In the morning, I usually get up early to go (5) ..... It helps me to improve my health and enjoy fresh air in the morning.



### IX Read the passage and do the tasks below.

Collecting things is an interesting hobby. People collect a lot of things such as stamps, milk bottle labels, comic books as well as car toys. Someone who has much money can collect sport cars.

Amy is a skillful and interesting woman. She is twenty years old. She is working as a hairdresser. Amy has a strange hobby that is collecting candy shells. Her friends and relatives always give her shells after eating candy. She has a big collection of candy shell now. She thinks she will make a special dress. If she has more shells, she will make other things such as wallets or shoes. This makes her happy.

Collecting things is a waste of time and money. However, people still consider it as a good hobby.

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#### B. Write T (True) or F (False).

1. Collecting things is a boring hobby. ....
2. Collecting sport cars is not an expensive hobby. ....
3. Amy is a man. ....
4. Amy likes collecting sport cars. ....
5. She is thinking of making a dress with candy shells. ....



## E. WRITING

**X** Rewrite the following sentences based on the given words.

1. Linh likes collecting stamps of different countries in the world.  
→ Linh.....(enjoy)
2. Ha likes going on a picnic with her best friends at weekends.  
→ Ha is.....(interested)
3. What I always want to do every morning is to play badminton.  
→ I am .....(keen)
4. My brother and I are really interested in watching horror films.  
→ My brother and I .....(fond)
5. My cousin is a big fan of Manchester United football team.  
→ My cousin is.....(crazy)

