

Grammar

Frequency adverbs

1 Put the words in order to make sentences.

- a / I / good / day / every / breakfast / eat
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- take / days / dog / I / the / park / to / my / most
.....
- in / eat / They / restaurant / a / occasionally
.....
- year / go / once / I / skiing / a
.....
- questions / She / ask / often / class / doesn't / in
.....
- mornings / They / home / never / the / are / at / in
.....
- takes / hardly / on / He / holiday / photos / ever
.....
- every / Some / read / the / people / newspaper / day / almost
.....

a few, a bit of, many, much, a lot of and lots of

2 Choose the correct option.

- I'd like butter on my toast, please.
A much B a bit of C a few
- There aren't cushions in the living room.
A few B much C many
- Has your mother got friends from her childhood?
A much B lots C many
- Only people bought his record. It wasn't very popular.
A a bit of B many C a few
- I had to pay money for my new laptop.
A a few B a lot of C much
- My sister sings when she's in the shower.
A a lot B lots of C much
- I've got time if you want some help now.
A lots of B much C a few
- The children didn't have sugar on their cereal.
A much B many C a few

Present simple and present continuous

3 Choose the correct option in *italics*.

- We can't go out because it *snows* / *is snowing* today.
- All the players *know* / *are knowing* that the match is tomorrow.
- The supermarket *opens* / *is opening* at 10 o'clock on Sundays.
- My sister *hates* / *is hating* TV programmes about history.
- Oliver often *misses* / *is missing* the bus on Monday mornings.
- Most police officers *wear* / *are wearing* a uniform for work.
- My little brother *grows* / *is growing* very quickly this year.
- My mum *learns* / *is learning* Japanese at the moment.
- The weather *gets* / *is getting* better this month.
- Some people *watch* / *are watching* too much TV.

4 Complete the letter with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Hi Roberto,

I'm very happy we are penfriends. Here is some information about me. I

(1) (live) in Sofia, the capital of Bulgaria, with my parents and my brother. I (2) (have) a dog and I often (3) (go) for walks with him to one of the beautiful parks near my house. Today it (4) (rain) so I can't go out and my dog (5) (sit) watching TV with me. He (6) (love) cartoons but he (7) (not enjoy) films!

I (8) (go) to school far from my house, so every day I (9) (catch) the bus at 8 o'clock. This year I (10) (need) to pass some important exams so I (11) (study) hard at the moment, but I occasionally (12) (see) my friends at the weekend. We really (13) (like) playing video games together and we usually (14) (meet) at my house. What (15) (you / do) at weekends?

Write soon!

Best wishes,

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