

6 LANGUAGE FOCUS • Imperatives • Present continuous: affirmative and negative

Imperatives

- 1 ★★ Complete the sentences using the affirmative or negative imperatives of the verbs.

go not play not read not stay
not swim take wear

- Don't read that old book. It's boring.
1 beautiful a photo of that beach. It's
2 football in the garden, please.
3 cycling in Amsterdam. It's fun!
4 there. The water isn't clean!
5 in that hotel. It's expensive!
6 your sunglasses today. It's sunny.

Present continuous: affirmative and negative

- 2 ★ Complete the sentences using the present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

- I'm not packing (not pack) my bag today.
1 They (celebrate) a festival.
2 Nina (not dance) now.
3 You (stay) with friends.
4 We (not watch) a video.
5 I (write) a holiday blog.
6 Dan (play) basketball.

- 3 ★★ What are the people doing? Complete the sentences using the present continuous form of the verbs in the box.

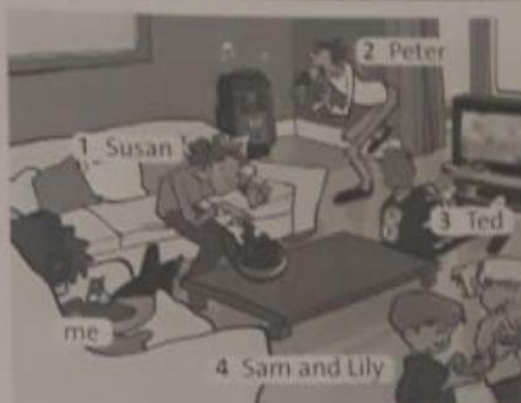
not buy not chat not explore not wear
ride swim walk

My dad's in a shop, but he isn't buying souvenirs.

- 1 Adam and John are at the beach. They
next to the water.
2 Katy the old part of
town today. She's in the new part.
3 My parents and I are in Egypt. We
camels near the pyramids!
It's fun!
4 I with my friend on
the computer. We're talking on the phone.
5 It's not bright outside, so the boys
their sunglasses.
6 My friend Paul in the
pool right now. He's very fast!

- 4 ★★ Study the picture and correct the sentences using the phrases in the box.

eat some food listen to music
play a computer game sing karaoke
watch football



I'm reading a book.
I'm not reading a book. I'm listening to music.
1 Susan is talking to me.

2 Peter is playing the guitar.

3 Ted is doing his homework.

4 Sam and Lily are dancing.

- 5 ★★★ Imagine you are on holiday in a country. Write sentences about your activities using the present continuous affirmative or negative form of the verbs in the box or your own ideas.

buy souvenirs camp at the beach
eat a lot have fun meet people
stay in a hotel take photos
travel with friends visit museums

I'm not travelling with friends. I'm travelling with my family.