

1.1 What's happening in the pictures? Choose from these verbs:

cross hide scratch take tie wave



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| 1 | She's <u>taking</u> a picture. | 4 | his head. |
| 2 | He a shoelace. | 5 | behind a tree. |
| 3 | the road. | 6 | to somebody. |

1.2 The sentences on the right follow those on the left. Which sentence goes with which?

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| 1 Please don't make so much noise. | a I'm getting hungry. | 1 | f |
| 2 We need to leave soon. | b They're lying. | 2 | |
| 3 I don't have anywhere to live right now. | c It's starting to rain. | 3 | |
| 4 I need to eat something soon. | d They're trying to sell it. | 4 | |
| 5 They don't need their car any more. | e It's getting late. | 5 | |
| 6 Things are not so good at work. | f I'm trying to work. | 6 | |
| 7 It isn't true what they say. | g I'm staying with friends. | 7 | |
| 8 We're going to get wet. | h The company is losing money. | 8 | |

1.3 Write questions. Use the present continuous.

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| 1 What's all that noise? <u>What's happening?</u> | (what / happen?) |
| 2 What's the matter? | (why / you / cry?) |
| 3 Where's your mother? | (she / work / today?) |
| 4 I haven't seen you for ages. | (what / you / do / these days?) |
| 5 Amy is a student. | (what / she / study?) |
| 6 Who are those people? | (what / they / do?) |
| 7 I heard you started a new job. | (you / enjoy / it?) |
| 8 We're not in a hurry. | (why / you / walk / so fast?) |

1.4 Put the verb into the correct form, positive (I'm doing etc.) or negative (I'm not doing etc.).

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| 1 Please don't make so much noise. <u>I'm trying</u> (I / try) to work. |
| 2 Let's go out now. <u>It isn't raining</u> (it / rain) any more. |
| 3 You can turn off the radio. (I / listen) to it. |
| 4 Kate phoned last night. She's on holiday with friends. (She / have) a great time and doesn't want to come back. |
| 5 Andrew started evening classes recently. (He / learn) Japanese. |
| 6 Paul and Sarah have had an argument and now (they / speak) to one another. |
| 7 The situation is already very bad and now (it / get) worse. |
| 8 Tim (work) today. He's taken the day off. |
| 9 (I / look) for Sophie. Do you know where she is? |
| 10 The washing machine has been repaired. (It / work) now. |
| 11 (They / build) a new house. It will be finished in a year. |
| 12 Ben is a student, but he's not very happy. (He / study) hard. |
| 13 (The weather / change). Look at those clouds. |