

Fasting

Activity A

Listening for true or false statements

Mrs Barker and Mrs Mahmood meet outside their houses. It is Ramadan so Mrs Mahmood is fasting.

- ❖ First listen to this audio.
- ❖ Next decide if these 4 statements below are true (T) or false (F)
- ❖ Then listen again and type your answer T or F.

- a Fasting means not eating. ____
- b Only poor people fast. ____
- c All Mrs Mahmood's family are fasting. ____
- d At Ramadan people fast between sunrise and sunset. ____

Activity B

Language: adverbs of frequency

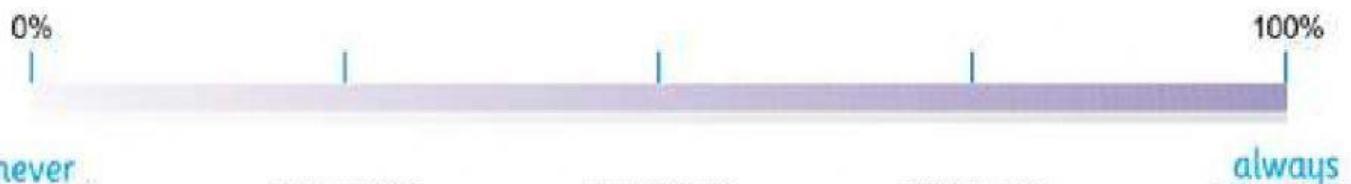
Mrs Mahmood uses words that tell us the frequency or *how often* she or her family do something. Look at these words. They are called **adverbs of frequency**.

usually

sometimes

often

- ❖ Next drag the 3 adverbs of frequency above to the correct place on the line below. Two examples are shown: **never** and **always**.



❖ Now look at this sentence. We never eat between sunrise and sunset.

Which word is the adverb of frequency? _____

The adverb of frequency goes before the verb in the sentence, true T or false F ? _____

❖ Next type these sentences in full in the space and put the adverb of frequency before the verb.

- a Ahmed fasts. (usually)
- b He's a good Muslim, he fasts. (always)
- c He goes to the mosque too. (often)
- d Kudzia fasts. (sometimes)

❖ Finally listen to this audio again and check your answers.