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**Exercise 1: Choose the word which has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others.**

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| 1. A. work <u>u</u>       | B. apart <u>u</u> ment | C. we <u>r</u> e    | D. ci <u>r</u> cuit           |
| 2. A. sof <u>a</u>        | B. sil <u>e</u> nt     | C. wor <u>s</u> hip | D. c <u>o</u> ntrol           |
| 3. A. cha <u>n</u> geable | B. bu <u>r</u> n       | C. he <u>r</u> d    | D. bi <u>r</u> thday          |
| 4. A. sepa <u>r</u> ate   | B. diff <u>e</u> rent  | C. <u>u</u> pon     | D. bu <u>r</u> glar           |
| 5. A. bana <u>n</u> a     | B. ca <u>p</u> acity   | C. <u>j</u> ourney  | D. ha <u>n</u> d <u>s</u> ome |

**Exercise 2: Complete the phrase with a gerund.**

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| walking  | hanging   | listening | collecting | playing |
| watching | arranging | playing   | going      | going   |

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| 1. .... flowers           | 6. .... the dog      |
| 2. .... dolls             | 7. .... the music    |
| 3. .... mountain climbing | 8. .... shopping     |
| 4. .... the piano         | 9. .... television   |
| 5. .... out with friends  | 10. .... board games |

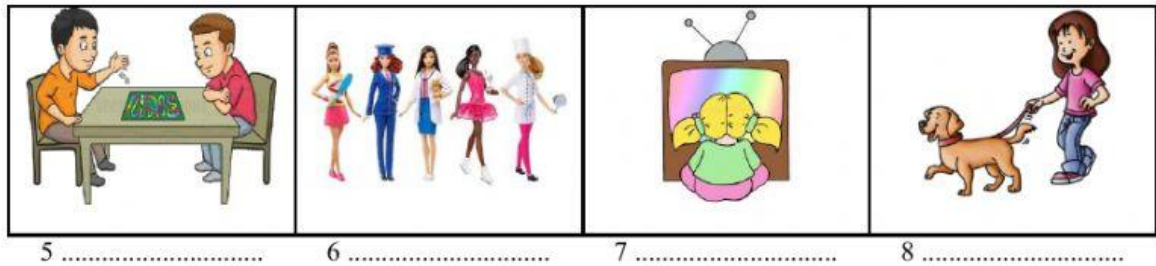
**Exercise 3: Put the phrases in 3.a under the correct pictures.**

Listen to music      arranging flowers      go shopping      watching TV

Chat with friends      play chess      make model      walking dog



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| 1 ..... | 2 ..... | 3 ..... | 4 ..... |
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**Exercise 4: Read and answer the questions.**

**MIKE'S HOBBIES AND INTERESTS**

Mike likes to spend most of his free time at home. He is tired after work, and usually relaxes in front of the TV for an hour. Sometimes, instead of watching TV, he reads news on the Internet, and about once a week, he sends an email to his family in Vietnam.

Mike is also very musical. He enjoys playing the piano and the drums, but his favorite musical instrument to play is the guitar. He plays the guitar in a band. They usually practice at weekends, at his friend Paul's house. In the past, they practiced in Paul's house but his neighbor said that they were so noisy. Now they are practicing it in the garden.

1. Where does Mike like to spend his free time?  
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2. Does Mike like watching TV?  
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3. How often does he send an email to his family?  
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4. Where does Mike's family live?  
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5. What instrument does Mike play?  
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6. When does Mike practice playing the guitar?  
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7. Why are they not practicing in Paul's house?  
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