

VII. Write sentences beginning *I wish...*

1. I don't know many people in the town.

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2. It would be nice to be able to fly a plane.

3. It's a shame that I can't stop smoking.

4. Ann isn't here and I need to see her.

5. I don't like being so short.

6. Unfortunately, I have to work tomorrow.

7. I'm not lying on a beach in Hawaii.

8. I'm sorry I can't go to the party.

9. I'd like to get access to the Internet, but I don't have a computer.

10. It's a pity the weather isn't better today.

VIII. Complete these sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

1. Jane wishes she _____ (know) how to dance.

2. I wish my parents _____ (not/ work) on Saturdays.

3. Have you ever wish you _____ (can fly) as a bird?

4. We all wish we _____ (have) more money, don't we?

5. I wish I _____ (live) in a big city. It's so boring in the country.

6. The boys wish they _____ (be) tall enough to play basketball.

7. I wish the teacher _____ (not/ be) going to give an exam tomorrow.

8. Mai knows a little English, so she wishes she _____ (can speak) it fluently.

9. I wish the sun _____ (shine) right now so that we could go swimming.

10. I wish I _____ (wear) a coat now. It's so cold today.