"LIKES & DISLIKES +ING"

Like/Love/Hate/Not **Mind**/Can´t stand + **ing**. The verbs **love**, **like**, enjoy, **dislike**, not **mind**, can´t stand and **hate** are verbs which express likes and dislikes. They are usually followed by a gerund (verb + **-ing**) when the meaning is general.



LOVE  **- LIKE - ENJOY** 



DISLIKE(DON'T/DOESN'T/DIDN'T/...LIKE  **- HATE - CAN´T STAND(No Soportar)** 

 **NOT MIND - DON´T MIND (I/you/we/they) or DOESN´T MIND** (he/she) ***Significado:*** me da lo mismo o no me importa.

*I like **getting up** early in the summer.*

*My brother Sean loves **skydiving.***

*We enjoy **spending** our Christmas holidays in the Southern Alps.*

*They hate **watching** horror films.*

I don't mind watching horror films

She can´t stand **listening** to classical music.

She doesn´t mind **helping** with the house chores.



Question	***Answer*** **+**	***Answer*** **-**
*Do you **enjoy** learning English?*	*Yes, I love it.*	*No, I hate it.*
*Does he **like** living in Germany?*	*Yes, he loves it.*	*No, he hates it.*
*Did you **love** the Beatles in the 60s?*	*Yes, I loved them.*	*No, I hated them.*
*Do you **hate** football?*	*Yes, I hate it.*	*No, I love it.*

1. Complete the conversation with the correct form of the words in brackets.

SARA Hi you two! What are you doing?
STEVE We're playing basketball. Do you want to play?
SARA No thanks. I (1) _____ (not like / play) basketball.
CARL Wow! I (2) _____ (love / play) basketball, it's great!
STEVE What do you (3) _____ (like / do)?
SARA Well, I (4) _____ (like / ride).
CARL Yeah! That can be fun.
SARA And I (5) _____ (like / dance).
STEVE Dancing! Oh, I (6) _____ (hate / dance). I can't dance.
SARA That's not true. Everyone can dance.
STEVE Not me!
SARA So I know you (7) _____ (like / play) basketball, but what else do you (8) _____ (like / do)?
STEVE I (9) _____ (like / play) chess.
CARL Chess! That's boring.

2 Write sentences using the prompts.

e.g. He / love / fish
He loves fishing.

1 Steve / love / play / volleyball
_____
2 Sara / hate / ride
_____
3 She / don't mind / swim
_____
4 Carl / don't like / play / chess
_____
5 you / enjoy / dance / ?
_____
6 They / can't stand / sail
_____
7 Barbara / like / cook / ?
_____