

present tenses

1 Choose the correct verb forms to complete the sentences.

- 1 I **love** / **'m loving** singing, and my dream is to become a professional singer!
- 2 Singing is great for everyone because it **helps** / **'s helping** people to relax.
- 3 I **practise** / **'m practising** for about two hours every day.
- 4 I **learn** / **'m learning** a great new song at the moment.
- 5 My parents **don't understand** / **aren't understanding** why I spend so much time singing.
- 6 In the past, it was difficult to get an audience, but the internet **makes** / **is making** that easier now.

2 Complete the opinions about BMX biking with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.



I ¹..... (want) to take up BMX biking. Any suggestions?



Yes, do it! I ²..... (think) BMX riding is the best hobby ever!



Bikes are expensive, but more ³..... (become) available to buy second-hand now. Look online.



If you're into BMX, watch the new film about it. Some teenagers ⁴..... (decide) to build their own BMX track because there's nowhere for them to practise. It's a great film!



There's always a new challenge with BMX. I ⁵..... (try) to learn a new trick at the moment. I'm determined I'll do it!



Check out the BMX track in Winters Lane. Me and my friends ⁶..... (go) there every weekend. It's amazing!

1 Choose the correct answer, A or B.

- 1 My sister is chatting to her boyfriend on the phone.
It's so annoying!
A often **B** always
- 2 He usually the bus, but today his mum is giving him
a lift into school.
A is catching **B** catches
- 3 Our boots dirtier and dirtier in this muddy field.
A are getting **B** get
- 4 I think I this grammar question now.
A am understanding **B** understand
- 5 The students to get high marks in the exam.
A are aiming **B** aim
- 6 works as a volunteer at a kids' club.
A Rachel on Saturdays **B** On Saturdays, Rachel