

b Write the adverb of frequency in the correct place in the sentence.

1 Pilots sleep in hotels. (often)

Pilots often sleep in hotels.

2 The children walk to school. (every day)

The children walk to school every day.

3 Mike rides his motorbike to work. (sometimes)

_____.

4 My girlfriend is late. (never)

_____.

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5 I see my grandparents. (every weekend)

_____.

6 Ellie drinks coffee. (three times a day)

_____.

7 I'm hungry. (always)

_____.

8 We study English. (twice a week)

_____.

2 **VOCABULARY** adverbs and expressions of frequency

a Answer the questions.

THE TIME QUIZ

- 1 How many minutes in an hour?
- 2 How many months in a year?
- 3 How many days in a week?
- 4 How many seconds in a minute?
- 5 How many weeks in a month?
- 6 How many hours in a day?
- 7 How many days in June?
- 8 How many weeks in a year?

b Complete the sentences with one or two words.

- 1 Leo goes to the gym all week and at weekends.
Leo goes to the gym every day.
- 2 Jon usually has a holiday in the summer and winter.
Jon usually has a holiday _____ a year.
- 3 We usually see one new film a month.
We go to the cinema _____ a month.
- 4 Adele doesn't do any homework at all.
Adele _____ does homework.
- 5 They have English classes on Mondays, Wednesdays,
and Fridays.
They have English classes _____ a week.
- 6 My mother goes to the hairdresser once a week, on a Friday.
My mother goes to the hairdresser _____ Friday.
- 7 Eve walks to work once a year.
Eve _____ ever walks to work.
- 8 I always buy a new pair of sunglasses in the summer.
I buy a new pair of sunglasses _____ summer.

4 READING

- a Read the interview.
What is surprising
about Esther Armstrong?



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Interviewer How do you spend your day, Esther?

Esther My day is very normal, really. I get up, I get dressed, I have breakfast. Then I go to work.

Interviewer What do you do?

Esther I'm an accountant.

Interviewer Why do you still work, Esther?

Esther To have an interest. Also, my job is quite exciting.

Interviewer What time do you start work?

Esther I start between 9 and 10 every day and I finish at 4 o'clock. It isn't very stressful, really.

Interviewer What do you usually do after work, Esther?

Esther I go out for dinner with friends two or three times a week, and we go to the cinema or the theatre, or to the ballet.

Interviewer Do you live alone?

Esther Yes, I do. I have quite a big apartment and someone helps me with the housework for four hours a week. I do everything else myself.

Interviewer Do you have children, Esther?

Esther Yes, I do. Both of my daughters live here in New York. One daughter works very near, and she comes and has lunch with me. And I work with the other daughter, so we eat together two or three times a week, too. I'm very, very happy with my life.

b Read the interview again. Write T (true) or F (false).

- 1 Esther thinks her day is normal. F
- 2 She doesn't like her job. —
- 3 She sometimes starts work at 10 o'clock. —
- 4 She thinks her job is difficult. —
- 5 She often sees friends after work. —
- 6 She lives with one of her children. —
- 7 She never does housework. —
- 8 She has two children. —