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## Get started!

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1 Complete the texts with the correct form of the verbs in the box.

hang help live live love  
practise want work



1 Meet Bella. She's fourteen and she lives with her mum. Her mum is from Italy and she has a café. She works hard and Bella sometimes helps her at the weekend.

2 This is Zadie. She's fifteen. She practises music! She plays the guitar and she sings. At the weekend she often hangs out with her band.

3 Adam is fourteen. He wants to become a vet because he loves animals. He often hangs out with his friends at the weekend, and he sometimes plays basketball in the park.

4 And finally, this is Josh, Adam's friend. He's fifteen and he lives with his mum, dad and sister in London. He loves sport. He's very good at basketball and quite good at football.

## Present Simple and Present Continuous

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2 Read the phone conversation and circle the correct answer.

Bella: Hi, Zadie. What are you doing at the moment? Every day? Are you practising with your band?

Zadie: No. We usually practise / are usually practising on Saturdays, but right now I learn / I'm learning a new song. What about you?

Bella: I help / I'm helping mum at the café today.

Zadie: Do you help / Are you helping your mum every Saturday?

Bella: No, not every Saturday.

Zadie: Does your mum work / Is your mum working every day?

Bella: Yes, she does.

3 Complete the text with the Present Simple or Present Continuous form of the verbs in brackets.



James and Louisa are twins. They're fifteen and they <sup>1</sup>live (live) in Birmingham. On weekdays, they always <sup>2</sup>get up (get up) early and <sup>3</sup>go (go) to school. But today is Saturday and right now James <sup>4</sup>hangs out (hang out) with his friends in the park. Louisa <sup>5</sup>not hang out (not hang out) with her friends on Saturday mornings. She usually <sup>6</sup>practises (practise) the piano because she wants to be a musician one day. At the moment she <sup>7</sup>play (play) her favourite song.

## Stative verbs

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4 Complete the sentences with the Present Simple or Present Continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

1 Oh no! My alarm clock is ringing (ring)! I really hate (hate) getting up so early.

2 you / know (you / know) the answer to the question?

3 I make (make) a cake right now, so I can't answer my phone.

4 My sister try (try) to do her English homework at the moment, but she not understand (not understand) the text.

5 He is thirsty. He need (need) a drink!

6 The students work (work) in the library at the moment, but they're tired and need (need) a break.

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