

UNIT 1. HOBBIES (continued)

LESSON 1.3

Exercise 6. Put the verb in the parentheses into correct tenses.

1. The sun always _____ (rise) in the east.
2. In my country, it _____ (not, rain) much in winter.
3. The moon _____ (move) around the earth.
4. Mai _____ (be) very happy because she has 3 good marks today.
5. I like _____ (play) tennis.
6. My brother _____ (enjoy) playing football. He usually _____ (play) football every afternoon.
7. My brothers _____ (be, not) engineers.
8. Well, he is 40 years old, bald with a moustache. He _____ (have) large ears and he _____ (wear) glasses.
9. They _____ (have, not) any money.
10. Hoa _____ (visit) her parents once a year.

Exercise 7. Choose the correct answer in each sentence.

1. Are you interested **for/ in** photography?
2. This is my **best/ favourite** book. It's David Copperfield, by Dickens.
3. I've decided to **make/ join** the local swimming club.
4. Kate usually **passes/ spends** most of her time reading.
5. Tim has a very interesting **fun/ hobby**. He builds small boats.
6. What do you like doing in your **empty/ spare** time?
7. Wendy is a **member/ team** of the drama club.
8. Anna likes going to **the cinema/ cinema**.
9. John's hobby is collecting stamps. He is a stamp **collect/ collector**.
10. Hannah is very **creative/ create** and she paints very well.

Exercise 9. Circle the best answers.

1. Nowadays people _____ hours sitting in front of computers.
A. spend B. last C. set D. take
2. My uncle usually _____ a lot of beautiful photos.
A. take B. takes C. to take D. taking

3. My family enjoys _____ because we can sell vegetables and flowers _____ money.
A. garden – to B. gardening – for
C. gardening - with D. garden - of
4. If your hobby is greeting card making, you can give your _____ as to your friends presents.
A. hobby B. money C. greetings D. products
5. My sister's hobby is sewing, and she can get the sewing patterns from the _____ magazines.
A. fashion B. cooking C. sports D. science
6. My brother doesn't like ice-skating because he thinks it is _____.
A. danger B. in danger C. dangerous D. endangered
7. My sister is very keen on swimming, and she goes swimming three _____ a week.
A. time B. a time C. times D. timings
8. I think collecting old bowls _____ a very boring hobby.
A. am B. is C. are D. be
9. I like _____ books because it widens my knowledge.
A. read B. reads C. to reading D. reading
10. Model making is a _____ way of spending time.
A. wonder B. wonderful C. wondering D. wondered
11. There are many _____ why it is important to have a hobby.
A. answers B. reasons C. details D. facts
12. Will you _____ making models in the future?
A. pick up B. look for C. take up D. find
13. Do you think that hobby is and boring?
A. easy B. difficult C. danger D. interesting
14. My brother usually _____ fishing in his free time.
A. go B. to go C. goes D. going
15. We _____ roller skating because it's dangerous.
A. don't like B. not like C. don't likes D. doesn't like
16. I join a photography club, and all members love _____ a lot of beautiful photos.
A. take B. taking C. make D. making

17. What does your father do _____ his free time?

- A. in B. at C. on D. while

18. I think a hobby will always give you _____ and help you _____.

- A. pleased - relax B. pleasure – relaxed
C. pleased - relaxing D. pleasure – relax

19. You can share your stamps _____ other collectors _____ a stamp club.

- A. with-at B. to-at C. with-in D. to-in

20. She finds _____ flowers interesting because it helps her relax.

- A. arrange B. arranges C. to arrange D. arranging

III. READING

Exercise 2. Circle the correct answers.

What do you like doing best (1) _____ your spare time? My cousin Paul likes going (2) _____ in the country and (3) _____ photos. Sometimes he (4) _____ with his friends, and they (5) _____ at the park or at the beach. They always (6) _____ a good time. His brother Chris isn't (7) _____ on walking. He spends most of the (8) _____ at home.

1. A. for B. when C. in D. at
2. A. for walks B. walks C. a walk D. to walk
3. A. making B. having C. taking D. doing
4. A. travels B. gets up C. sees D. goes out
5. A. enjoy B. have fun C. hobby D. go
6. A. have B. make C. do D. like
7. A. interested B. out C. decided D. keen
8. A. other B. time C. people D. money

Exercise 3. Read the passage carefully and circle the correct answers.

If you enjoy cycling for pleasure, doing it in London can be a shock. There are not enough lanes, especially for bikes, and making your way through the traffic can be very risky. But if you have a great passion, cycling in London can be exciting, and **it** is an inexpensive way of keeping fit if you live there. Some cyclists don't mind spending a lot of money on expensive bikes. However, if you just want a basic bike that is only for occasional use, there are many cheap choices. Several markets have cheap bikes on sale, which may not be

impressive to look at but should be satisfactory. You should buy a cycling helmet if you want to cycle in London. Wearing a cycling helmet is not compulsory in Britain, but it is a good idea to wear one for protection.

1. What is the main idea of the passage?

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| A. Cycling helmets | B. Cheap bicycles |
| C. Bicycle markets | D. Cycling in London |

2. According to the passage, cycling in London is _____.

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| A. easy | B. difficult | C. tiring | D. boring |
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3. The word "**it**" in bold refers to _____.

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| A. cycling | B. passion | C. excitement | D. doing exercise |
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4. The difficulty of cycling in London is described in lines _____.

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| A. 2-3 | B. 5 | C. 5-6 | D. 8-9 |
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5. According to the passage, all of the following are true EXCEPT _____.

- A. It is compulsory to wear a helmet when cycling in Britain.
- B. Some bikes in London are cheap.
- C. There are not many lanes, especially for bikes.
- D. Some cyclists don't want to buy expensive bikes.

VI. WRITING

Exercise 1. Reorder the words to make correct sentences.

1. His / flowers. / is / painting / hobby / pictures / of

2. television / your / favorite / What's / program?

3. stamps, / of / my / is / collecting / old / One / hobbies

4. to / my / often / spend / leisure / time / listening / I / the / radio.

5. is / Tom / a / model / railroad / hobbyist.

6. Dave / doesn't / Mary. / enjoy / hanging / with / out

7. getting / hates / up / Tom / in / the / morning. / early

8. Making / model / planes / is/ his / only / hobby.

9. playing / loves / Einstein / the / violin.

10. hobbies. / spend / have / time / to / with / their / families / or / to / their / enjoy /
They
