

1 Complete the sentences with the infinitive or -ing form of the verbs in the box.

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- 1 My dad is really kind. He always offers to **help** people.
- 2 I'm quite optimistic. I usually expect _____ my exams.
- 3 My friend Sarah is really impatient. She can't stand _____.
- 4 Sammy is really generous. He always offers _____.
- 5 Jane is very hard-working. She doesn't mind _____ for hours.
- 6 I'm very ambitious. I often imagine _____ rich and famous.
- 7 Alex is so talkative! He keeps _____ even when nobody is listening!
- 8 My sister is so shy. She can't help _____ nervous when a stranger talks to her.

2 Complete the sentences with an infinitive or -ing form and true information about yourself.

- 1 I usually avoid ...
- 2 I really can't stand ...
- 3 I don't mind ...
- 4 I spend a lot of time ...
- 5 I really want ...
- 6 I sometimes pretend ...

7 Complete the sentences with the infinitive or -ing form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 He's pretending _____ (be) angry.
- 2 I can't help _____ (feel) nervous.
- 3 She doesn't enjoy _____ (wear) formal clothes.
- 4 Have you finished _____ (eat)?
- 5 I didn't expect _____ (pass) the exam.
- 6 Do you want _____ (watch) television?
- 7 I don't feel like _____ (go) home.
- 8 We decided _____ (have) lunch in a café.
- 9 Do you fancy _____ (play) tennis tomorrow?
- 10 I promise _____ (tell) you the truth.

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- 1 Do you fancy going to the cinema this evening?
- 2 I spend a lot of time playing computer games.
- 3 The food in the school canteen is terrible, so I avoid having lunch there.
- 4 I can't help thinking that he isn't telling the truth.
- 5 I don't mind helping my parents with the housework.
- 6 I can't stand getting up early in the morning.
- 7 Bob suggested watching a DVD.
- 8 Can you imagine living in a foreign country?
- 9 It's really annoying – he keeps copying my homework.

6 Match the two halves of the sentences.

1 When he was four, he began ...	a to pay for his lessons.
2 His mother agreed ...	b practising every day.
3 He imagined ...	c to study music at university.
4 He hoped ...	d to learn the piano.
5 He didn't mind ...	e becoming a famous pianist.

2 Complete the sentences, using the infinitive form of the verbs in the box. Then match the sentences to the pictures.

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- 1 Kate wants to be a nurse when she leaves school.
- 2 Tina's parents agreed to let her go to the match.
- 3 Harry decided not to buy a new DVD player. They're too expensive.
- 4 Jake broke the window, but he refused to pay for a new one.
- 5 Liz is pretending to be – but she's really listening to the radio.
- 6 Dan offered to carry my suitcase as it was really heavy.