

Family and friends

VOCABULARY

1.1

have, go and play • collocations
• prepositions

SHOW WHAT YOU KNOW

1 Complete the sentences with the verbs from the box. You can use the verbs more than once.

(go have listen play read watch)

I go to school five days a week.

- 1 Tim and I play games on our phones before school starts.
- 2 You listen to a lot of music. Is this a good CD?
- 3 My mum and dad watch an old film every Friday.
- 4 We read four books a year in English.
- 5 My friends have newspapers on their computers.
- 6 A: Are you alone?
B: Yes, my parents go to work on Saturdays.
- 7 We have an English test every Monday morning.
- 8 Jack's aunt and uncle listen to the radio all the time.

WORD STORE 1A | have, go and play

2 Complete the texts with *have*, *go* or *play*.

GO

Your free time

What do you do?

Nikki, aged 16

I go to the park with my friends. We ¹ play the guitar there. We always ² have a good time. Mick and Sam ³ play the drums – African drums. They're really cool but some people in the park don't like them!

Molly, aged 16

I ⁴ go to a shopping centre with my friends on Saturdays. We usually ⁵ spend to the cinema on Saturday evening. Sunday is great! We ⁶ play basketball and we ⁷ have a lot of fun together!

Bruce, aged 17

I don't have much free time, but I ⁸ go out with friends when I can. Saturday is a good day for one of my friends to ⁹ have a party because I'm usually free in the evening. On Sundays, I ¹⁰ play chess. It's a great game. I don't ¹¹ play video games because I don't enjoy them!

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of *have*, *go* or *play* and the words from the box.

chess cinema drums fun good time guitar
out party piano shopping centre sports
video games

I love rock music and I want to be in a band, but I can't ^a play the ^b guitar because I'm a bad musician!

- 1 My friends and I always ^a have ^b fun when we go out together.
- 2 I ^a have ^b time with my family when we visit another country.
- 3 My brother wants to ^a play ^b guitar like football with me and my friends, but he's only 5 years old and we're 14!
- 4 Do you remember who ^a had ^b the in the Rolling Stones? Is it Keith Richards?
- 5 Mick loves classical music. He can ^a play the ^b piano really well because he goes to lessons at the local music school.
- 6 I sometimes ^a have ^b the with my grandfather but I never win. He always takes my queen quickly!
- 7 I always ^a go to a ^b party on Saturday. I love to look at the latest fashions even if I don't buy anything.
- 8 It's my friend's birthday on Saturday but I can't ^a go to her ^b party because it's my mum's birthday on the same day.
- 9 Lisa and Mark ^a go to the ^b cinema every Friday. They love watching films together.
- 10 Where do you usually meet when you ^a have ^b time with your friends?
- 11 My brothers ^a play ^b chess every evening. They sit in front of the computer for hours!
- 12 Alice has just finished university and she wants to ^a have ^b the to celebrate.

WORD STORE 1B | Collocations

4 Choose the correct verb.

GO

Free time survey

How do you spend your free time?

1 read / watch / visit books	a lot
2 spend / visit / write friends	a lot
3 read / watch / write films	sometimes
4 watch / write / read magazines	sometimes
5 read / spend / watch TV / the telly	a lot
6 visit / spend / watch time alone	sometimes
7 watch / write / visit videos	never
8 spend / watch / read things on the Internet	a lot