

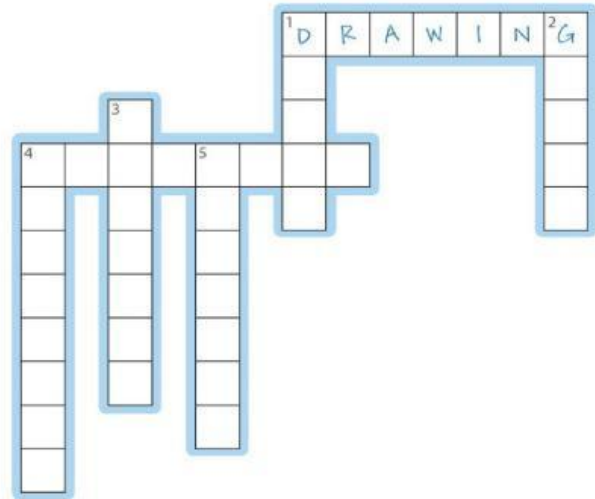
5. Complete the statements with gerunds. Then write them in the puzzle.

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1. My brother Adam's hobby is ... (draw).
4. Alma doesn't like ... (shop).

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1. I like ... (do) puzzles after class.
2. Do your parents dislike ... (go) to bed early?
3. I'm not really crazy about ... (cook).
4. My teacher suggests ... (study) Chinese.
5. My classmates aren't bad at ... (play) tennis.



6. Complete each statement with the gerund form of the verbs below.

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1. My grandpa loves buying new cars, but they're so expensive!
2. I like _____ my mom and dad, but I can't stand _____ the table.
3. Some people dislike _____ because they like _____ at home in their own bed.
4. I love _____ my bike, but I don't like _____ a helmet.
5. I don't have a lot of friends; my big brother suggests _____ new people at a club.
6. My sisters are crazy about _____ old movies.
7. You're so good at _____ things together!
8. She's afraid of _____ English with people she doesn't know.

7. Correct four more errors in the e-mail message. Use gerunds correctly.

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Hey, Bella!

We're going to the beach. I love sitting on the beach in the sun, but I'm not crazy about swim in the ocean. I'm afraid of seeing a shark! I like bring my puzzle books and solve all the easy puzzles. I hate do hard ones while I'm sitting in the sun!

8. Underline the gerunds in the following sentences. Be careful! Not all the sentences have gerunds. Write an X in the box if the sentence does not have a gerund.

1. We suggest leaving early for the beach
2. It's really hard to stop eating so much candy.
3. Running in the evening is a good idea because it's not so hot then.
4. They were driving to the park when they had an accident.
5. My little dog likes catching the ball when I throw it.
6. My boyfriend's hobby is playing the guitar.
7. I'm going to the mall to hang out with my friends.
8. My friend is afraid of speaking in front of a lot of people.

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