

b Rewrite the sentences with the words in brackets in the correct place. Use contractions where possible.

- 1 My dad lives alone and he does not go out. (often)  
My dad lives alone and he doesn't often go out.
- 2 You are too old to get married. (never)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 Candice sees her boyfriend. (every day)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 Alice meets people on the internet. (sometimes)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 It is fun to go on a date. (always)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 I see my wife these days. (hardly ever)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 7 I go out during the week. (never)  
\_\_\_\_\_.

c Complete the text with the correct form of the words from the list.

earn get on have live not come not like not see  
prefer share study want work



## My boyfriend Jamie

I'm very different from my boyfriend, Jamie. Jamie <sup>1</sup>works as a vet, and he <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ quite a lot of money. I'm a student, and I <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ music at university. I <sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ to be a music teacher when I finish.

Jamie <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ alone in a small house in the country, and I <sup>6</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ a flat with some friends in the city centre. We often <sup>7</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ parties in our flat, but Jamie <sup>8</sup>\_\_\_\_\_. He's quite shy, so he <sup>9</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ being with other people. I'm quite extrovert, so I <sup>10</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ being in a group.

I <sup>11</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ Jamie very often because he's usually busy. But when we're together, we always <sup>12</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ really well. Some people say that opposites attract, and for Jamie and me, it's true.

d Write questions about you and your best friend, Anna.

- 1 a What / you / do?  
What do you do?
- b What / Anna / do?  
What does Anna do?
- 2 a Where / you / live?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- b Where / Anna / live?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- 3 a Who / you live / with?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- b Who / Anna / live with?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- 4 a you / like going to parties?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- b Anna / like going to parties?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- 5 a you / be shy or extrovert?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- b Anna / be shy or extrovert?  
\_\_\_\_\_?

e Think about a good friend. Write a paragraph about the differences between you. Use the text in c and the questions in d to help you.

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## 3 PRONUNCIATION final -s and -es

a Circle the verb with a different final sound.

				/IZ/	/IZ/
1 snake	2 snake	3 zebra	4 zebra	5	6
works	lives	knows	runs	leaves	teaches
laughs	thinks	rains	starts	dresses	cooks
watches	drinks	likes	goes	washes	uses

b 1.2 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the words.

 Go online for more practice

## 2 GRAMMAR present simple

a Complete the conversation with the present simple form of the verbs in brackets.

1 A Do your parents live together? (live)

B No, they don't. They're divorced now.

2 A \_\_\_\_\_ Louisa \_\_\_\_\_ to marry her boyfriend? (want)

B In a few years perhaps.

3 A What's the weather like where you live?

B It rains a lot in the winter, but it \_\_\_\_\_ often \_\_\_\_\_ in the summer. (not rain)

4 A What does José do in the evenings?

B He \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of TV. (watch)

5 A \_\_\_\_\_ your sister \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish? (speak)

B No, but she speaks English and Italian.

6 A \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ Monday to Friday? (work)

B Yes, and I usually work on Saturdays, too.

7 A How often do you play tennis in winter?

B We \_\_\_\_\_ very often because it's cold and wet. (not play)

8 A Does your sister like living in Italy?

B Yes, she \_\_\_\_\_ it. (love)