

53) Maggie and Luis are talking about their neighbour. Complete it with the correct participial adjective from (-ing or -ed) of the verbs in parenthesis.

MAGGIE: What's the matter with Alice?
LUIS: Who knows? She's always (1) (annoy) about something.
MAGGIE: I know, but this time I'm really (2) (confuse).
LUIS: Why? What's so (3) (confuse) this time?
MAGGIE: Oh, I thought she was happy. She met an (4) (interest) man last week.
LUIS: Great. Was she (5) (interest) in him?
MAGGIE: I thought so. She said they saw a (6) (fascinate) movie together. So I thought
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LUIS: May be she was (7) (fascinate) by the movie, but she was (8) (disappoint) with the guy.
MAGGIE: Maybe. It's hard to tell with Alice. Her moods are often very (9) (surprise).

68) Underline the most suitable verb form in each sentence.

- 1 I wish Peter doesn't live/didn't live/would live so far away from the town centre. We'll have to take a taxi.
- 2 I feel rather cold. I wish I brought/had brought my pullover with me.
- 3 What a pity. I wish we don't have to/didn't have to/wouldn't have to leave.
- 4 I wish you tell/told/had told me about the test. I haven't done any revision.
- 5 I wish the people next door hadn't made/wouldn't make/couldn't make so much noise. I can't hear myself think!
- 6 Darling, I love you so much! I wish we are/had been/would be/could be together always!
- 7 I'm sorry I missed your birthday party. I really wish I come/came/had come/would come.
- 8 I like my new boss, but I wish she gave/would give/could give me some more responsibility.
- 9 Having a lovely time in Brighton. I wish you are/were/had been here.
- 10 This car was a complete waste of money. I wish I didn't buy/hadn't bought it.

83) Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form.

- 1 I'd rather (go) fishing this afternoon.
- 2 I'd rather you (not/wear) my red dress to the dance tonight.
- 3 I'd rather you (say) that you didn't want to come!
- 4 I'd rather (go) by plane but I couldn't afford the air fare.
- 5 I'd rather you (not/use) such bad language! It upsets people.
- 6 I'd rather you (not/tell) them the news yet.
- 7 We would rather (recycle) our rubbish than (use) non-recyclable goods.
- 8 He had better (not/tell) her or I'll be furious!
- 9 It would have been better if she (give) us the information sooner.
- 10 You'd better (not/wake) her up because she hasn't slept for two days.
- 11 I would prefer (pay) in cash rather than by credit card.

95) Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form.

- 1 A: Did you enjoy the party last night?
B: No, I'd rather (stay) at home.
- 2 A: Shall I dust the computer, Tom?
B: I'd rather you (not/touch) it, actually. I'll do it myself.
- 3 A: I've got a terrible cold.
B: You'd better (not/go) to work today, then.
- 4 A: I'm going to work now.
B: I think it's going to rain today. You'd better (take) an umbrella with you.
- 5 A: I didn't enjoy Ben's party. I would rather he (invite) more people.
B: Oh! I enjoyed it.
- 6 A: You had better (study) hard this weekend for the exam on Monday.
B: I will, but I would rather (go out) with my friends.
- 7 A: My parents prefer (spend) their holidays in the mountains.
B: Do they? I like to be by the sea.
- 8 A: We'd better (not/book) a taxi to bring us home tonight.
B: You're right. We might want to stay late.
- 9 A: They're organizing a party for Susan's birthday.
B: I know, but it's a secret, so we'd better (not/talk) about it in case she hears.
- 10 A: I'd rather you (not/leave) your shoes in the kitchen every time you come home from school.
B: Sorry, I keep forgetting.
- 11 A: I didn't enjoy my lunch today. I'd rather (eat) something else.
B: I'll make you some sandwiches tomorrow then.
- 12 A: Did you enjoy the film last night?
B: Not really. I would rather we (see) a comedy instead.
- 13 A: Shall we stay in tonight?
B: Well, if you don't mind I would rather (visit) my parents.