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4.4 Present Simple: verb patterns

1 Circle the correct form of the verb to complete these sentences.

0 Henri needs **to do** / **doing** his homework now.

1 I want **to watch** / **watching** a DVD tonight.

2 Anthony tries **to do** / **doing** some exercise every day.

3 My brother can't stand **to play** / **playing** football.

4 My mum and dad always finish **to eat** / **eating** a long time after me.

5 She does lots of different kinds of exercise, but she prefers **to run** / **running**.

6 They'd like **to go** / **going** to England on holiday.

7 Felipe learned **to play** / **playing** the guitar last year.

8 She didn't mind **get up** / **getting up** early to go to school every day.

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2 Complete the dialogue with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Don: I prefer [0] *to be* (**be**) outdoors, not online all the time.

Do you enjoy [00] *spending* (**spend**) time online, Sarah?

Sarah: Yes, but I always forget [1]_____ (**charge**) my laptop.

My brother always remembers [2]_____ (**plug**) his in though, so I use his.

Don: What do you do online?

Sarah: Well, I hate [3]_____ (**spend**) too much time on sites like Facebook.

I keep [4]_____ (**use**) them

but I'm trying [5]_____ (**stop**) using them altogether. What about you?

Don: I'd love [6]_____ (**give up**) Facebook, too,

but I decided [7]_____ (**check out**) my Facebook page only once a day.

Sarah: Good idea!

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