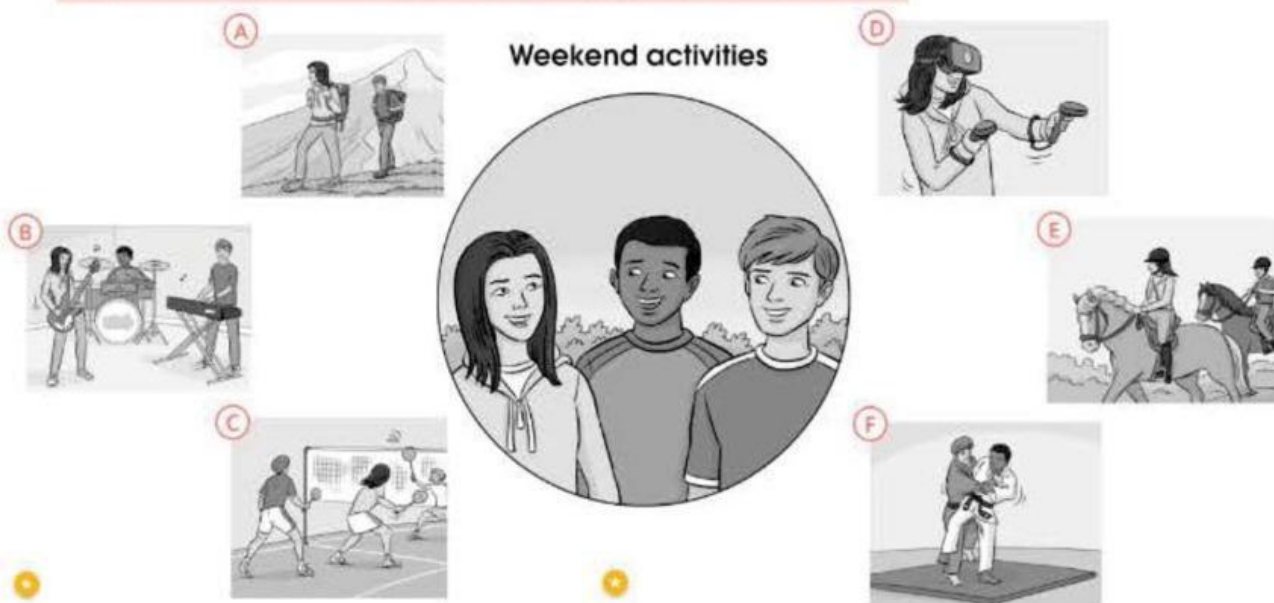


SPEAKING

1 **9.5** Read the speaking task below. Listen to two students discussing the activities. Which activity do they choose? Why?

A group of four friends want to try a new activity at the weekend. Here are some things they could do. Talk together about the different activities, and say which one would be the best.



2 **9.6** Complete the sentences from the students' discussion with one word in each gap. Listen again and check your answers.

- 1 What do you about playing in a band?
- 2 How a virtual reality game? It would be exciting.
- 3 Maybe they prefer to do something outdoors.
- 4 Yes, hiking good, but I don't think it will be a new activity for all of them.
- 5 I'm not about that. It's quite expensive, isn't it?
- 6 Yes, you're right. Well, they try judo.

3 **9.7** Read the discussion questions below. Listen and match the students (1-6) with the questions they are answering (A-F).

- A Which is better: doing sport in a team or doing sport on your own?
- B Which sport or activity is your favourite? Why?
- C Would you like to try a dangerous activity, like bungee jumping?
- D How often do you do sport?
- E How do you feel about competitive sports?
- F Do you like trying new things?

4 **9.8** Listen again. Which phrases do the students use to talk about their likes and dislikes?

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|----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 I'm into ... | ☐ | 6 I've always loved ... | ☐ |
| 2 I'm not into ... | ☐ | 7 I don't like ... very much. | ☐ |
| 3 I'm keen on ... | ☐ | 8 I quite like ... | ☐ |
| 4 I'm not very keen on ... | ☐ | 9 I hate ... | ☐ |
| 5 I love ... | ☐ | 10 I can't stand ... | ☐ |

5 Put the phrases from Ex 4 in the correct place in the table.

like very much	like	dislike	dislike very much

6 Follow the instructions. Use the words in brackets in your answers. Record yourself.

- 1 Say that you like team sports very much. (into)
- 2 Say that you generally like doing indoor sports. (prefer)
- 3 Say that you really like learning new skills. (absolutely)
- 4 Say that you hate doing the same thing every weekend. (stand)
- 5 Say that you don't really like water sports. (keen)
- 6 Say that you want to do a bungee jump one day. (like)

7 **9.9** Listen to your recording from Ex 6. Then listen to a student saying the same sentences on track 9.9. Compare.