

Language focus 2:

(don't) want to, would (n't) like to, would prefer to

Match the questions with the answers.

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| 1 Does your friend want to come with us? | <input type="text"/> |
| 2 Would you like to listen to music? | <input type="text"/> |
| 3 Would Barry prefer to go to the sports shop? | <input type="text"/> |
| 4 Do they want to invite Paul to come shopping? | <input type="text"/> |
| 5 Would Mary and Arthur like to go to a café? | <input type="text"/> |
| 6 Would Claudia prefer to do the exam today? | <input type="text"/> |
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| a Yes, he would. | d Yes, she would. |
| b No, they wouldn't. | e Yes, I would. |
| c No, she doesn't. | f Yes, they do. |

- *Would like* is more polite than *want*.
I want to have pizza for dinner, please. (= child to parent)
I'd like to have some chips with my fish, please. (= customer to waiter).
- We use *would prefer* to say what we want to do in a situation (not in general).
I would prefer to buy my new trainers in the sports shop.
- We use the infinitive with *to* after *want*, *would like* and *would prefer*.
She'd like to see the new shopping centre.

Choose the correct answers

- 1 _____ you like to save more money?
- 2 Would you _____ the black T-shirt or the white one?
- 3 I'd _____ to go to the electronics shop to see some new mobile phones.
- 4 She _____ to borrow money from her sister.
- 5 Would you _____ to go to the bookshop?
- 6 I _____ to buy a new car.

(not) enough + noun (существительное)

- We use *enough* + noun to say we've got what we need or want.
I can buy a new mobile phone. I've got enough money.
- We use *not enough* + noun to say we've got less than we need or want.
I can't buy a new phone. I haven't got enough money.
- Enough* goes before the noun.
We can't make a cake. There isn't enough milk.

★ ★ Match the sentence beginnings (1-6) with the sentence endings (a-f).

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| 1 We can't make a cake because ... | <input type="text"/> |
| 2 They're not dancing here because ... | <input type="text"/> |
| 3 I can't do all my homework because ... | <input type="text"/> |
| 4 A lot of people were still hungry because ... | <input type="text"/> |
| 5 We can't all study for the exam because ... | <input type="text"/> |
| 6 We want to buy a new tablet but ... | <input type="text"/> |
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| a ... there wasn't enough food. |
| b ... we haven't got enough money. |
| c ... there isn't enough space. |
| d ... I haven't got enough time. |
| e ... there aren't enough eggs. |
| f ... there aren't enough books. |