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# 6

like • Verb patterns • Antonyms and synonyms  
Phrasal verbs – phrasal verb + object

I just love it!

## Questions with like

Answer the questions about yourself.



- 1 What do you like doing most in your English class?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Do you like working alone or with a partner?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Would you like to have more or less homework after class?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 4 What's your classroom like?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 5 What are your classmates like?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 6 What is your spoken English like?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 7 Would you like to speak more or write more in class?  
\_\_\_\_\_

2 Write questions using the phrases in the box.

Do ... like ...?  
What ... like?  
Would ... like ...?  
What/Who ... look like?  
How ...?

- 1 **What's the weather like?**  
It's raining again!
- 2 **Do you like cooking?**  
No, I don't. I can't even boil an egg!  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_?  
Well, it's pressured and the hours are so long.  
But it pays well, I suppose.
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ in your family?  
Well, everybody says I look like my mother  
but I think I look more like my father.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ as a child?  
I looked quite funny. I was very tall and thin.  
My nickname was "The Pencil".  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- 6 \_\_\_\_\_?  
Coffee, please. I don't like tea.
- 7 \_\_\_\_\_ tennis?  
Yes, I love it. I play every weekend in summer.
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_?  
Yes, I'd love to. What time does the film start?
- 9 \_\_\_\_\_?  
Well, it's quite old, but with a modern  
kitchen, and it has a lovely garden.
- 10 \_\_\_\_\_?  
Mum's in New York at the moment. But  
they're both very well, thank you. I'll tell  
them you asked about them.



## Grammar revision

### 3 like and as



1 When *like* is used as a preposition, it is always followed by a noun. It means *similar to / the same as*.

I look **like** my mother.

They have so many animals. Their house is **like** a zoo.

'What star sign are you?' 'I'm Gemini, **like** you.'

'You're funny.' 'Why do you say things **like** that?'

2 We use *as* in comparisons.

My daughter is **as** tall as me.

She works in the same office **as** me.

3 When *as* is used as a conjunction, it is followed by a subject and a verb.

Do **as** I say and sit down.

Don't eat and speak at the same time, **as** my mother used to say.

**As** you know, we're leaving tomorrow at 10.00.

4 Notice the use of *as* in *as usual*.

Pat and Peter arrived late, **as usual**.

2 **T 6.2** Tick the correct question.

- 1 A  Where do you like going on holiday?  
 Where would you like to go on holiday?  
 B We usually go skiing in the winter, then somewhere hot in the summer.
- 2 A  What do you like to do this evening?  
 What would you like to do this evening?  
 B Something a bit different. I feel like a change.
- 3 A  Where do you like going on holiday?  
 Where would you like to go on holiday?  
 B Somewhere hot! I want to get brown.
- 4 A  Do you like ice-cream?  
 Would you like an ice-cream?  
 B No, thanks.
- 5 A  What sort of music do you like listening to?  
 What sort of music would you like to listen to?  
 B Classical, usually.
- 6 A  Do you like swimming?  
 Would you like to go swimming?  
 B It's OK, but I get bored.
- 7 A  Do you like swimming?  
 Would you like to go swimming?  
 B Great! Let's go.
- 8 A  Would you like to be a teacher?  
 Do you like your teacher?  
 B I couldn't stand it!

Complete the sentences with *as* or *like*.

- 1 Dave eats **like** a horse. I've never seen anyone eat **as** much **as** him!
- 2 This sauce tastes \_\_\_\_\_ vinegar!
- 3 I've known Andy for years. He went to the same school \_\_\_\_\_ I did.
- 4 My sister's a teacher, \_\_\_\_\_ me.
- 5 A We had a new teacher today called Mary.  
 B What was she \_\_\_\_\_?
- 6 Who do I look \_\_\_\_\_, my mother or my father?
- 7 She really annoys me. I can't stand people \_\_\_\_\_ her.
- 8 I'll see you tomorrow at 11.00, \_\_\_\_\_ usual.
- 9 It's July and the weather's awful! It's \_\_\_\_\_ winter!
- 10 I need to buy all sorts of things \_\_\_\_\_ socks, shirts, and knickers.
- 11 I'll be back in touch \_\_\_\_\_ soon \_\_\_\_\_ possible.
- 12 My brother has a car \_\_\_\_\_ yours.
- 13 Don't touch anything. Leave everything \_\_\_\_\_ it is.
- 14 It's freezing. My feet are \_\_\_\_\_ blocks of ice.



## Verb patterns

### 4 Choosing the correct form

**T 6.3** Choose the correct form of the verb.

- 1 I want you *be* / *you to be* / *that you are* more careful with your homework in the future.
- 2 I stopped *to smoke* / *smoke* / *smoking* when I was 25.
- 3 Why did I promise *help* / *to help* / *helping* with the painting? I hate it!
- 4 I tried *tell* / *to tell* / *telling* you that you were making a mistake, but you wouldn't listen.
- 5 I'm looking forward *go* / *to go* / *to going* to Sydney next year.
- 6 My father let me *having* / *to have* / *have* driving lessons when I was seventeen.
- 7 Mike invited me to his picnic, but I wasn't allowed *go* / *to go* / *going*.
- 8 I finished *watching* / *to watch* / *watch* TV and then I went to bed.

### 5 -ing forms

Complete the sentences with the -ing form of the verbs in the box.

walk	give up	hear	mend	work
help	wake up	find	watch	live

- 1 I'm tired of **hearing** nothing but bad news.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ too much TV is bad for your eyes.
- 3 I'll repair your watch for you. I'm good at \_\_\_\_\_ things.
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ a good job these days is really difficult.
- 5 My children are afraid of \_\_\_\_\_ in the dark now, so we keep a light on at night.
- 6 Did you know that \_\_\_\_\_ is one of the best forms of exercise?
- 7 Thank you for \_\_\_\_\_ me. I really appreciate it.
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_ in a big city can be very stressful.
- 9 \_\_\_\_\_ smoking is easy. I've done it hundreds of times!
- 10 I earned a lot of money by \_\_\_\_\_ overtime.

## 2 like or would like?

1 Match a sentence in A with a sentence in B.

### A

- 1 I like brown bread. e
- 2 Would you like a lift? c
- 3 Would you like some more apple pie? \_\_\_
- 4 Would you like a cold drink? \_\_\_
- 5 Don't you like football? \_\_\_
- 6 I don't like jazz. \_\_\_
- 7 I wouldn't like to live in a city. \_\_\_
- 8 Would you like to come to the theatre with us? \_\_\_
- 9 What do you like doing at weekends? \_\_\_

### B

- a I'd love one. I'm very thirsty.
- b I hate it.
- c I'd love to. That's very kind.
- d I'd love some. It's delicious.
- e I don't. I can't stand it.
- f Neither would I.
- g Nothing.
- h Really? I love it.
- i It's OK. I think I'll walk.