



Unit

8

How Do You Spend Your Free Time?

Which of these after-school activities  
do you like?

Dancing

Swimming

Football

Music

Playing on my computer

When you relax after school,  
what do you prefer doing?

Reading

Watching TV

Being alone

What do you like watching on TV?

Films

Sports

News

Cartoons

Nature programmes

# What do you like to read?

Books

Magazines

Comics

Newspapers

# How do you help your mum or dad around the house?

Go shopping

Wash the car

Wash dishes

Clean up

# What do you buy with your pocket money?

Magazines

Sweets

Clothes

Video games

Tapes & CDs

Toys

# Which is your favourite sport?

Swimming

Cycling

Snooker

Gymnastics

Athletics

Bowling

*About what pastimes can you say the following?*

I'm fond of...

It's relaxing.

I get pleasure from...

It's enjoyable.

I'm keen on...

It's a change from...

I'm crazy about...

It's amusing.

I'm mad about...

I get a lot out of it.

# What's your hobby?

Describe the following hobbies.

Writing poems

Collecting stamps

Taking photographs

Drawing

Hors riding

Climbing

Dancing

is

interesting

exciting

relaxing

thrilling

boring

amusing

## *Describe your feelings.*

I am

amused by  
bored with  
interested in  
thrilled by  
worried about  
excited about

collecting stickers  
reading  
swimming  
cycling  
fishing  
motorsport  
drama

*Choose the correct word to describe things & people's feelings.*

1. He is mad about yo-yo. He finds it  
(~~amusing~~/amused)

2. We were (~~exciting~~/excited)  
when we won school contest.

3. Did you see the film? It was very  
(~~interesting~~/interested)

4. They were (~~thrilling~~/thrilled)  
at the news.

What are you going to do this weekend?

*Are you doing these activities this weekend?*

I am + Ving

to watch football

to do home work

to relax

to go to the cinema

to listen to a new CD

*Are you going to do these activities this weekend?*

I am going to +V1

to have a slumber party

to TP boys houses

to hang out in the streets

to ride a horse

to do nothing but relax

*Will you do these activities this weekend?*

I will + V1

To go shopping

To dance

To go to friends'

To have a terrific time with no parents

To ride dad's car

# How about watching a good film?

*Make a short conversation.*

## Suggesting

How about  
What about

Ving

Let's

Why don't we

Why not

Would you like to

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## Accepting

I'd like to.

With pleasure.

That's a good idea.

Yes, I would.

## Refusing

I'm sorry.

I can't.

I wish I

could but...

I'd like to

but...