



ENGLISH POPTALK | Issue 01

Topic: Free Time & Hobbies | Level: CEFR A1



Welcome to English PopTalk!

Let's learn about what people do in their free time.

1 VOCABULARY: MATCH THE WORDS

Draw a line to match the verb (action) on the left with the correct noun (thing) on the right.

VERBS

1. play •
2. read •
3. watch •
4. listen •
5. draw •
6. play •

NOUNS

- a book
- to music
- the guitar
- TV
- pictures
- football

TIP We use "play" for both sports and musical instruments!

2 PUZZLE: HOBBY WORD SEARCH

Find the 6 hobby words in the puzzle box. The words are hiding HORIZONTALLY (left to right). Circle them when you find them!

T	E	N	N	I	S	P	Q	R	S
A	M	U	S	I	C	B	C	D	E
F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
P	Q	S	W	I	M	R	S	T	U
V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E
F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
P	D	R	A	W	Q	R	S	T	U
V	R	E	A	D	W	X	Y	Z	A
B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
L	D	A	N	C	E	M	N	O	P

Words to find: TENNIS | MUSIC | SWIM | DRAW | READ | DANCE

3 GRAMMAR: UNSCRAMBLE THE SENTENCES

Put the words in the correct order to make sentences about hobbies. Don't forget the period (.) at the end!

1. plays / She / tennis / .

2. games / video / I / play / .

3. music / to / listens / He / .

4. books / read / We / .

4 LOGIC: ODD ONE OUT

Circle the word that is DIFFERENT from the others in the group. Think about the meaning!

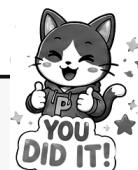
1. football tennis guitar basketball

2. read watch listen book

3. Monday Friday Sunday weekend

4. happy sad play angry

GREAT JOB! You finished this English PopTalk page. See you next time!
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Teacher's Answer Key

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Use this page to check student work and review the target vocabulary, grammar, and logic answers.



1 VOCABULARY - ANSWERS

1. play -> football
2. read -> a book
3. watch -> TV
4. listen -> to music
5. draw -> pictures
6. play -> the guitar

Teacher tip:

Point out that "play" is used with sports and musical instruments.

2 WORD SEARCH - ANSWER LOCATIONS

Row 1: TENNIS (Letters 1-6)

Row 2: MUSIC (Letters 2-6)

Row 4: SWIM (Letters 3-6)

Row 7: DRAW (Letters 2-5)

Row 8: READ (Letters 2-5)

Row 10: DANCE (Letters 2-6)

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3 GRAMMAR: UNSCRAMBLE - ANSWERS

1. She plays tennis.
2. I play video games.
3. He listens to music.
4. We read books.

4 LOGIC: ODD ONE OUT - ANSWERS

1. guitar
- it is a musical instrument; the others are sports.
2. book
- it is a noun; the others are action verbs.
3. weekend
- it is a general time period; the others are specific days of the week.
4. play
- it is an action or hobby; the others are feelings or emotions.

ANSWER KEY COMPLETE! Great work, teacher!

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