

Unit 74

1 In this exercise you have to write whether you like or dislike something. Begin your sentences with: I like .../I don't like .../I love .../I hate .../I don't mind .../I'm (not) interested in .../I have no opinion about ...

Example: (very hot weather) *I don't like very hot weather.*

- 1 (football)
- 2 (small children)
- 3 (cats)
- 4 (modern art)
- 5 (horror films)

2 What do you think about these things? Write a sentence about each one. Begin with: In my opinion .../I think .../I don't think .../I don't agree with .../I'm against .../I'm in favour of ...

Example: (divorce) *I think divorce is sometimes necessary.*

- 1 (terrorism)
- 2 (smoking)
- 3 (examinations)
- 4 (capital punishment)
- 5 (nuclear power)

3 In this exercise you have to choose the correct form, with or without the. Examples: I'm afraid of (dogs/the dogs) *dogs*.
Can you pass (salt/the salt) *the salt*, please?

- 1 (Apples/The apples) are good for you.
- 2 Look at (apples/the apples) on that tree! They're very large.
- 3 (Women/The women) are often better teachers than (men/the men)
- 4 In Britain (coffee/the coffee) is more expensive than (tea/the tea)
- 5 We had a very nice meal in that restaurant. (Cheese/The cheese) was especially good.
- 6 (Most people/The most people) still believe that (marriage/the marriage) and (family life/the family life) are the basis of our society.
- 7 They got married but (marriage/the marriage) wasn't successful.
- 8 I know someone who wrote a book about (life/the life) of Gandhi.
- 9 (Life/The life) would be very difficult without (electricity/the electricity)
- 10 (Skiing/the skiing) is my favourite sport but I also like (swimming/the swimming)
- 11 (Second World War/The Second World War) ended in 1945.
- 12 Do you know (people/the people) who live next door?
- 13 Are you interested in (art/the art) or (architecture/the architecture) ?
- 14 (All books/All the books) on the top shelf belong to me.
- 15 Don't stay in that hotel. (Beds/The beds) are very uncomfortable.
- 16 Two of the biggest problems facing our society are (crime/the crime) and (unemployment/the unemployment)
- 17 I hate (violence/the violence)

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- 3 (Women/The women) are often better teachers than