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## TALKING ABOUT LIKES AND DISLIKES

Activity 1 - Complete the chart below based on your preferences.


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Activity 2 - Move around the classroom and discover your friends' preferences. Write their responses on your paper.

| Friend's name | Likes.... | $\ddots$ | Doesn't like |
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Activity 3 - In groups of four discover who your friend is talking about.

Friend A: S/he likes $\qquad$
S/he doesn't like...
Friend B: It's João/ Maria/ Pedro
$s$ $\qquad$

Activity 4 - Read the examples below.

- I like to study, but I don't like to take buses to school.
- I like to play soccer, but I don' t like to watch soccer games on TV.
.-w We like hamburgers, but I don't like hotdogs
-.nI like films on TV, but I don't like horror films.
a) Based on the examples, we use
- Like to + $\qquad$ : to talk about an action.
- Like + $\qquad$ : to talk about things.
b) Complete the conversations appropriately.

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A: $\qquad$ $?$

B: Yes, but I don't like homework.
2.

A: $\qquad$ ?

B: No, I like to dance.
3.

A: Do you like rap or classical music?
B: $\qquad$ .
4.

A: Does your mother like to sing?
B: No, she $\qquad$ but she $\qquad$ .
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A: Does your father like soccer?
B : Yes, he $\qquad$ , but he doesn't $\qquad$ .

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## Activity 5 - Listen to the teacher and number the sentences according to the order you hear:

( ) We like to give birthday presents very much.
( ) Stella likes to have chocolate ice cream.
( ) Paul likes puddings, but he doesn't like to cook.
( ) He likes to talk on the phone.
( ) They don't like avocados.
( ) Phil doesn't like to play the guitar.
( ) Simon likes to sing, but he doesn't sing very well.
( ) You like to read, but you don't like to write letters.
( ) We like milk in the mornings.
( ) I don't like hot dogs.
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Activity 6 - Read the sentences in the boxes and mark TRUE( T) or FALSE (F) based on your imagination. The sentences are from adolescents from different parts of the world.

| 1.Pedro likes volleyball. <br> ( ) | 2.Sue doesn't like to listen to rock. | 3.Leo likes poetry. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4.Waldo doesn't like to surf on the Internet. | 5.Pedro doesn't like pizza. | 6.Sue likes to play soccer. <br> ( ) |
| 7.Leo likes nature. | 8.Waldo likes horses. $(\quad)$ | 9.Peter likes to swim. |

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## Activity 7 - Now read the e-mails messages and check your answers in activity 6.

.. Pedro: My name is Pedro Antunes. I'm 13 years old and have many friends. I live in Minas Gerais, Brazil. My family members are my father, mother and 2 sisters. My family and I like to watch action films on TV. The sports I like? Well, I like to play soccer and swim. My sisters like to eat pizza, but I don't. I love hotdogs.
...I'm Sue and I live in Maryland. I'm 12 and study at a public school. I like to listen to music (rock, heavy metal, punk rock). I like to play soccer with my friends. I don't like vegetables.
. I'm Leonard, but my nickname is Leo. I'm from California, but I live in New York. I like sports but I don't play any. I like to read, especially poetry. I like children but I don't have a younger brother to play with me.

My name is Waldo. We are American, but my family and I live in a small city in Italy. My father is a doctor here. I don't have many friends, so I like to surf on the Internet. I like animals: dogs, horses and cats, horses. I like to study Math and History, but I don't like Geography.

Adapted from www.lovefriends.org/cgi-bin/classifieds/clssifieds.cgi

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Activity 8 - Answer the questions based on the e-mail messages.
a) Where is Sue from?
b) What is Waldo's father profession?
c) Does Pedro have brothers and sisters?
d) What sport does Leo play?
e) And you? What sport and TV program do you like?
f) Do you like to do study on Sunday mornings?
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Activity 9 - Write a message to a friend about yourself. Include your name, age, where you live and your likes and dislikes.
From: $\qquad$ ( Your nickname)
To: $\qquad$ Your friend's nickname)

## Dear

Your friend,

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## Activity 10 - Number the columns.

| 1) Do you like to play sports? | ( ) how people ask about likes <br> related to activities. |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2) He likes to eat pizza. | $($ ) how people express their <br> likes related to things. |
| 3) I don't like vegetables. | ( ) how people express their <br> friend's likes related to things. |
| 4) She doesn't like to dance. | $($ how people express their <br> friend's dislikes related to things. |
| 5) I like to study Math. | ( ) how people express their <br> friend's dislikes related to <br> activities. |

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## SELF- ASSESSMENT

1) Na sua opinião a matéria estudada foi:
( ) $\bigodot$ Difícil
( ) $\because$ Não muito difícil
( ) $\because$ Fácil
2) $\mathbf{O}$ assunto estudado foi $\qquad$
porque $\qquad$
$\qquad$
3) Qual atividade você gostou mais de fazer? Justifique sua resposta.
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4) Qual atividade você menos gostou de fazer? Justifique sua resposta.
