

# 10 Things We Like and Don't Like

Connectives – although / so + Gerunds – Verbs Showing Preferences

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Although I enjoy eating, I hate cooking.



Although I love cooking, I hate washing the dishes.

You think Dad is nice **so** he will do all the housework, don't you? You need to help too, lazy bugs!



## Grammar Explained



a) We use connectives to link two clauses. We use **'although'** to link two contrasting ideas.

**Although**

travelling by ferry is slow, it's relaxing.

the teddy bear is big, it's not heavy.

b) We use **'so'** to show results.

reason

result

I enjoy thrilling rides

Mabel doesn't do any sports

**so**

I like going to amusement parks.

she gets sick easily.

c) We use **gerunds** after the verbs **'enjoy'**, **'love'**, **'like'** and **'hate'** to show our preferences.

My parents **love** **looking** at the view.

They don't **enjoy** **waiting** for the bus.

Ella **hates** **going** to Drama Club.

**A** Connie and her friends are talking about their habits. Draw lines to match the clauses to form correct sentences.

1. Although travelling by taxi is relaxing,	•	•	so she never rides on the cable cars.
2. Ken doesn't like staying at home	•	•	she always listens to Japanese songs.
3. Although Bonnie doesn't speak Japanese,	•	•	it is expensive.
4. Lucy is afraid of heights	•	•	so he goes to the park with his friends quite often.
5. Although shopping online is unreliable,	•	•	it can save a lot of time.

**B** Cody is asking his friends about sports they like and do not like. Read the table and complete their conversation with the help of the given words.

		
 Andy	play tennis	do karate
 Samuel	hike	play golf
 Janet	swim	jog
 Mary	do yoga	ride a bike

Cody : What do you like doing in your spare time?

Andy : I enjoy ① \_\_\_\_\_ tennis but I hate ② \_\_\_\_\_ karate.

Samuel : I like ③ \_\_\_\_\_ but I don't like ④ \_\_\_\_\_ golf.

Janet : I love ⑤ \_\_\_\_\_ but I hate ⑥ \_\_\_\_\_.

Mary : I enjoy ⑦ \_\_\_\_\_ but I don't enjoy ⑧ \_\_\_\_\_.

**C** Cody and his friends are talking about their hobbies. Join the sentences with 'although' or 'so'.



: It is time-consuming. We like doing jigsaw puzzles.

e.g. Although it is time-consuming, we like doing jigsaw puzzles.



: I don't spend too much time on it. I like watching TV.

1. \_\_\_\_\_



: I love music. I enjoy playing the piano.

2. \_\_\_\_\_



: He runs with me every week. Dad doesn't like doing sports.

3. \_\_\_\_\_



: We often make paper crafts. We like doing handicrafts.

4. \_\_\_\_\_



: I enjoy watching comedies. I like funny jokes.

5. \_\_\_\_\_



## Proofreading

**D** Underline the mistakes in the numbered lines and write the correct answers on the lines.

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| 1. Although I don't like going to museums, Dad enjoy         | 1. _____ |
| 2. look at different exhibitions. We went to the Art         | 2. _____ |
| 3. Museum today. So there were a lot of things to see,       | 3. _____ |
| 4. I was not interested. I was bored and hungry but I went   | 4. _____ |
| 5. to the tuck shop to buy some biscuits. I love eat snacks! | 5. _____ |

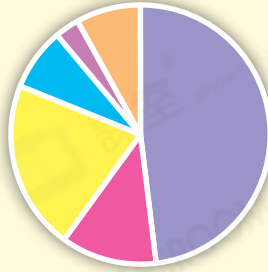


# Daily Life Grammar

**E** Mrs Kim is reading a survey report of a ferry company. Complete the report with the correct connectives or the correct form of the given verbs.

## Passenger Survey on Ferry Services by First Ferry

What do you like best about our ferry services?



- price
- comfort
- view
- convenience
- duration
- others

We conducted a survey with 1,250 passengers in the first quarter of 20XX.

We asked them what they liked best about our ferry services. 48% of the passengers hate ① \_\_\_\_\_ (pay) high fares for public transport.

They like our ferry services because our fare is low. ② \_\_\_\_\_ we don't have soft seats, many passengers think our ride is comfortable. 10% of them like ③ \_\_\_\_\_ (look) at the view of Victoria Harbour. The view is beautiful ④ \_\_\_\_\_ many locals and tourists like

⑤ \_\_\_\_\_ (travel) by ferry. 🎲 ⑥ \_\_\_\_\_ taking the ferry is slow, some passengers enjoy ⑦ \_\_\_\_\_ (take) a relaxing trip. They enjoy ⑧ \_\_\_\_\_ (feel) the breeze as it is refreshing.

Some passengers have commented that our ferries get very crowded during peak hours in the morning and evening 🎲 ⑨ \_\_\_\_\_ we are now going to have more sailings during these periods. Please continue to support us in the coming years!