

## Unit 2 Blog entry



Predicting the likely development of the topic



Dora is writing a blog entry about her brother. Read the blog entry.

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### Dora's Blog

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Today, I quarrelled with my brother Terry again. His bad habits are really annoying and I wish he could make some changes!

This morning, Mum, Terry and I had breakfast together. He ate very noisily. I told him it was impolite to chew loudly but he didn't listen. When it was time to leave for school, he packed his school bag and put on his shoes slowly. I couldn't wait for him any longer, so I went to school on my own and arrived on time. He was late but he didn't mind, because he is never punctual! Honestly, always being late is probably his worst habit.

When we got home, Terry put all his toys on the floor and made the living room a mess. 'Terry! You are making our home messy, please tidy up!' I complained. He is turning nine next month and still doesn't know how to tidy his things. Unbelievable! After dinner, I was doing revision when Terry was in the shower. He sang so loudly that I couldn't focus on my study. As he came out of the bathroom, I shouted at him, 'You are **disturbing**! I hate that you have so many bad habits!' Terry cried, 'Why are you so mean to me? That's not nice!' We yelled at each other until Mum stopped us, 'Don't **fight like cats and dogs**. Siblings should **embrace** and get along with each other.'

After a while, I calmed myself and thought about what Mum said. Although Terry and I sometimes argue, I love him because he is actually a kind-hearted boy. He is friendly and generous to everyone, especially to me. I should **apologise** to him and learn to be a more patient sister. Maybe I will buy him a bar of chocolate tomorrow. It's almost bedtime so I should stop here. I hope I will share something happy next time!



**Fight like cats and dogs (idm.)** means 'to fight and argue angrily with each other'.



10 mins




Learn to write in more detail by elaborating your ideas.

DATE



### Choose the best answers by blackening the circles.

- Which of the following is TRUE according to the blog entry?
  - A. Dora and Terry go to the same school.
  - B. Terry is kind to everyone except Dora.
  - C. Dora thinks Terry is always naughty.
  - D. Mum thinks Dora and Terry are like a cat and a dog.
- According to Dora, which of the following is the worst thing about Terry?
  - A. singing in the bathroom
  - B. being late
  - C. eating loudly
  - D. making the house messy
-  What may Dora say to Terry the next day?
  - A. 'You're so friendly, Terry.'
  - B. 'Do you like chocolate, Terry?'
  - C. 'I'm sorry, Terry.'
  - D. 'Don't be late again, Terry.'
- Dora is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ sister.
  - A. caring
  - B. nice
  - C. impatient
  - D. generous

READING

### Answer the questions in complete sentences.



Tip

Q5: Pay attention to the time phrase.

5. How old is Terry now?

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6. Read paragraph 3. Why did Terry cry?

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### Fill in each blank with ONE word from the blog entry. Change the word form when necessary.

Dear Dora,

I'm sorry that my singing **7.** \_\_\_\_\_ you last night. I will be quiet next time when you study. Also, I will learn to **8.** \_\_\_\_\_ up my toys. Please don't be mad at me. Let's promise to **9.** \_\_\_\_\_ each other.

Terry