

Exercises

60.1 Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first.

- Why is it useful to have a car?
What are the advantages of having a car ?
- I don't intend to apply for the job.
I have no intention of
- Helen has a good memory for names.
Helen is good at
- You probably won't win the lottery. You have little chance.
You have little chance of
- Did you get into trouble because you were late?
Did you get into trouble for ?
- We didn't eat at home. We went to a restaurant instead.
Instead of
- We got into the exhibition. We didn't have to queue.
We got into the exhibition without
- We played very well, but we lost the game.
We lost the game despite

60.2 Complete the sentences using **by -ing**. Use the following (with the verb in the correct form):

borrow too much money	break a window	drive too fast
put some pictures on the walls	stand on a chair	turn a key

- The burglars got into the house by breaking a window
- I was able to reach the top shelf
- You start the engine of a car
- Kevin got himself into financial trouble
- You can put people's lives in danger
- We made the room look nicer

60.3 Complete the sentences with a suitable word. Use only one word each time.

- We ran ten kilometres without stopping
- He left the hotel without his bill.
- It's a nice morning. How about for a walk?
- We were able to translate the letter into English without a dictionary.
- Before to bed, I like to have a hot drink.
- It was a long trip. I was very tired after on a train for 36 hours.
- I was annoyed because the decision was made without anybody me.
- After the same job for ten years, I felt I needed a change.
- We got lost because we went straight on instead of left.
- I like these pictures you took. You're good at pictures.

60.4 For each situation, write a sentence with **I'm (not) looking forward to**.

- You are going on holiday next week. How do you feel?
I'm looking forward to going on holiday.
- Kate is a good friend of yours and she is coming to visit you soon. So you will see her again soon. How do you feel? I'm
- You are going to the dentist tomorrow. You don't enjoy going to the dentist. How do you feel?
I'm not
- Rachel hates school, but she's leaving next summer. How does she feel?
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- You've arranged to play tennis tomorrow. You haven't played for a while and you like tennis a lot. How do you feel?
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