

Hobbies reading comprehension

A) Read the letter -

Januray 27th, 2011

Dear Anna,

How are you? I'm fine. I am very busy lately with school and my hobbies. I have basketball practice twice a week – every Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. I play basketball quite well. Each practice is two hours and then I have to go home and do my homework. Every Friday we have a math quiz (a short exam). So I have to work extra hard on school work after my basketball Thursday practice. I'm quite good at math, but still it is very tiring. I often have to take a cold shower so I can concentrate on my school work.

Also, every Saturday morning I enjoy jogging around the park. I like taking my dog, Jimmy, with me. We like running quickly together. Saturday evenings I like watching football games on the television. My father often watches the games too, but he can't always do that. He sometimes doesn't come home from work on time. My mother can watch with us, but she doesn't like football so much. She enjoys painting pictures. She can paint very well! My sister goes riding on Sunday mornings. Her horse is called Johnny. He is a little slow because he is old. But when he was young he was very quick.

Well, I have to run. I still have homework to do and I can't do it if I go on writing to you, which I like doing ;-)

Yours,

Dana.



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1. Who writes the letter?
(a) Dana (b) Anna
2. What sport does the writer play?
(a) Basedall (b) football (c) basketball
3. When does she play?
(a) Mondays and Thursdays (b) Tuesdays and Thursdays
(c) Wednesdays and Thursdays (d) Sundays and Thursdays
4. How well does the writer play this sport?
(a) well (b) quite well (c) very well (d) not well
5. How well is the writer in math?
(a) well (b) quite well (c) very well (d) not well
6. What does the writer enjoy doing with the dog?
(a) Watching television (b) jogging (c) painting
7. What else does the writer enjoy doing and when? The writer
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8. What do the other family members like to do? Match the correct answer.
The father painting
The mother horseback riding
The sister watching football games
9. What can't the father sometimes do? Why? The father sometimes
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10. Fill in the time schedule of the writer:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
mornings							
afternoons							
evenings							
nights							

11. Draw your own weekly timetable:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
mornings							
afternoons							
evenings							
nights							

12. Describe in about 10 sentences what you and/or your family members

like/don't like doing. Describe how well you/they do it.

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