

# Challenge a Friend - Beginner # 014



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Complete this sheet and challenge a friend to beat your score! Good luck!

## 1. 🧠 What Were You Doing? (Past Simple vs. Continuous)

Choose the correct tense (*Past Simple* or *Past Continuous*) for the verb in parentheses ( ).

- I \_\_\_\_\_ (**walk**) home when I \_\_\_\_\_ (**see**) the accident.
- While they \_\_\_\_\_ (**eat**) dinner, the phone \_\_\_\_\_ (**ring**).
- She \_\_\_\_\_ (**not listen**) to the teacher yesterday morning.
- What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (**do**) at 7 PM last night?

Points

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## 2. 😊 How Do You Feel? (Body Language/Emotion)

Match the physical action to the emotion it usually expresses.

### Physical Action

### Emotion

- |                        |                                  |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Frowning            | a) Surprise / Shock              |
| 2. Crossing arms       | b) Confusion / Worry             |
| 3. Shrugging shoulders | c) Anger / Disagreement          |
| 4. Raising eyebrows    | d) Indifference / "I don't know" |

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## 3. 🔄 Opposite Actions - Write a verb that means the **opposite** of the verb given.

- To teach \_\_\_\_\_
- To catch \_\_\_\_\_
- To destroy \_\_\_\_\_
- To whisper \_\_\_\_\_

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## 4. 🧑 Defining Jobs (Vocabulary) - Match the person to the job they do.

### Person

### Job / Profession

- |  |                        |
|--|------------------------|
| 1. Works with money in a bank or office. | a) Baker               |
| 2. Builds houses and buildings.          | b) Mechanic            |
| 3. Repairs cars and motorbikes.          | c) Accountant          |
| 4. Makes bread and cakes.                | d) Construction Worker |

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## 5. 🕒 What's the Time? (Time and Numbers)

Write the time shown in words (e.g., *It's six o'clock*).

- 8:00 \_\_\_\_\_ 2:30 \_\_\_\_\_
- 9:15 \_\_\_\_\_ 4:45 \_\_\_\_\_

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## 6. 🌍 Name Four (Geography & Nature). Write four correct items for each.

- ... kinds of **weather** \_\_\_\_\_
- ... countries in **Africa** \_\_\_\_\_

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## 7. 🧠 Finish the Phrase (Simple Synonyms)

Choose the best synonym (a word with a similar meaning) for the bold word.

- |                                   |               |             |             |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1. He is very <b>wealthy</b> .    | a) clever /   | b) rich /   | c) brave    |
| 2. The room is <b>huge</b> .      | a) tiny /     | b) cold /   | c) enormous |
| 3. The film was <b>dull</b> .     | a) exciting / | b) boring / | c) short    |
| 4. The answer is <b>correct</b> . | a) fast /     | b) right /  | c) slow     |

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**Total**

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## SELF-CHECK KEY

### 1. 🧑🏻 What Were You Doing? (Past Simple vs. Continuous)

1. I **was walking** (walk) home when I **saw** (see) the accident.
2. While they **were eating** (eat) dinner, the phone **rang** (ring).
3. She **wasn't listening** (not listen) to the teacher yesterday morning.
4. What **were** you **doing** (do) at 7 PM last night?

### 2. 😬 How Do You Feel? (Body Language/Emotion)

1. Frowning b) Confusion / Worry
2. Crossing arms c) Anger / Disagreement
3. Shrugging shoulders d) Indifference / "I don't know"
4. Raising eyebrows a) Surprise / Shock

### 3. 🔄 Opposite Actions (Verbs)

1. To teach **To learn**
2. To catch **To throw / To drop**
3. To destroy **To build / To create**
4. To whisper **To shout / To yell**

### 4. 🧑🏻 Defining Jobs (Vocabulary)

1. Works with money in a bank or office. c) **Accountant**
2. Builds houses and buildings. d) **Construction Worker**
3. Repairs cars and motorbikes. b) **Mechanic**
4. Makes bread and cakes. a) **Baker**

### 5. 🕒 What's the Time? (Time and Numbers)

1. 8:00 Eight o'clock
2. 2:30 Two thirty / Half past two
3. 9:15 Nine fifteen / A quarter past nine
4. 4:45 Four forty-five / A quarter to five

### 6. 🌍 Name Four (Geography & Nature) - (Accept any four correct answers for each)

Category	Item 1	Item 2	Item 3	Item 4
Four kinds of <b>weather</b>	e.g., Sunny	e.g., Cloudy	e.g., Rainy	e.g., Snowing/Windy
Four countries in <b>Africa</b>	e.g., Nigeria	e.g., South Africa	e.g., Egypt	e.g., Kenya/Morocco

### 7. 🧐 Finish the Phrase (Simple Synonyms)

1. He is very **wealthy**. b) **rich**
2. The room is **huge**. c) **enormous**
3. The film was **dull**. b) **boring**
4. The answer is **correct**. b) **right**