Exercises

1.1 What's happening in the pictures? Choose from these verbs:

cross hide scratch take tie wave



1	She's taking a picture.	4	his head.
2	Hea shoelace.	5	behind a tree.
3	the road.	6	to somebody.

1.2 The sentences on the right follow those on the left. Which sentence goes with which?

- 1 Please don't make so much noise.
- 2 We need to leave soon.
- 3 I don't have anywhere to live right now.
- 4 I need to eat something soon.
- 5 They don't need their car any more.
- 6 Things are not so good at work.
- 7 It isn't true what they say.
- 8 We're going to get wet.

- a I'm getting hungry.
- b They're lying.
- c It's starting to rain.
- d They're trying to sell it.
- e It's getting late.
- f I'm trying to work.
- g I'm staying with friends.
- h The company is losing money.

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1.3 Write questions. Use the present continuous.

What's the matter? (why / you / cry?) Where's your mother? (she / work / today?) I haven't seen you for ages (what / you / do / these days?) Amy is a student (what / she / study?) Who are those people? (what / they / do?) I heard you started a new job (why / you / walk / so fast?) We're not in a hurry (why / you / walk / so fast?)	1	What's all that noise? What's happening?	(what / happen?)
4 I haven't seen you for ages	2	What's the matter?	(why / you / cry?)
5 Amy is a student. (what / she / study?) 6 Who are those people? (what / they / do?) 7 I heard you started a new job. (you / enjoy / it?)	3	Where's your mother?	(she / work / today?)
6 Who are those people? (what / they / do?) 7 I heard you started a new job (you / enjoy / it?)	4	I haven't seen you for ages.	(what / you / do / these days?)
7 I heard you started a new job(you / enjoy / it?)	5	Amy is a student.	(what / she / study?)
	6	Who are those people?	(what / they / do?)
8 We're not in a hurry(why / you / walk / so fast?)	7	I heard you started a new job.	(you / enjoy / it?)
	8	We're not in a hurry.	(why / you / walk / so fast?)

1.4 Put the verb into the correct form, positive (I'm doing etc.) or negative (I'm not doing etc.).

- 1 Please don't make so much noise. <u>I'm trying</u> (I / try) to work.
- 2 Let's go out now. It isn't raining (it / rain) any more.
- 3 You can turn off the radio.(I / listen) to it.
- 5 Andrew started evening classes recently.(He / learn) Japanese.
- 6 Paul and Sarah have had an argument and now (they / speak) to one another.
- 7 The situation is already very bad and now(it / get) worse.
- 8 Tim(work) today. He's taken the day off.
- 9(I / look) for Sophie. Do you know where she is?
- 10 The washing machine has been repaired.(It / work) now.
- 11(They / build) a new hospital. It will be finished next year.
- 12 Ben is a student, but he's not very happy.(He / enjoy) his course.
- 14 Dan has been in the same job for a long time.(He / start) to get bored with it.