

## Verbs not usually used in progressive forms

1 Complete the dialogues with the correct form of the verbs in the box.

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- MATT Mmm. This cake is interesting. What does it (1) \_\_\_\_\_?
- JAYNE A lot of things! Does it (2) \_\_\_\_\_?
- MATT Not really, I'm just interested in making it myself.
- JAYNE Does it taste OK?
- MATT Yes, I (3) \_\_\_\_\_ it! I can't (4) \_\_\_\_\_ it's so good.
- JAYNE I (5) \_\_\_\_\_ you want some more?
- MATT Yes, please. I (6) \_\_\_\_\_ I'm eating too much, but it's delicious.
- JAYNE Do you bake cakes?
- MATT No, I don't usually (7) \_\_\_\_\_ cake. I (8) \_\_\_\_\_ savoury food.
- JAYNE Oh, I love cake.

2 Choose the correct words.

- 1 *I love / I'm loving* junk food.
- 2 *What do you eat / are you eating* now?
- 3 *I know / I'm knowing* French fries aren't good for me.
- 4 When I *smell / am smelling* my mother's cooking, I get really hungry.
- 5 *I cook / I'm cooking* soup for dinner.
- 6 My diet *includes / is including* lots of fresh fruit and vegetables.

3 Are these sentences correct (✓) or incorrect (✗)? Rewrite the incorrect sentences.

1 I can't believe you are not liking chocolate.

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2 This coffee tastes really nice.

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3 I'm preferring cheese to sweet things.

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4 I promise I'll eat whatever you cook.

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5 My boyfriend is loving my cooking.

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