

Ways of Entertainment

Szórakozási lehetőségek

Freetime activities

Doing sports

Consider the following points when talking about a particular activity.

Active

- Outdoor
- Necessary equipment (eg. clothes, sports equipment)
- Possible costs and benefits
- Arguments to convince someone

Passive

- Home, indoor
- Necessary equipment (eg. electrical appliances)
- Convenience and possible traps
- Some pieces of good advice

Now read and try to memorise the sample descriptions.

Playing team games

- **I love playing football with my friends, especially when the weather's fine and we can spend some time out in the fresh air.**
- **You only need comfortable football boots and a ball, so it's not a very expensive sport.**
- **Football is exciting, good exercise, and it has a lot of action.**
- **Professional footballers sometimes forget the joy and concentrate too much on the money.**

Playing computer games

- **I love playing computer games, 'cause you can have fun alone or with others in the comfort of your home.**
- **Some of the games are not cheap and your computer needs to be updated from time to time.**
- **It can be time-consuming, addictive even because some young people spend too many hours in front of the screen.**
- **So, I think, you should be careful and set some time limit. Also, most of the games are too violent.**

These two photos show different ways of entertainment. Compare and contrast them.



Include the following points.

- Where to do it
- With whom to do it
- Necessary equipment
- Possible costs
- Advantages
- Disadvantages

Situation

Student A

You are planning what to do at the weekend with your English friend. You have the following options:

- Going to Szeged Zoo
- Staying in and watching films
- Playing basketball with friends

Student B

Your friend is planning what to do at the weekend. Try to reach a consensus but keep in mind that

- you hate staying indoors.
- you're not good at ball games.
- you don't want to spend money.