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2. I (think, thinks) that is because the girls (is, are) afraid of getting sweaty.
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5. Well, they (do, does) not mind it as long as they (is, are) having fun.
6. The girls (enjoy, enjoys) being creative in art class.
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8. Everybody (need, needs) to go to P.E. whether they (like, likes) it or not.
9. It (is, are) important to get plenty of exercise.
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My friends says they don't mind that she is going with us. I hopes they still feels thatway after the movie. My friends and I has been wanting to see this movie for months. Watches out dinosaurs, here we come!



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