Hi. I am Marianne. I want to help you learn English. This is a lesson for total beginners or almost beginners. For more advanced courses listen to “Your English” or “QualityTime-ESL Podcasts”. In this lesson I ask you to repeat certain words and short combinations of words. It is easy. You can find the written script on our website. It is time to start.

You already know the negative form of the verb “like”. Repeat after me “don’t like”.

Continue practicing the verb “like” in the negative with the pronouns “I”, “you”, “we”, and “they”.

I don't like
I don't like
You don’t like
You don’t like
We don’t like
We don’t like
They don’t like
They don’t like

With “he”, “she” and “it” the negative form is “doesn't like”. Repeat “doesn't like”. Now go on repeating.

He doesn’t like
He doesn’t like
She doesn’t like
She doesn’t like
It doesn’t like
It doesn’t like

Next comes an exercise. I will say a pronoun, and you will repeat it with “don’t like” or “doesn't like” after the pronoun. Listen to the examples.

I say: I...
You say: I don't like
I say: You...
You say: You don't like.
I say: He...
You say: He doesn't like.
I say: She...
You say: She doesn't like

Now you go on. Speak before I give the answer.

I...
He...
You...
It...
I don't like
He doesn't like
You don't like
It doesn't like
You don't like
She...
We...
They...
You don't like
She doesn't like
We don't like
They don't like

Next we will say a whole sentence: ”I like to drink this.” Repeat after me.

...this.
...drink this.

like to drink this.
I don't like to drink this.
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Continue repeating:

I don't like to drink this.  
You don't like to drink this.  
He doesn't like to drink this.  
She doesn't like to drink this.  
We don't like to drink this.  
They don't like to drink this.

Next I will say a pronoun, and you will give the whole sentence. Listen to the examples.

I say: I...  
You say: I don't like to drink this.

I say: She...  
You say: She doesn't like to drink this.

Now do it. Speak before I give the answer.

I...  
You...  
He...  
She...  
We...  
They...

I don't like to drink this.  
You don't like to drink this.  
She doesn't like to drink this.  
We don't like to drink this.  
They don't like to drink this.

I say: I...  
You say: I don't like to drink this.

I say: She...  
You say: She doesn't like to drink this.

Good work!


Do you...?  
Do you like...?  
Do you like to drink this?

Does she...?  
Does she like...?  
Does she to drink this?

Do they...?  
Do they like...?  
Do they like to drink this?

Now a final exercise. I will give a pronoun, and you will ask the question. Listen to the examples.

I say: You...  
You say: Do you like to drink this?

I say: She...  
You say: Does she like to drink this?

Now you do it. Speak before I give the answer.

You...  
She...  
They...

Do you like to drink this?  
Does she like to drink this?  
Do they like to drink this?

That's the end of this lesson. If you have time, do it again. Thank you for listening. Bye, bye for now.

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