

## Tenses

A. Tony is looking for his dogs. Fill in the blanks in the passage with the correct forms of verbs given.

Tony (1) **loves** (love) dogs. He (2) \_\_\_\_\_ (have) two dogs.

One is called Bobo and the other is called Coco.

Yesterday, he (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (wake) up late. After having breakfast, he wanted to (4) \_\_\_\_\_ (feed) his dogs. He (5) \_\_\_\_\_ (look) around his house but he couldn't (6) \_\_\_\_\_ (find) them.

Tony (7) \_\_\_\_\_ (think) that his mother (8) \_\_\_\_\_ already \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to work. His father (9) \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) at that time and Tony (10) \_\_\_\_\_ (not want) to wake him up.

He (11) \_\_\_\_\_ (sit) on the sofa and started to cry. He (12) \_\_\_\_\_ (miss) his dogs very much. His father (13) \_\_\_\_\_ (hear) him crying and woke up. About an hour later, his mother (14) \_\_\_\_\_ (come) home with his dogs. She took Tony's dogs out for a walk an hour ago.



## Prepositions

B. Tony is reading a passage about accidents at home. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions.

Although our homes are where we feel most comfortable, they are also where many accidents happen — especially among young children and seniors. To find (1) out the best ways to prevent accidents at home, we spoke with Dr. Lam. Here she shares her expert advice (2) \_\_\_\_\_ three common in-home risks.

Falls are among the most common household accidents, especially (3) \_\_\_\_\_ young children and elderly. They can lead (4) \_\_\_\_\_ serious injuries like broken bones and twisted ankles. Dr. Lam suggested to use rubber mats (5) \_\_\_\_\_ kitchens and bathrooms and keeping floors clear (6) \_\_\_\_\_ toys and shoes.

Minor cuts are very common household accidents too. To avoid cuts, only use knives at the curing board instead (7) \_\_\_\_\_ carrying them around the kitchen. Also, keep them stored in a knife block when they are not (8) \_\_\_\_\_ use.

There are countless items at home that can cause a burn. Make sure the obvious hazards include pans, kettles, ovens are out (9) \_\_\_\_\_ reach of little hands. Household accidents are fatal but we can prevent them to happen if we are cautious.

