Present Simple: Lionel Messi's routine

1) Complete with the correct form of the verb:



Lionel Messi _____ *(be[1])* a world-wide famous football player. He _____ *(be[2])* thirty three years old. He _____ *(live[3])* in Castelldefels, Spain; but he ____ *(be[4])* from Rosario, Argentina. His wife ____ *(be[5])* Antonella Rocuzzo, and they _____ *(have[6])* three children: Thiago, Mateo and Ciro. They _____ *(have[7])* two pets: Hulk, a big dog, and Toby, a small dog.

Messi is *very* famous, but his routine is "very normal", he _____ (say[8]). He _____ (get up[9]) early, and has breakfast with his family. He _____ (usually; eat[10]) fruits, toasts or cereal, and _____ (drink[11]) orange juice. Later, the children _____ (go[12]) to school, and Messi _____ (go[13]) to football training with the Barcelona team. Antonella _____ (stay[14]) home.

When he _____ (not have[15]) a football match, he _____ (go[16]) home, and he has lunch with his family. They _____ (usually; eat[17]) meat (or fish), vegetables, vegetable soup, and fruits. Messi _____ (sometimes; eat[18]) dessert: he loves rice pudding with *dulce de leche*. Later, they _____ (take[19]) a nap. They _____ (get up[20]), _____ (drink[21]) mate, and _____ (sometimes; go out[22]): they _____ (go[23]) to the cinema, or they _____ (go[24]) to the park. But they _____ (usually; stay[25]) home and _____ (watch[26]) TV, or they _____ (play[27]) together. Later, they_____ (have[28]) dinner, and they _____ (go[29]) to sleep.

When Messi does have a football match, his family _____ (wear[30]) the Barcelona team T-shirt. On weekdays, they_____ (watch[31]) the match on TV, and on weekends they _____ (go[32]) to the stadium. When Messi _____ (win[33]), they go celebrate. So... they celebrate a lot.

2) Choose a title for the text (more than one option is possible):

- *Messi's training routine*
- *Messi's everyday life*
- *What does Messi do when he is not training?*
- *Messi's diet: How to eat like a champion*
- *Messi's routine*
- *Lionel Messi's family: who are they?*

3) Answer the questions:

a. What is Messi's favourite dessert?
b. How old is he?
c. Does he train in the morning?
d. Where does he live?
e. Who is Antonella Rocuzzo?
f. How many children do Messi and Antonella have?
g. What does Messi's family do when Barcelona wins?
h. Does Messi eat healthy food?
i. Where is he from?
j. When does his family wear the Barcelona T-shirt?

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