Take an English class on agreeing and disagreeing with Tom

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Language quiz
Now let’s practise what you learned in the lesson!
Is it A or B? Can you pick the right answer? Here’s an example to help you:

Ex. I don’t like football.
A: So don’t I. ✗
B: Neither do I. ✔

1 I would like to visit China.
A: So would I.
B: So do I.

2 I like watching TV after work.
A: So do I.
B: Neither do I.

3 I can’t swim.
A: So can I.
B: Neither can I.

4 I was good at sports when I was a child.
A: So am I.
B: So was I.

5 I won’t be in the office tomorrow.
A: Neither will I.
B: Neither won’t I.

Well done! Now you can check your answers at the bottom of the next page.
Speaking and writing practice
Now practise writing and speaking with a friend.

1. Write three sentences to express your opinion.
There are three example sentences below:

- I think cricket is much better than football.
- The taste of cheese is really disgusting.
- I want to visit the UK because people are polite.

2. Listen to your partner's first sentence. Do you agree or disagree? Answer using the language we have studied. Don't forget to explain your answer!

Example:
A: I think cricket is much better than football.
B: Actually, I disagree. Football is much better because...

3. Now, give your opinion. Your partner should respond using today's language.

4. Repeat steps 1 and 2 until you have finished your sentences.

5. How are you and your partner similar? How are you different?
Write three sentences.

Example:
X and I are different - he/she likes football, but I prefer cricket.

6. Change papers. Can you find any mistakes in your partner's writing?

Answers to exercise on page 1
1A, 2A, 3B, 4B, 5A