Used to, be used to y get used to

Verbo básico o verbo en ing

Used to, sin be ni get delante, cuenta algo de antes y lleva verbo básico: I used to cook. Be used to significa estar acostumbrado y get used to, acostumbrarse. Después de ambas expresiones, un verbo lleva ing: I am used to cooking; I am getting used to cooking. Usa el verbo principal de la primera frase. Para formar ing, normalmente lo añadimos; una e final que no se pronuncia desaparece: write → writing. Run → running, swim → swimming, shop → shopping, plan → planning. Travel → traveling en inglés americano. La s del presente desaparece en el verbo básico: cooks → cook; studies → study; carries → carry.

Ejemplo resuelto

I cook daily. I am used to ____ for myself. → I cook daily. I am used to cooking for myself.

Cocino a diario. Estoy acostumbrado a cocinar para mí.

Usa el verbo principal de la primera frase: básico o en ing según la construcción.

01. He speaks English at work. He is getting used to _____ it all day.

02. I write reports. I am getting used to _____ them in English.

03. She wears a uniform. She is getting used to _____ it all day.

04. We visit cousins in Chicago now. We used to _____ them in Denver.

05. You study at night. You are used to _____ after dinner.

06. I buy groceries online now. I used to _____ them at the market.

07. They sell flowers now. They used to _____ vegetables.

08. They clean the lab. They are getting used to _____ it every day.

09. They wash their own clothes. They are getting used to _____ them by hand.

10. They wait for the bus daily. They are used to _____ outside.

11. I use a tablet. I am getting used to _____ it for work.

12. She teaches adults now. She used to _____ children.

13. You carry the shopping. You are getting used to _____ heavy bags.

14. He runs before breakfast. He is used to _____ on an empty stomach.

15. They play chess now. They used to _____ cards.

16. She plans the meals. She is getting used to _____ for a large family.

17. He fixes computers now. He used to _____ radios.

18. Mia cooks every day. She is getting used to _____ for herself.

19. We listen to the radio. We are used to _____ to local accents.

20. I drink tea without sugar. I am used to _____ it that way.

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Continuación: ejercicios 21-40. Usa el verbo principal de la primera frase: básico o en ing según la construcción.

21. I take the train daily. I am used to _____ it in rush hour.

22. You help your parents now. You used to _____ your grandparents.

23. You make your own lunch. You are getting used to _____ it early.

24. He shops alone now. He is getting used to _____ without help.

25. She dances for fun now. She used to _____ professionally.

26. We eat lunch late. We are used to _____ at two.

27. Ben swims indoors now. He used to _____ in the sea.

28. I work at a hotel. I am getting used to _____ on holidays.

29. We sleep near a busy road. We are used to _____ with traffic noise.

30. She sings in a choir now. She used to _____ in a band.

31. We live downtown now. We used to _____ near a farm.

32. I walk to work now. I used to _____ to school too.

33. We stand at work. We are used to _____ for hours.

34. We share a desk. We are used to _____ our workspace.

35. She reads on the bus. She is used to _____ while people talk.

36. Dad drives a van now. He used to _____ a small car.

37. We ride bikes now. We are getting used to _____ uphill.

38. He looks after babies. He is used to _____ after twins.

39. They travel by bus. They are used to _____ with lots of passengers.

40. I draw animals now. I used to _____ buildings.

Soluciones

Frases con el hueco completado. La respuesta aparece en negrita.

01. He is getting used to **speaking** it all day.
02. I am getting used to **writing** them in English.
03. She is getting used to **wearing** it all day.
04. We used to **visit** them in Denver.
05. You are used to **studying** after dinner.
06. I used to **buy** them at the market.
07. They used to **sell** vegetables.
08. They are getting used to **cleaning** it every day.
09. They are getting used to **washing** them by hand.
10. They are used to **waiting** outside.
11. I am getting used to **using** it for work.
12. She used to **teach** children.
13. You are getting used to **carrying** heavy bags.
14. He is used to **running** on an empty stomach.
15. They used to **play** cards.
16. She is getting used to **planning** for a large family.
17. He used to **fix** radios.
18. She is getting used to **cooking** for herself.
19. We are used to **listening** to local accents.
20. I am used to **drinking** it that way.
21. I am used to **taking** it in rush hour.
22. You used to **help** your grandparents.
23. You are getting used to **making** it early.
24. He is getting used to **shopping** without help.
25. She used to **dance** professionally.
26. We are used to **eating** at two.
27. He used to **swim** in the sea.
28. I am getting used to **working** on holidays.
29. We are used to **sleeping** with traffic noise.
30. She used to **sing** in a band.
31. We used to **live** near a farm.
32. I used to **walk** to school too.
33. We are used to **standing** for hours.
34. We are used to **sharing** our workspace.
35. She is used to **reading** while people talk.
36. He used to **drive** a small car.
37. We are getting used to **riding** uphill.
38. He is used to **looking** after twins.
39. They are used to **traveling** with lots of passengers.
40. I used to **draw** buildings.