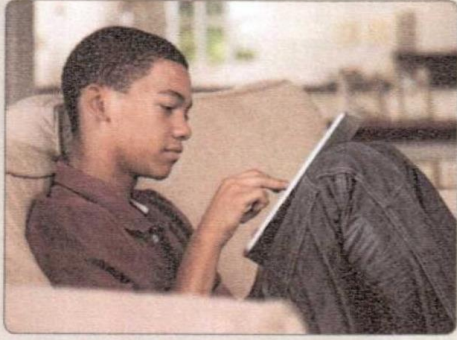


## My Favorite Thing



**Tom**  
My favorite thing is my new tablet. It's really light and quite small, so I take it with me everywhere. I always write messages to friends, and it is big enough to do college work on it, too. It takes really good photos, and I play games and listen to music on it. I often download movies onto it, and watch them in bed. I even read things on it at breakfast time, but my mother does not let me read things at dinner time. I must talk to people then.

**my favorite thing** = the thing that I like very much

**light** ≠ heavy

**quite** = rather = fairly = نسبتاً

**even** = حتی

➤ *The question is easy; even a child can answer it.*

**Point:**

**on the computer** = توی کامپیوتر

**on TV** = توی تلویزیون

**so** = therefore

**college** = a small university

**photo** = photograph

**download** ≠ upload

**on my tablet** = توی تبلت ام

**on my cellphone** = توی گوشی موبایل ام

**let somebody do something** = به کسی اجازه دادن که کاری انجام دهد

➤ *Don't let her upset you.*

➤ *Let your body relax.*

➤ *Will you let me finish?*



### Zahra

It may seem a bit old-fashioned, but my sewing machine is my favorite thing. It is large and heavy, but I like it a lot. I am studying fashion, and I love designing new things. I love clothes, and I often buy second-hand clothes, and then I adapt them to my size. It is easier to do it when I use a machine than when I do it by hand. I do these things for my mom and my sister, too. Customizing clothes by taking things off and adding things on is very exciting and I love it.

**a bit** = a little

**fashion** = مُد = what people like a lot

**old-fashioned** = out of fashion = خَز = از مد افتاده؛ دُمده؛ خَز

**sew** = دوختن، خیاطی کردن

**sewing** = خیاطی، دوزندگی، دوخت و دوز



**sewing machine** = a machine for sewing

**design** = طراحی کردن

➤ *Can you design a website?*

**adapt** = customize; set

**exciting** = very interesting



### Maryam

My favorite thing is my doll named Sara. I got it from my parents at my seventh birthday party. When I see it, I remember my childhood. It's fantastic. My doll is tall and beautiful. It is made in Kanoon. I like it because you can choose all kinds of local clothes for it. Nowadays, it is on my bed. I want to be a little girl again!

**childhood** = when we are children = کودکی

**fantastic** = excellent; great

**Kanoon** = Institute for the Intellectual Development of Children and Young Adults

**Kanoon** = کانون پرورش فکری کودکان و نوجوانان

**choose** = select = برگزیدن؛ انتخاب کردن

**kind** = type

**local** = محلی

**nowadays** = these days