

DICTIONARY - Write the missing words as you hear them
HOME ALONE...OR NOT!!!



1. My name is Ali. I am 12 years old. When I stay **alone** in my house, I feel _____. I _____ at every little _____ I hear! My parents **usually** _____ back from work about 6:00 pm. Sometimes it's later because they have to put _____ in the car on the **way** home or they stop for a coffee _____ after a long day at work.



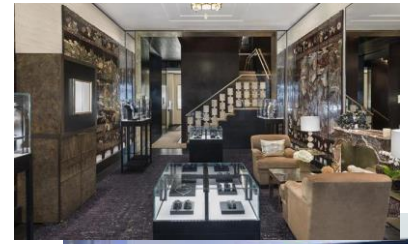
2. I get really _____ if they are not home by 7:00 pm. My mother tells me not to _____ but I can't help it, even though they **call** me and _____ me know when there's a problem. I just **hate** to be there _____ them. I often _____ by the window and _____ to see if I can see their car coming.



3. Sometimes after class, I don't go _____ home but take a walk around town while I wait for them. I like to go into different shops to see what they _____. There is a nice new shop just 50 metres _____ my school and last week I went there _____, Monday and Wednesday.



4. I was _____ to _____ the shop at first because everything looked so expensive! When I was inside, I was very _____ not to _____ anything. I didn't want the shopkeeper or my parents to get _____ with me! There was only one _____ TV in the shop that I liked, but it was very big and _____.



5. If it fell down on me, it would probably _____ my head or I would be _____! I wouldn't want that to _____! So, I thought it was best to just _____ the shop and go home.



6. On the days I go home alone to wait for my parents, I _____ the stairs to my bedroom where I try to _____ my homework before dinner. I **usually** check it _____, because I want to get it all _____, _____ any mistakes.



7. I _____ my face and hands and listen for the _____ of my parents' car as they _____. It is the best _____ in the world to me! In the _____, when I am older, I know I will not stay _____ because I **hate** to be **alone**. For now, I am just happy to be here, with my parents!

