

4. Hans und Otto _____ heute keine Aufgaben.

5. Wir _____ das Wörterbuch.

6. Sie _____ eine nette Familie, Frau Braun.

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Now let's get back to liking something. There are three degrees of liking in German:

Ich habe Biologie gern.

I like biology.

Ich habe Mathe lieber.

I like math better. I prefer math.

Ich habe Deutsch am liebsten.

I like German best (of all).

When you like something, which word do you add to the sentence?

_____ When you like something better than something else, which

word do you add? _____ When you like something best of all,

which words do you add to the sentence? _____ Which

verb do you use when you like something? _____

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Let's see what happens when you like DOING something:

Ich schwimme gern.

I like swimming. I like to swim.

Monika lernt gern Deutsch.

Monika likes learning German.

Er spielt gern Tischtennis.

He likes playing table tennis.

When you like doing something, you use the verb that expresses that action instead of **haben**.

How would you say *I like swimming better?*

How would you say *I like swimming best?*

How would you say *Monika likes learning German better?*

And if she likes learning German best?