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| **Expressing Preferences: Prefer** | | |
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| **FORM:** | **prefer + noun**  or  **prefer + noun + to + noun** | Also: **so + pronoun + prefer + noun + to + noun** |
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| **USE:** | **“Prefer”** can be followed immediately by the “thing” you prefer. If you want to mention the thing you do not prefer, place the preposition “**to”** after the first noun, and place the noun you do not prefer immediately after “**to”** to demonstrate what you or other people like better. It is an alternative to “**would rather + base verb”**.  One can also **use “so”** to show preference | |
| **EXAMPLES:** | *I prefer* rice*. I prefer rice to potatoes.*  Maria loves Chinese food, so she prefers rice to potatoes. | |

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| *Make sentences using PREFER + noun + to + noun.* |

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| 1. | BROCCOLI / CAULIFLOWER  I\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 2. | BACON / SAUSAGE  My cousin\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 3. | REGGAE / JAZZ  My friends\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 4. | WINTER / SUMMER  My best friend\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

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| Make sentences using so + pronoun + PREFER + noun+ to + noun |

1. George’s favourite sport is soccer, so \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. When they are thirsty they always ask for water, so\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. She likes anything made of cotton, so\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4. Ann loves ice cream for dessert, so \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_