Either, Neither or Both Exercise

- BOTH - includes I like both pop music and classical
- EITHER - excludes We could go either to the beach or to the mountains
- NEITHER - for nothing I like neither heavy nor techno music

A Fill the gaps with both, either, either... or, neither or neither... nor.

1. A: Do you want ice cream or apple pie?
   B: Can I have ................................ please.

2. I'm sorry. There isn't enough to go round. You can only have ......................... ice cream or pie.

3. Tony wasn't in class today. ................................ was Caroline. Hmm.

4. How embarrassing! We're ................................ wearing the same jumper.

5. Michael Jackson or Madonna? I don't like ................. of them.

6. I found two pairs of nice jeans in the sales so I bought .........................

7. Both streets go to the station. You can take .........................

8. A: Are you Leo or Virgo?
   B: ................................ I'm Pisces.

9. So who's bringing a tent, ......................... you or Michael?

10. A: What shall we have for lunch, pasta or rice?
    B: ................................ will do. I really don't mind.

11. ................................ you obey your mother or you go to your room.


13. I like ................................. Ana is! Sergio. They're both snobs and obsessed with money.

14. I like ................................ normal paella and seafood paella but my favourite rice dish is arroz a banda.
For each of the questions, rewrite the given sentence(s) using the words provided. Your answer must be in one sentence. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning of the given sentence(s).

Example:
Steven is not going to the movies. Fred is not going to the movies either.
Neither Steven nor Fred is going to the movies.

1. Jack does not like apples. Jim does not like apples either.
Neither Jack nor Jim likes apples.

Neither the English book nor the Chinese book is mine.

3. The dog is not sick. The cat is not sick either.
Neither the dog nor the cat is sick.

4. The chicken is tasteless. The fish is tasteless.
Neither the chicken nor the fish tastes.

5. The man is not acting in the play. The woman is not acting in the play.
Neither the man nor the woman is acting in the play.

6. John does not know how to cycle. George does not know how to cycle either.
Neither John nor George knows how to cycle.

Neither Kim nor Jack speaks English.
Joe is not in the badminton team. David is not in the badminton team.

Neither Joe nor David is in the badminton team.

The food is not ready. The drinks are not ready.

Neither the food nor the drinks are ready.

Both the girls and the boys did not want to go on the roller coaster.

Neither the girls nor the boys want to go on the roller coaster.
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**Example:**

Angela is not at the playground. She is not in the pool.

*Angela is neither at the playground nor in the pool.*

1. The weather is not rainy. It is not windy.
   *The weather is neither rainy nor windy.*

2. The food is not too sweet. The food is not too sour.
   *The food is neither sweet nor sour.*

3. I am not hungry. I am not thirsty.
   *I am neither hungry nor thirsty.*

4. This is not Luke's bag. This is not Tom's bag either.
   *The bag is neither Luke's nor Tom's.*

5. The children have not completed their English assignment. They have not completed their science assignment.
   *The children have neither completed their English Assignment nor their science assignment.*

6. This puppy is not cute. It is not friendly either.
   *This puppy is neither cute nor friendly.*

7. I am not upset or angry with him.
   *I am neither upset nor angry with him.*
There is no basketball practice today. There is no football practice today.

Neither basket ball practice nor football practice today.

Both Peter and Mary are not taking part in the marathon.

Neither Peter nor Mary is taking part in the Marathon.

Both my mother and my father are not in bed.

Neither my mother nor my father is in bed.