




0.1 INTRODUCING TOMMO


1  1.02 Read the text. Name the person and objects in the photo.

My name's Alexi Thomas, but my nickname is Tommo. I'm fifteen and I'm from Woodley Bridge, a small town in the UK. My mum is a nurse at the local hospital and my dad is a carpenter. We've got a very unusual home, a canal boat called *Ocean Princess*. It's small, but I haven't got any brothers or sisters, so there's enough space for the three of us. I've got a cat called Hissy. She's a wild cat and she isn't very friendly!

Life on a boat is fun and it's a great place for my favourite hobby, kayaking. I've got my own kayak and I like going out on the canal before school. I'm interested in nature, and I love drawing and painting wildlife, too, so this is the perfect home for me.

2 Work in pairs. Mark the sentences T (true) or F (false). Correct the false sentences.

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| 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Tommo's real name is Alexi. | 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Tommo's got a younger brother. |
| 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Tommo's parents are doctors. | 5 <input type="checkbox"/> He hasn't got any pets. |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> His home isn't very big. | 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Tommo often goes kayaking before school. |

4  1.03 **I KNOW!** Work in pairs. How many activities and interests can you add to the Vocabulary A box in three minutes?

Vocabulary A Activities and interests

doing nothing going to the cinema listening to music
playing computer games reading books or magazines taking photos



5 Use the Speaking box to tell your partner about your favourite activities and interests.

Speaking Likes and dislikes

I love ... / I like ... / He loves ...
I don't mind ... / She doesn't mind ...
I can't stand ... / He can't stand ...

I love taking photos.