

Vocabulary

Services and recommendations

1 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

assessed deliver did fixed look at made
removed replace

- Frances had to replace the windscreen on her car after the accident.
- Paul used his motorbike to deliver the pizzas to people's homes.
- The builder assessed the condition of the roof after the storm.
- Raoul fixed the television so it's working again now.
- Zara made her make up before she went out for the evening.
- The students removed the graffiti from the wall before their teacher saw it.
- We need to look at the situation and think about how we can improve it.
- My daughter did a cake for my birthday.



2 Choose the correct alternatives.

The builders Cole and Sons installed our new kitchen last week. They did the work while we were on holiday, which was very ¹convenient/conversation for us. I would give Cole and Sons four stars ²out of/up to five for service. They arrived ³on/of time and they cleared up the ⁴mess/message they made. Also, they were ⁵efficient/official because they got the job done in the time they said they would. They did a better job than another builder I got to do work on my house last year. He was ⁶useful/useless and did a terrible job. Never again!

It's important to have people working in your home who you can ⁷trust/treat. I would rather have someone who is ⁸renewable/reliable than someone who is cheap. Actually, the price that Cole and Sons charged us for our kitchen was quite ⁹reasonable/reasonably!

Grammar

have/get something done

3 Match the sentence halves.

- She's having her hair h
 - You can get your mobile phone screen ____
 - He's had repairs ____
 - She has to get the hole in the roof ____
 - Samira got her fitness ____
 - Thomas had his car window ____
 - My aunt has her nails ____
 - You can have your car ____
- a replaced at this shop.
b done to his house.
c assessed at the gym.
d done once a month.
e fixed before it rains again.
f washed at the garage.
g broken while he was on holiday.
h cut at the hairdresser's.

4 Complete the sentences using the noun and verb in brackets and the correct form of have/get something done.

- Sarah gets her nails done (her nails/do) every two weeks.
- I am having my car fixed (my car/fix) at the moment.
- Last week, Tim had a tooth removed (a tooth/remove) at the dentist.
- Stephen had his nose broken (nose/break) in a fight yesterday.
- She had her passport taken away (passport/take away) at the airport last week.
- He can have his tyre replaced (his tyre/replace) at the new garage.
- I have my hair done (hair/do) at this salon for four years.

5 Find and correct five mistakes in sentences 1–8.

- I had my toenails ^{done}~~did~~ last week.
- They got an album made of their wedding photos.
- You can get your broken light fixed at the garage.
- We had some Chinese food delivering an hour ago.
- Did you get your tooth looked at yesterday?
- He made his wallet stolen yesterday.
- We're having our house paint at the moment.
- My car is repaired because the engine is broken.