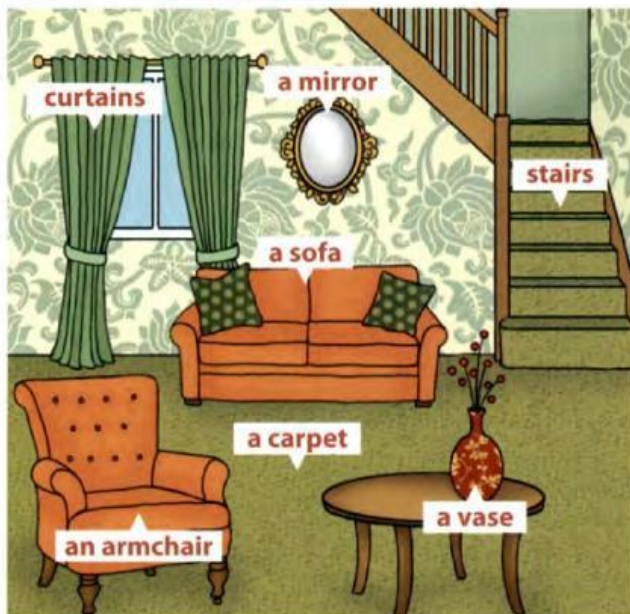


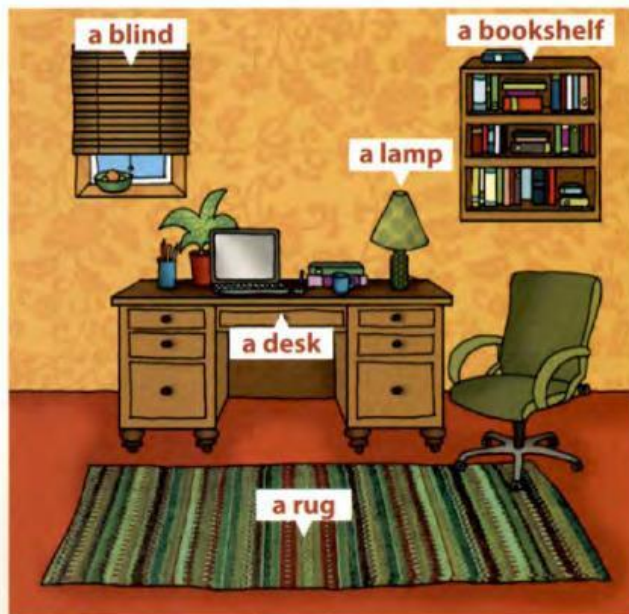
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Words you need...

25.1



► the living room



► the study

upstairs and downstairs

If you are **upstairs**, you are in a higher room in a building. If you are **downstairs**, you are in a lower room.

Exercise 1

Match the descriptions with words from the 'Words you need' box.

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| 1 This covers the floor and makes it soft. <u>carpet</u> | 4 You can look at your face in this. _____ |
| 2 This is comfortable for one person to sit in. _____ | 5 These can cover the window. _____ |
| 3 This is a room where you can work. _____ | 6 You go up these to get to other rooms which are higher. _____ |

Exercise 2

25.2

Use the words from the box to complete Will's description of his day. Listen and check.

lamp bookshelves armchair ~~upstairs~~ study blinds

I am a writer and I work at home. Every day after breakfast, I go ¹ upstairs to start work. I love my ² _____ but it can get very hot at this time of year, so I usually pull down the ³ _____ to stop the sun coming in. Then I switch my ⁴ _____ on. The walls of my study are covered with ⁵ _____ because I have hundreds of books. I work most of the day, but for half an hour after lunch, I sit in my favourite ⁶ _____ and relax by reading the newspaper.

