

GRAMMAR

1 Choose the correct word.

Example: There is / *are* a hotel in the town.

- 1 There *is* / *are* great views from some of the rooms.
- 2 There *are* / *aren't* any people on the beach.
- 3 There are *some* / *any* nice pictures on the wall.
- 4 Are there *some* / *any* tables in the garden?
- 5 There are *some* / *any* beautiful places to visit.

2 Choose the correct word.

Example: Tamas was / *were* a student in 2017.

- 1 *Was* / *Were* he late for work this morning?
- 2 We *were* / *weren't* at home yesterday. We were at the swimming pool.
- 4 Meg *wasn't* / *weren't* in class yesterday.
- 5 *Was* / *Were* you in Brazil on holiday last year?
- 3 They *wasn't* / *weren't* famous.

VOCABULARY

3 Complete the sentences with *in*, *on*, or *under*.

Example: We're eating lunch in a café.

- 1 My room was _____ the third floor of the hotel.
- 2 There was a nice place to sit _____ the trees.
- 3 When I travel, I put my clothes _____ a suitcase.
- 4 Let's meet _____ the big clock in town.
- 5 Please don't leave your clothes _____ the floor.

4 Complete the sentences with *in*, *at*, or *on*.

Paula lives in Madrid. She works ¹ _____ the university, but she doesn't go to work every day. Sometimes she works ² _____ home. There's a small room next to her bedroom and she works ³ _____ this room.

Paula isn't at home right now – she's ⁴ _____ a bus. She wants to meet some friends ⁵ _____ the bus stop in the city centre.

PRONUNCIATION

5 Underline the word that has a different sound.

Example: chair near wear

- 1 where there dear
- 2 near repair their
- 3 here there year
- 4 airport we're where
- 5 idea really year

6 Underline the stressed syllable.

Example: ho|tel

- 1 re|mem|ber
- 2 beau|ti|ful
- 3 vi|sit|or
- 4 u|ni|ver|si|ty
- 5 cen|tu|ry

READING

1 Read the reviews. Complete the sentences with ONE word.

Hotel Reviews – The Lux

I was in The Lux Hotel when we were on holiday last July. I was there with my wife and our room was fantastic. There are great views from many of the rooms and there are lots of things to do near the hotel. There is a nice restaurant in the hotel, but you can also go outside, as there are lots of restaurants near the hotel. We were there for four nights and it was wonderful. Max * * * *

What a terrible hotel. Don't stay in The Lux. I was there with my husband last year and it wasn't good. It's a big hotel...there are 600 rooms. Our room was very small and there was no view from any of the windows. There is a restaurant in the hotel, but the food was terrible and it was very expensive. Lucia *

This hotel is really great! There is a small park near the entrance, and on the fourth floor there is a swimming pool and a spa. There is a restaurant and the food is delicious. Outside the hotel there are a lot of places to visit. I was there with my family for two weeks. The children were really happy. Perfect! Javier * * * * *

I don't like The Lux Hotel, but my wife says it's good. I think she likes it because there are a lot of places to go shopping near the hotel. The bedrooms are okay and there are good views from some of the rooms. There is wi-fi in the hotel, but the price isn't cheap. Ryan ***

Example: There are four reviews of the hotel.

- 1 Max writes that there are great _____ from the rooms.
- 2 Max was in The Lux for _____ nights with his wife.
- 3 There are _____ rooms in the hotel.
- 4 Lucia writes that the restaurant was _____ and the food was terrible.
- 5 Javier's children were very _____ in the hotel.

2 Read the reviews again. Choose True or False.

- 1 There aren't any places to eat outside the hotel.
True False
- 2 Lucia was in The Lux last year with her husband.
True False
- 3 There was a great view from the room Lucia was in.
True False
- 4 Lucia gives The Lux one star in her review.
True False
- 5 There is a park near the hotel.
True False
- 6 There is a swimming pool in the hotel.
True False
- 7 Javier was in the hotel for a week.
True False
- 8 Ryan's wife likes The Lux Hotel.
True False
- 9 There are a lot of shops near the hotel.
True False
- 10 There is cheap wi-fi in the hotel.
True False

WRITING

Answer the holiday questionnaire. Write a short description of your last holiday and the place you stayed in.

Holiday Questionnaire

The holiday

Where were you on your last holiday?

Who were you with?

When were you there?

The hotel

Where was your hotel?

What was there in the hotel?

Was the hotel nice? Why / why not?

LISTENING

1 Listen to a woman talking to a receptionist in a hotel. Choose True or False.

- 1 There is a view of the mountains from one room.
True False
- 2 There isn't a lift.
True False
- 3 The first room the woman sees is small.
True False
- 4 The room on the second floor has a view of the mountains.
True False
- 5 There are three restaurants near the hotel.
True False

2 Listen to five conversations and answer the questions. Choose A, B, or C.

- 1 Where was the man at 7 o'clock yesterday?
A at the swimming pool
B on the bus
C at home
- 2 What does the man say is fantastic in the hotel?
A the views
B the gym
C the swimming pool
- 3 Where was the remote control?
A on the table
B under the table
C under the chair
- 4 Where was the woman on Saturday?
A at the beach
B in the garden
C in the park
- 5 Where was Anton at 7 p.m. last night?
A at home
B in the shopping centre
C in the cinema

SPEAKING

1 Ask your partner these questions.

- 1 Can you describe the house you were in when you were a child? Where was it? What rooms were there in the house?
- 2 Can you remember your bedroom? What was there in the bedroom? What was on the walls?

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3 You are new in your partner's town / area. Ask your partner questions about what there is in the town / area and complete the fact file.

Example: *Is there a...? Are there any...? Where / it? Where / they?*

Town FACT FILE	
What?	Where?
Good places to eat	
Interesting places to visit	
Good places to shop	
Nice parks	
A good cinema	
A place with a beautiful view	

4 Now answer your partner's questions about your town / area.