

Unit 2

HOUSE AND HOME

A. Grammar & Vocabulary

Exercise 1: Read the questions about places in and around the house. Answer the questions with the words in the box.

bathroom	bedroom	garage	garden	hallway	living room
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1. What do you call the place where you go to sleep every night? _____
2. What do you call the place where you can have a wash and brush your teeth? _____
3. What do you call the place where everyone sits together to talk, play games or watch TV? _____
4. What do you call the place where you keep the car? _____
5. What do you call the place that you walk through to move from one room to another? _____
6. What do you call the place where you can be outside and sit on the grass? _____

Exercise 2: Look at the pictures. Choose the correct labels.



1. a freezer/ a fridge 2. a semi-detached house/ a terraced house 3. a desk/ some drawers



4. a living room/ a study 5. an attic/ a basement 6. a cupboard/ a wardrobe



7. a chair/ a sofa



8. a private apartment block/ a university campus

Exercise 3: Match the questions with the answers in the box.

Because I can't cook.
Go down the hall and it's next to living room.
My comfortable bed and my posters.
My parents, my sister and grandparents.
Usually in the living room, sometimes in my bedroom.
Usually in the study, sometimes in my bedroom.
Yes, and I think I'm quite good at it.
Yes, I like it because I can always relax in the garden.

1. What do you like about your room?
2. Who do you live with?
3. Do you like to cook?
4. Where do you watch television?
5. Is it often sunny where you live?
6. Where do you do your homework?
7. Can you tell me where the bathroom is, please?
8. Why do you never go in the kitchen?

Exercise 4: Find the ten words about places and things in and around a house.

Attic Basement Desk Garden Kitchen Sink Shower
Study Television Window

Y	T	Y	D	A	T	T	I	C	T
B	A	S	E	M	E	N	T	S	E
T	R	L	S	S	V	X	I	P	L
X	D	U	K	T	S	E	P	G	E
W	K	I	T	C	H	E	N	A	V
I	B	S	B	U	O	R	Q	R	I
N	Z	T	H	V	W	S	W	D	S
D	I	U	M	Y	E	I	T	E	I
O	H	D	H	S	R	N	I	N	O
W	T	Y	F	S	F	K	V	Q	N

Exercise 5: Correct the underlined mistake in each sentence.

- 1 I really like my certains – they are red and black, and they make my bedroom very dark.
- 2 I have a bright table lamb that I turn on when I do my homework.
- 3 I think potsers make the walls look more interesting – don't you?
- 4 It is good to sleep with two billows – it is very comfortable.
- 5 My brother never cooks – the only thing he can do is turn on the uven!
- 6 Most of my clothes are in my walldrobe – the rest are in the drawers next to my bed.

Exercise 6: Rewrite the sentences using question forms. The first question has been done for you.

1 You help your parents with the housework.

Do you help your parents with the housework?

2 It is OK to come to your house this evening.

3 You can check that the windows are all closed before we go out.

4 You are in the living room next to the kitchen.

5 You want to sit in the garden.

6 The apartments in the UK are very different from the apartments in your country.

Exercise 7: Find and rewrite the four mistakes in the sentences. Two sentences are correct.

1. In my country, people live usually in apartments and not houses.

2. My uncle keeps always his car in the garage because it is very expensive.

3. Our sink sometimes makes a very strange noise.

4. I have a housemate but I don't see very often him – he is always studying.

5. In your country, do people usually celebrate their 18th birthday with a party?

6. Do you prefer do your homework in your bedroom?

Exercise 8: Put the words in the correct order to make sentences and questions.

1. Up does washing the never he .

2. Advice you can some me give ?

3. 8 a.m. always my house at leave I .

4. Go off what does usually alarm your time ?

5. House my cousin to my for comes often .

6. Where live want do to you in the future ?

7. You how many with do live people ?

8. Live do on you the university campus ?

B. Language Builder

Exercise 1: Match the sentence halves.

1. My grandfather	●		●	is my father's sister.
2. My uncle	●		●	is the child of my aunt.
3. My aunt	●		●	is my father's mother.
4. My grandmother	●		●	is my mother's son.
5. My cousin	●		●	is my mother's father.
6. My brother	●		●	is my mother's brother.
7. My sister	●		●	is my father's daughter.

Exercise 2: Match the formal and informal family words. Use the words in the box.

Auntie dad grandma grandpa kids mum

Formal	Informal
1. father	_____
2. mother	_____
3. grandmother	_____
4. grandfather	_____
5. aunt	_____
6. children	_____