Describing houses and rooms beautifully restored charming contemporary conveniently located cosy cramped dilapidated impressive peaceful popular / lively area remote spacious substantial tiny

2.04 Listen Complete the sentences with words and phrases

1 It's _____ near to the shops.
2 We're in a very _____ of town.
3 On the right is the living room. _____, isn't it?
4 'It's _____.' 'It certainly isn't _____, but I wouldn't say it's _____.'
5 The back fence is very _____.
6 There's a _____ view from the window.
7 It could be _____.

9 2.05 Listen to four people describing their homes. Match sentences a–e with speakers 1–4. There is one extra sentence.

This home:

a is not as modern as the owners would like. ___
b did not cost very much. ___
c is very dilapidated. ___
d has got wonderful views. ___
e is in a remote location. ___

10 2.05 SPEAKING Listen again. What types of home were described in exercise 9?

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2.05 **Read the Recycle! box. Circle the correct words to complete the sentences. Then listen again and check.**

1 **a** It was in a pretty poor state and needed **some** / **any** work doing on it.
   b Unfortunately, there aren't **some** / **any** spaces for boats near the centre.
2 **a** You reach it through **some** / **any** glass sliding doors from the living room.
   b Unfortunately, my parents don't earn **much** / **many** money, so we can't afford to move.
3 There aren't **much** / **many** people living nearby.
4 They also need to insulate the roof so we don't waste **some** / **any** energy.

1.17 **Listen to someone describing their ideal home. Complete the description with the missing words.**

My ideal home is in the city. It's a [1] _____ flat, in an [2] _____, modern building in a [3] _____. It's [4] _____ for shops, restaurants and cinemas. Inside, it isn't at all [5] _____. In fact, it's very [6] _____.

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