

# BRING and TAKE

## BRING

We ask people to bring things to the place where we are.

Bring is used in relation to a **destination**:

## TAKE

We take things to the place we are going to.

We take them from the place where we are to another place.

Take is used in relation to a **starting point**.

## Attention

Read the following sentences

Bring a jumper with you in case it gets cold.

Take a jumper with you in case it gets cold.

**Both can be correct.**

In the former example, the meaning is to carry the jacket with you to where you are going. This could be something the person you're joining would say to you.

In the latter example, the meaning is to take it away from your starting point. It sounds like something Mom would say as you're running out of the house.

Insert bring or take in the correct tense

- 1) ..... this book back to the library, please.
- 2) Could you ..... me that pen, please?
- 3) He often .....his twin sister to the cinema.
- 4) When you come to my party, don't forget .....some food.
- 5) He is .....out the rubbish now.
- 6) My husband often .....me flowers when he comes home.
- 7) Would you .....this to the laundry for me?
- 8) Can you .....the car to the garage on Wednesday?
- 9 Can you..... me to the station?
- 10 I've .....my car with me.
- 11 Would you mind .....your newspaper over here?
- 12 She wants you to .....her away from here.
- 13 When you come to my house .....your sister with you.
- 14 If you go shopping, .....your credit card with you.
- 15 If you decide to join us on the beach, don't forget ..... a scarf . It's always windy there.
- 16 Bye bye Jimmy. Have you .....an umbrella with you? It might rain later.