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Speakout Starter 2

Unit 9

can / can't

1 Put the words in the correct order.

1 Spanish can speak I _____
2 you CD a can burn ? _____
3 can I yes _____
4 she but can can't dance she sing _____
5 swim they can 100 metres ? _____
6 they no can't _____

2a Read about Sara. Tick [✔] what she can do and cross [✘] what she can't do.

Hi! I'm Sara. What can I do? I can read music and I can play the piano, but I can't play the guitar. I can't sing but I can dance. I can't swim or ride a horse.

	Sara	You
dance		
play the guitar		
play the piano		
read music	✔	
ride a horse		
sing		
swim		

2b Now tick [✔] what *you* can do and cross [✘] what you can't do.

3 Write sentences about what you can or can't do.
e.g. *I can play the piano, but I can't play the guitar.*

_____
_____
_____

4 Complete these sentences with *can* or *can't*.

KIERAN Hi Carl! What's that?
CARL It's my guitar.
KIERAN (1) _____ you play the guitar?
CARL Yes, I (2) _____
KIERAN Wow!
CARL (3) _____ you play a musical instrument?
KIERAN No, I (4) _____, but I (5) _____ sing.
CARL Oh! I (6) _____
KIERAN (7) _____ you play the piano?
CARL No, I (8) _____, I (9) _____ only play the guitar.

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