

Photo description

I can describe photos.

- 1 Complete the natural world nouns. Use *a, e, i, o, u* and *y*. Can you see any of these things in photos A and B? Write three or four of the words below each photo.

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| 1 b ____ ch | 9 sk ____ |
| 2 cl ____ d | 10 s ____ |
| 3 gr ____ ss | 11 sn ____ w |
| 4 fl ____ w ____ r | 12 st ____ rs |
| 5 gr ____ nd | 13 s ____ nr ____ s ____ |
| 6 m ____ n | 14 s ____ ns ____ t |
| 7 m ____ nt ____ ns | 15 tr ____ |
| 8 s ____ nd | 16 w ____ t ____ r |



- 2 **2.05** Listen to two students describing photos A and B above. Which nouns from exercise 1 do the students use?

Student 1 uses _____. Student 2 uses _____, _____ and _____.

Speaking Strategy

When you describe a photo, begin by saying what the photo shows in general. Then describe different parts of the photo using phrases like 'in the centre'. Remember to use present tenses in your description.

- 3 **2.05** Read the Speaking Strategy. Then listen again. Which advice does each student follow? Tick the boxes.

	Student 1	Student 2
1 begins by saying what the photo shows in general		
2 describes different parts of the photo		
3 uses present tenses		

- 4 Circle the correct words to complete the sentences.

Photo A:

- 1 In / On the centre, there's a bear.
- 2 There's a man in / on the right.
- 3 The man is facing / looking the bear.
- 4 The bear is sitting / standing by the tent.
- 5 There are some trees in the background / foreground.

Photo B:

- 1 In the background / foreground there are two people.
- 2 At / In the distance, there's an island.
- 3 At the top / bottom of the photo there are two dolphins.
- 4 The man and the woman are standing / lying in the water.
- 5 The man and the woman are / aren't facing the dolphins.



- 5 Look at the photo. Answer the questions below.

- 1 What kind of animal is in the foreground?

- 2 What is in the centre of the photo?

- 3 Is the animal sitting, lying or standing?

- 4 Are the people sitting, lying or standing?

- 5 Is the animal facing the people?

- 6 What can you see in the background?

- 6 Now describe the photo using your ideas from exercise 5.