

The house

VOCABULARY BANK

1 ROOMS

Match the words and pictures 1–9.

- a bathroom /bəˈθʊrʊm/
- a bedroom /ˈbedrʊm/
- a dining room /ˈdaɪnɪŋ rʊm/
- a garage /gəˈrɑːdʒ/
- a hall /hɔːl/
- a kitchen /ˈkɪtʃən/
- a living room /ˈlɪvɪŋ rʊm/
- 1 a study / an office /ˈstʌdi/ /ˈɒfəs/
- a yard /jɑːd/

2 PARTS OF A ROOM

Match the words and pictures 10–14.

- a balcony /bəˈlɒkəni/
- the ceiling /ˈsiːlɪŋ/
- the floor /flɔːr/
- the stairs /steɪz/
- the wall /wɔːl/

3 THINGS IN A ROOM

a Match the words and pictures 15–31.

- an armchair /ˈɑːmtʃeɪ/
- a bathtub /bəˈθʌtʌb/
- a bed /bed/
- a cupboard /ˈkʌpbɔːd/
- a fireplace /ˈfaɪəpleɪs/
- a lamp /læmp/
- a light /laɪt/
- a mirror /ˈmɪrər/
- a plant /plænt/
- a refrigerator / a fridge /rɪˈfrɪdʒəreɪtər/ /frɪdʒ/
- a rug /rʌg/
- a shelf (shelves) /ʃelf/
- a shower /ˈʃaʊər/
- a sofa / a couch /ˈsoʊfə/ /kaʊtʃ/
- a stove /stoʊv/
- a toilet /ˈtɔɪlət/
- a washing machine /ˈwɒʃɪŋ məˈʃiːn/



Heat and central air conditioning

Heat is a system that makes a house warm, usually using an oil, gas, or electric furnace. Central air conditioning is a system that makes a house cool.

8B VOCABULARY Race around the house

Find the objects from the clues. The winner is the first person to have all the household objects.

Circle *a* or *an*.

- 1 It's usually in a living room. It's for one person to sit on. It's very comfortable. a / (an) armchair
- 2 It's on a table or wall. You turn it on when it's dark. a / an _____
- 3 You put these on the walls to decorate the rooms. _____
- 4 You can see yourself in it. a / an _____
- 5 A room where you sleep. a / an _____
- 6 This is on the floor. It decorates the room. a / an _____
- 7 It's in the kitchen. You cook on it. It can be gas or electric. a / an _____
- 8 In summer you turn it on when it's hot. _____
- 9 You use these to go from the first floor to the second floor in a house. _____
- 10 In the kitchen, you put the glasses and plates in this. a / an _____
- 11 You put milk, eggs, and vegetables in it. It keeps food cool and fresh. a / an _____
- 12 It's a room where you wash. a / an _____
- 13 A room has four walls, a floor, and ... a / an _____
- 14 You clean your dirty clothes in this. a / an _____