

## can questions and short answers

?	Short answers
Can I swim?	Yes, I <b>can</b> . / No, I <b>can't</b> .
Can you swim?	Yes, you <b>can</b> . / No, you <b>can't</b> .
Can he/she/it swim?	Yes, he/she/it <b>can</b> . / No, he/she/it <b>can't</b> .
Can we/you/they swim?	Yes, we/you/they <b>can</b> . / No, we/you/they <b>can't</b> .

What **can** we **do**? We **can help**.

## 1 Read the sentences and write questions.

- They can swim. Can they swim?
- I can draw. \_\_\_\_\_
- Tom can run fast. \_\_\_\_\_
- May can sing well. \_\_\_\_\_
- We can help. \_\_\_\_\_
- The cat can climb. \_\_\_\_\_

## 2 Look at the picture. Answer the questions with the short answers in the box.

Yes, he can. No, he can't. No, she can't.  
No, it can't. ~~Yes, they can.~~ No, they can't.



- Can Kit and Dug see the boat? Yes, they can.
- Can the boy and girl swim? \_\_\_\_\_
- Can their mum swim? \_\_\_\_\_
- Can Dug swim? \_\_\_\_\_
- Can the small dog help? \_\_\_\_\_
- Can Dug help? \_\_\_\_\_

## 3 Write questions.

- you / fix a bike?  
Can you fix a bike?
- you / play volleyball?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- your mum / speak English?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- your classmates / speak Spanish?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- you / ride a horse?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- your best friend / play the piano?  
\_\_\_\_\_

## 4 Answer the questions in Exercise 3 so that they are true for you.

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

## \* 5 Complete the dialogues with the correct form of the verb can and the verbs in the box.

dance help play see



- A: <sup>1</sup> Can you <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ those red apples?

B: Yes, I <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.

A: <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ me, please? I'm too short.

B: No problem.
- A: <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ they <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_?

B: Yes, they <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.

A: <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ the girl <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ the piano too?

B: No, she <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.