

Circle a or b.

- 1 Are you \_\_\_\_\_ right now?  
 a work  b working
- 2 She \_\_\_\_\_ staying in a very good hotel.  
 a isn't  b doesn't
- 3 He \_\_\_\_\_ his homework now.  
 a doing  b is doing
- 4 A \_\_\_\_\_ raining?  
B No, it isn't.  
 a Is it  b It's
- 5 Can you talk now, or \_\_\_\_\_?  
 a are you driving  b do you drive
- 6 \_\_\_\_\_ to work by train?  
 a Do you usually go  
 b Are you usually going
- 7 I usually wear jeans, but today \_\_\_\_\_ a skirt.  
 a I wear  b I'm wearing
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_ two beds in the room.  
 a There is  b There are
- 9 There aren't \_\_\_\_\_ windows.  
 a some  b any
- 10 \_\_\_\_\_ any towels in the bathroom?  
 a Are there  b There are
- 11 Is there a swimming pool? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a there's  b there is
- 12 It \_\_\_\_\_ very hot last summer.  
 a was  b were
- 13 Where \_\_\_\_\_ you yesterday at six o'clock?  
 a was  b were
- 14 Karen \_\_\_\_\_ at school yesterday.  
 a wasn't  b not was
- 15 \_\_\_\_\_ at home last night?  
 a They were  b Were they

# Vocabulary (page 64)

## a Complete the phrases with a verb from the list.

arriving calling carrying staying waiting wearing

We're *staying* in a beautiful hotel in the mountains.

- A What are you doing here?  
B I'm  for my girlfriend. She's late.
- A Who are you ? B My mother. It's her birthday.
- Go and help that woman. She's  a very big suitcase.
- Look! The train's . Can you see it?
- Why are you  sunglasses? It's 11:00 in the evening!

## b Write the clothes.



shoes

1



2



3



4



5



6



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## c Complete the words.

Would you like to have dinner in the hotel *restaurant*?

- When you arrive at a hotel you go to r  to check in.
- You're in room 1122. Take the e  to the 11th floor.
- I want to buy some presents. Is there a g  sh .
- The b s small. There's a shower, but there isn't a bathtub.
- You can leave your car in the hotel p  l .

## d Look at the picture. Complete the sentences with *in*, *on*, or *under*.

The book is *on* the chair.

- The suitcase is  the bed.
- The laptop is  the bed.
- The lamps are  the tables.
- The boots are  the chair.
- The suitcases are  the closet.



## e Complete with *at*, *in*, or *on*.

Oh no! The keys are *in* my car.

- A Where's your mother? B I think she's  the kitchen.
- A Mike? It's Tim. B Sorry, I can't hear you. I'm  a train.
- A Is John here today?  
B No, he's  home. One of his children isn't well.

### CAN YOU understand this text?

a Jenna and Max are going to New Orleans for the weekend. Read Jenna's tweets and number them 1–6.

- A  Our first dinner! 😊 We're having an amazing dinner in a restaurant in the French Quarter, near the hotel. I love the "gumbo" (a thick fish soup) and the rice and beans.
- B  Our last morning! I don't want to go home! 😞 Maybe I can get a job in New Orleans?
- C  We're now at the hotel. Our room's great. There's a balcony and a view of Louis Armstrong Park! I'm taking photos of everything for my blog.
- D  We're in the NOMA sculpture garden, looking at Robert Indiana's "Love" sculpture. I love it! Then we're going to the river for lunch! 🌞
- E  The gumbo was great. We're now lying on our bed watching a football game — the New Orleans Saints and the Tampa Bay Buccaneers. Come on, New Orleans! But Max prefers Tampa Bay...
- F  We're waiting for the taxi to arrive and feeling a little nervous! Our flight's at 10:30. Please hurry, taxi driver! New Orleans, here we come!

b Match the photos to the highlighted phrases in the tweets.



Listening  
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**▶ CAN YOU** understand these people?

🕒 10.19 Watch or listen and answer the questions.



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**9&10**

Review and Check  
Can you understand these people?

Watch on YouTube

- 1 Today Daniel is \_\_\_\_ in New York.  
 a seeing a friend  
 b visiting a museum  
 c doing some work
- 2 Julie usually wears \_\_\_\_ for work  
 a shorts and a top  
 b a skirt and a sweater  
 c a skirt and a top
- 3 Jayna would like to live in England because she likes \_\_\_\_.  
 a its people  
 b its weather  
 c its history
- 4 Rytis's hotel is \_\_\_\_.  
 a in a great location  
 b not very nice  
 c quiet and clean
- 5 Last night at 10 o'clock Spencer was \_\_\_\_.  
 a at home  
 b in a hotel  
 c in a pub

**CAN YOU** say this in English?

Check (✓) the boxes.

**Can you...?**

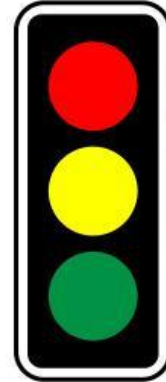
- 1 talk about what you're doing now
- 2 say what you're wearing
- 3 say what you would like to do
- 4 identify things in a hotel room
- 5 ask about facilities in a hotel
- 6 say where you were yesterday, last night, etc.

**Yes, I can.**

# Let's finish this lesson!

What did we cover?

What vocabulary do you remember?



This was difficult for me

I just need more practice!

I can totally explain this to other people!