11B SHE CAN PULL A PLANE

1 GRAMMAR *can* for ability

a Underline the correct words to complete the sentences and questions.

1 Your pictures are beautiful! You *can* / *can't* paint very well.
2 **A** *You can* / *Can you* cook?
B Yes, *can I* / *I can*.
3 I like music, but I *can't* / *can* sing at all. I'm a terrible singer!
4 Jenny *can to* / *can* speak Spanish very well.
5 **A** *Can he* / *Cans he* run 10 km?
B No, he *can't* / *doesn't*.
6 They're good swimmers. They *can swim very well* / *can very well swim*.

b 11.03 Listen and check.

c Complete the sentences with *can* or *can't* and a verb in the box.

drive play read say ~~speak~~ swim teach write

1 James can speak Italian quite well.
2 He goes to the beach every day, but he never goes in the water because he _____.
3 Their daughter is only four, but she _____ books.
4 _____ you _____ a car?
5 I like children, but I _____ them. I'm not a teacher.
6 Listen to this! We _____ 'Hello' in Chinese.
7 Look at this! I _____ 'Hello' in Turkish.
8 I'd like to have guitar lessons. I often listen to guitar music, but I _____ the guitar at all.

2 VOCABULARY Abilities

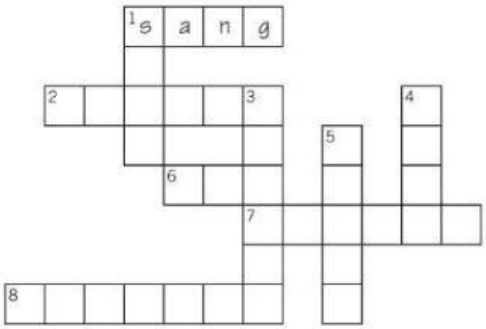
a Match 1–8 to a–h to make questions.

1 [f] Can you ride
2 [ ] When did you last paint
3 [ ] How often do you cook
4 [ ] You're at a party and you like the music. Do you
5 [ ] Did you sing
6 [ ] Can you run
7 [ ] Do people swim
8 [ ] How often do you drive

a in the sea in your country?
b dance?
c a meal for a lot of people?
d 5 km?
e a picture?
f a horse?
g a song yesterday?
h a car?

b 11.04 Listen and check.

c Complete the crossword puzzle with past simple verbs.



→ Across

1 In the evening, we sat outside and sang _____ songs.
2 I p_____ basketball every day when I was in high school.
6 We r_____ 5 km in the park this morning.
7 Ellie c_____ dinner yesterday. It was very good.
8 Gino p_____ a picture of the flowers in the garden.

↓ Down

1 I only s_____ for five minutes because the water was very cold!
3 The music was really good and we d_____ all night.
4 Noah r_____ his bicycle to school every day last week.
5 I d_____ our new car for the first time yesterday.

3 PRONUNCIATION *can* / *can't*

a 11.05 Listen to the sentences. Which words are stressed? Tick (✓) the correct box.

1 a [ ] I can swim.
b [✓] I can swim.
2 a [ ] Can you drive?
b [ ] Can you drive?
3 a [ ] Yes, I can.
b [ ] Yes, I can.
4 a [ ] Jim can't sing.
b [ ] Jim can't sing.
5 a [ ] Can he dance?
b [ ] Can he dance?
6 a [ ] No, he can't.
b [ ] No, he can't.

LIVEWORKSHEETS