

GRAMMAR

there is, there are

2 A Choose the correct alternative.

- 1 There **is** / **are** two train stations in this city.
- 2 There **isn't** / **aren't** a swimming pool at the hotel.
- 3 Are there **some** / **any** museums in your town?
- 4 There **is** / **are** a cinema near my house.
- 5 A: Is there a hospital near your house?
B: No, there **isn't** / **aren't**.
- 6 **Is** / **Are** there a post office?
- 7 There **isn't** / **aren't** any hotels here.
- 8 Are there **a** / **any** good schools here?

B Complete the conversation with the correct form of *there is / are (not)*. Use contractions where possible.

A: Do you like your new apartment?

B: Yes, it's great! ¹ a big kitchen, a living room
and there ² two bedrooms.

A: Is ³ a garden?

B: No, there ⁴, but it's next to a park.

A: Do you live in the town centre?

B: Yes, it's great! ⁵ a cinema, a museum and
a library near me. There ⁶ any sports
centres, but ⁷ a swimming pool.

A: ⁸ there a train station?

B: No, there ⁹, but ¹⁰ a bus station.

D The sentences below have a mistake. Choose the best option to correct the mistake.

- 1 Is an airport five kilometres from my house.
a There **b** There's **c** Are
- 2 Are there a post office?
a There are **b** There is **c** Is there
- 3 A: Is there a swimming pool near the school?
B: Yes, there are.
a there's **b** is there **c** there is
- 4 There aren't a libraries in the town centre.
a any **b** some **c** no