

THE INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR



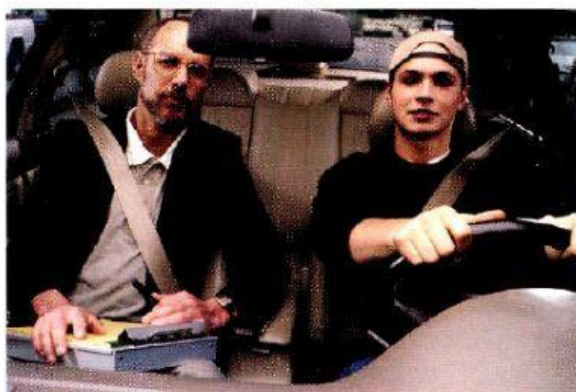
Lesson 6

Activity 1: Listen to and complete the following dialogue between a driving instructor and a learner taking a first driving lesson.



headlights seat belt ignition pedals rear-view mirror

- Instructor* OK, so you're sitting in the car. What do you do now?
- Learner* Well, I start the car. No, wait! I check behind me first before I drive away.
- Instructor* You've forgotten something.
- Learner* Of course, I fasten my _____¹ first.
- Instructor* Even before you fasten your seat belt there are things you need to do. First of all, are you sitting comfortably?
- Learner* Not really. The seat is a bit too far from the _____².
- Instructor* So you need to adjust the seat, right? Use the two levers there to adjust the position and the height. You can also adjust the steering wheel. So now you're sitting comfortably. What should you check now?
- Learner* That the _____³ mirror is in the right position. And the side mirror.
- Instructor* Quite right. What next?
- Learner* Well, if it's dark, I need to switch on the _____⁴.
- Instructor* Good. Finally, before you put the key into the _____⁵, what should you do?
- Learner* Now I fasten my seat belt.



Activity 2: Complete the table. Some nouns can go in more than one column.

bonnet • boot • door • fog lights • fuel • glove compartment • headlights • headrest • indicator • oil level • petrol cap • rear-view mirror • seat belt • seat height • seat position • side mirror • steering wheel • sunroof • tyre pressure • windscreen wipers

Open/Close	Adjust	Switch on/off	Check
bonnet	rear-view mirror	fog lights	oil level

Activity 3: Complete these sentences with "and" or "but".

1. That pick up has airbags _____ the seat belts are all broken!
2. The GPS works well _____ the headlights don't.
3. My car has a cigarette lighter _____ a cup holder.
4. The car has a windscreen _____ it doesn't have one of the wipers.
5. The door has a hard plastic handle _____ a tray.
6. The sun visor has a crack on it _____ the rear-view mirror too.

Activity 4: Look at the picture and describe the interior of this car using there is and there are and the words in the box.

seats steering wheel gearshift air vent hands-free telephone
cup holder seat belts glove compartment door tray



There is _____

There isn't _____

There are _____

Activity 5: Study this table.

HAVE / HAS				
AFFIRMATIVE	I	<u>have</u> a sports car.	HE	<u>has</u> a convertible.
	YOU		SHE	
	WE		IT	
	THEY			
NEGATIVE	I	<u>don't have</u> a sports car.	HE	<u>doesn't have</u> a convertible.
	YOU		SHE	
	WE		IT	
	THEY			

Activity 6: Complete the sentences with: *have*, *has*, *don't have* and *doesn't have*. Then, use the table in activity 5 to check your sentences.



The Sedan de Ville is a 1959 Cadillac but it _____ advanced engineering features. It _____ electrically powered windows. The driver can lock and unlock all the doors from the seat because they all _____ an electric switch. This old model _____ power steering that makes parking easy. It _____ a heater and air conditioning. However, it _____ a CD player or a telephone. It _____ a GPS either. As it _____ automatic cruise control, you can save money on fuel. The Sedan de Ville _____ fins but other cadillacs _____ this feature.



The new Cadillac CT6 _____ an eight cylinder engine as the Sedan de Ville but _____ a four cylinder engine that makes it lighter. Besides, these cars _____ an advanced omega chassis that uses 11 different materials to lose pounds.