



A: Can she play tennis?
B: Yes she can.



A: Can he play tennis?
B: No he can't.

Presentation

Affirmative and negative

I/You He/She/It We/You/They	can can't (cannot)	play table tennis. speak English. swim.
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Questions

Can	I/you he/she/it we/you/they	swim? play the piano? speak Spanish?
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Short answers

Yes,	I/you he/she/it	can.
No,	we/you/they	can't.

Key vocabulary **Everyday actions:** play, swim, run, cook, speak, fly, drive, walk, sing

Exercises

1 Match the two parts of the sentences.

1 I can play	<input type="checkbox"/> b	a I can.
2 No,	<input type="checkbox"/>	b the piano.
3 Can you	<input type="checkbox"/>	c swim.
4 I can't	<input type="checkbox"/>	d a bike?
5 Yes,	<input type="checkbox"/>	e speak French?
6 Can you ride	<input type="checkbox"/>	f I can't.

2 Choose the correct word.

- 1 *Can* / *Can't* you speak Russian?
- 2 My parents can speak Italian and they *can* / *can't* speak English.
- 3 No, I *can* / *can't*.
- 4 I can't play the guitar but I *can* / *can't* sing.
- 5 Can you *drive* / *ride* a car?
- 6 Yes, I *can* / *can't*.

3 Complete the conversations with *can* or *can't*.

Conversation 1

A: ¹ *Can* you speak German?
 B: No, I ² but I ³ speak Japanese.

Conversation 2

A: ⁴ she play the piano?
 B: Yes, she ⁵ And she ⁶ sing.

Conversation 3

A: ⁷ your son drive a car?
 B: No, he ⁸ but he ⁹ ride a bike.

Conversation 4

A: I can cook pasta. ¹⁰ you?
 B: Yes, I ¹¹

Conversation 5

A: ¹² your children swim?
 B: No, they ¹³

4 Write three sentences about you with *can*.

For example: I can swim.

- 1 I can *
- 2 I can *
- 3 I can *

5 Write three questions with *Can you ... ?* Then ask your partner.

- 1 Can you ?
- 2 Can you ?
- 3 Can you ?