

1. Read the text about houses in Tokyo. Then, choose the correct option to answer the following question:

a. What's "compact" in English?

☐ small

☐ big

Compact houses in Tokyo



A solution in an expensive capital city

Japan is a small country with a lot of people. In Tokyo, the capital city, there are over 12 million people. Tokyo is a good place to live because there are excellent schools and very good jobs. But homes in Tokyo are very expensive.

Some people live in very small houses. They are called 'compact houses'. Mayumi Takayanagi and her parents live in Tokyo. They have got a compact house.

Hello! I'm Mayumi



The house has got three levels. On the ground floor, there is a living room. On the first floor, there is a kitchen and a bedroom. Mayumi's bedroom is on the second floor. The house hasn't got a garden.

Mayumi and her parents are happy in the house. It has got big windows and there is a lot of light. It is very small, but it is in Tokyo!

	Japan (country)	Tokyo (capital city)	Buenos Aires (province)
Area (km ²)	378,000	13,500	307,571
Population	125,000,000	12,000,000	14,000,000

2. Read the text again. Are the following sentences true or false?

True  or false 

☐ Tokyo is the capital city of Japan.

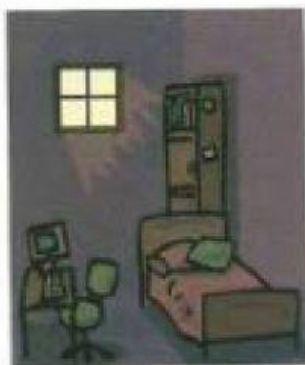
☐ In Tokyo, the houses are big.

☐ Mayumi and her parents like their house.

☐ Mayumi's house has got a small garden.

3. Which is Mayumi's bedroom? Tick the correct picture.

Mayumi's bedroom:



a. ☐



b. ☐

What about you?

What objects are in YOUR bedroom? Mention at least 3 objects.
