

HOME SWEET HOME

Lesson preparation

Listen and fill in the gaps

I live in an opal mining town called Coober Pedy, in Australia. It's in the _____ about 850 km north of Adelaide, the nearest city. I lived in Adelaide for _____ years before I moved to Coober Pedy, but I _____ living here. The strange thing about this town is that 80% of people live _____. This is usually because it is over 50 degree in the _____ and below freezing in _____. But the best thing about underground houses is that it's always about 25 degree, so we don't need air conditioning or _____. My family and I have live in this house for five years. It's just like a normal house - but without any _____.

I live on _____ on the River Seine with my husband, Alain and my _____, Isabel. I met Alain eight years ago when I was on _____ here in Paris – I'm from Ireland originally, you see. We've been married for six years and I've lived here since our wedding day. The boat has got everything we want – a kitchen, a big living room, two _____, a bathroom, central heating and a small _____. Alain's lived on this boat since _____ – he never wants to live anywhere else and _____ do I. The best thing about our home is that it moves. We can leave _____ and go anywhere we want.