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A house with a history

I. GRAMMAR

1. Complete the dialogue with the correct form of *there is/ there are* and, if necessary, *a, some* or *any*.

A Hello. I'm interested in the flat to rent.

B Oh, OK Let me tell you about it. ¹ There's a large living room and ² _____ small kitchen.

A ³ _____ table in the kitchen?

B No, ⁴ _____. But ⁵ _____ very nice dining room with a table and some chairs.

A That's fine. What about the bedrooms. How many bedrooms ⁶ _____?

B ⁷ _____ three bedrooms and a bathroom.

A ⁸ _____ shower in the bathroom?

B Yes, ⁹ _____.

A Good. ¹⁰ _____ bookshelves in the living room?

B No, I'm sorry. But ¹¹ _____ cupboards.

A That's OK. I think it's perfect for us. How much is it?

2. Write the sentences in the plural using *some* or *any*.

- 1 There's an armchair in the living room.
There are some armchairs in the living room.
- 2 Is there a carpet downstairs?
_____?
- 3 There's a CD on the shelf.
_____.
- 4 Is there a glass in the cupboard?
_____?
- 5 There isn't a file in the study.
_____.

3. Choose the correct form.

¹ **It's** / **There's** a nice flat and ² **it isn't** / **there isn't** very expensive. ³ **There are** / **They are** two rooms but ⁴ **there aren't** / **they aren't** very big. ⁵ **There's** / **It is** a small kitchen and a bathroom. ⁶ **There isn't** / **It isn't** a bath in the bathroom, but ⁷ **it's** / **there's** a new shower. The flat is on the 10th floor, so ⁸ **there's** / **it is** a fantastic view of the city. And ⁹ **there's** / **it's** a very large balcony with a lot of flowers. ¹⁰ **They are** / **There are** beautiful in the summer!

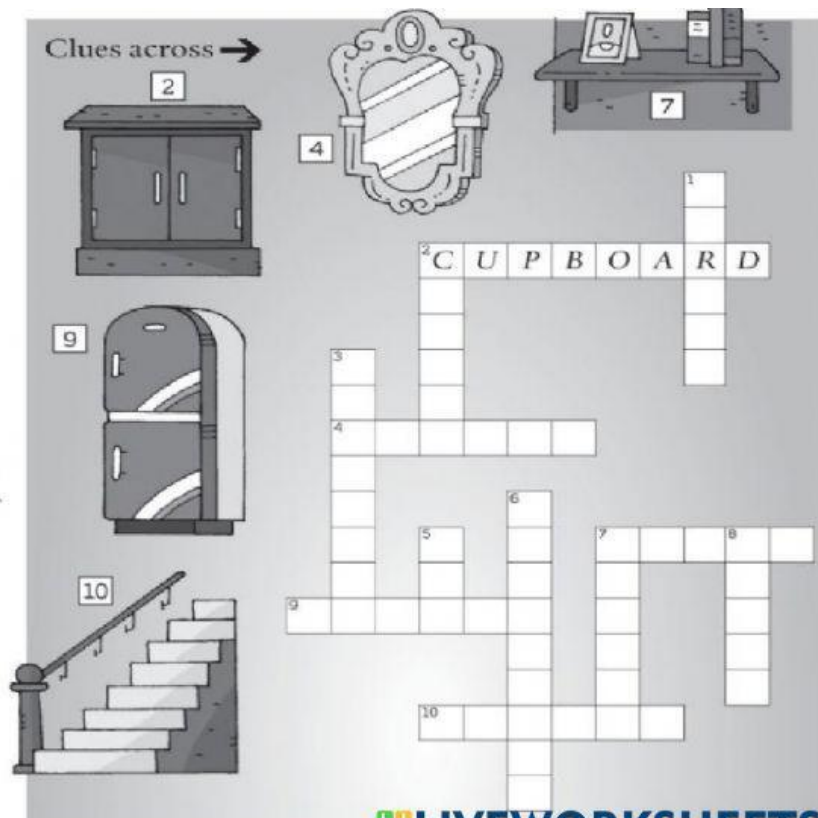
II. VOCABULARY

1. Complete the crossword.

Clues down ↓



Clues across →



2. Write the room.

- 1 You usually take off your coat in the hall.
- 2 You usually have a shower in the b_____.
- 3 You usually have dinner in the d_____ r_____.
- 4 You usually use a computer in the st_____.
- 5 You usually park your car in the g_____.
- 6 You usually make lunch in the k_____.
- 7 You usually watch television in the l_____ r_____.
- 8 You usually sleep in the b_____.
- 9 You usually sit outside in the g_____.

III. PRONUNCIATION

1. Choose the word with a different sound.

 chair	1 they're there dear
 ear	2 beer stairs near
 chair	3 where wear we're
 ear	4 here hair hear

2. Choose the stressed syllable.

- 1 car|pet
- 2 mi|rror
- 3 cu|pboard

- 4 bal|co|ny
- 5 coo|ker
- 6 so|fa

- 7 arm|chair
- 8 ga|rage
- 9 cei|ling