

Test 2 – Unit 8 (book)

Part 1: Listening

1 Listen and say if the sentences are True (T) or False (F):



1. Andy's tour started in the kitchen \_\_\_\_
2. There is a lamp next to his chair \_\_\_\_
3. The kitchen and the living room are in different places of the house \_\_\_\_
4. Andy's wife works from home \_\_\_\_
5. She keeps her books and papers in front of the desk \_\_\_\_
6. There isn't a mirror in his bedroom \_\_\_\_

Part 2: Reading

2 Read the adverts and tick (✓) A, B, or C.

HOUSES TO RENT

**Downland Cottage** is a small house just two minutes from the library and ten minutes from the centre of town. Downstairs, there is a living room, a small dining room and a modern kitchen. Upstairs, there are two bedrooms and a large bathroom. The house is over 100 years old, but it has a new central heating system. There is a pretty garden, which is easy to look after, and a garage next to the garden. Downland Cottage is in a small, quiet road of only six houses.

**Seaview** is an attractive old house on the coast road with parking space for three or four cars. There aren't any neighbours close by and it's a five-minute walk from Burntown Beach. Downstairs there's a living room, a dining room, and a very big kitchen. There's also a library, so it's great for someone who likes reading. There is no central heating, but each room has a fireplace and the house is very warm. Upstairs there are four bedrooms, two bathrooms, and a shower room. The bedrooms are freshly painted and have new carpets and furniture. They all have large balconies and fantastic views over the sea.

**Redcliffe** is a town house and is only ten years old. Redcliffe is opposite the train station and there are regular trains to London. The house has a large living room, a kitchen, and a dining room downstairs. On the first floor there are two bedrooms and a really lovely bathroom. There is another bedroom and a small study on the top floor. In front of the house there is a small garden and a space to park a car on the street. There is a big park nearby, so it's great for anyone with children. It's a little bit more expensive, but it's a really nice family house.

Example: Downland Cottage is a new house.

A True ☐ B False ☒ C Doesn't say ☐

- 1 Downland Cottage is far from the town centre.  
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 2 The bedrooms are small in Downland Cottage.  
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 3 Seaview is close to the sea.  
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 4 There isn't any furniture in Seaview.  
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 5 Seaview has a big garage for 3–4 cars.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

6 Redcliffe has three bedrooms.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

7 It is easy to get to London from Redcliffe.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

8 Redcliffe is near a school.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

**3 Read the adverts again. Write *Downland*, *Seaview*, or *Redcliffe* next to each sentence.**

Example: There are eleven rooms. Seaview

1 You can park in the garage. \_\_\_\_\_

2 It's a modern house. \_\_\_\_\_

3 There is more than one bathroom. \_\_\_\_\_

4 You can hear trains. \_\_\_\_\_

5 It has central heating. \_\_\_\_\_

6 It doesn't have any close neighbours. \_\_\_\_\_

7 There's a special room where you can work at the top of the house. \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 4: Writing**

**4 Describe your house / flat. Answer these questions, then write a text. (75–100 words)**

1 Do you live in a city / town / village?

2 Do you have a house or a flat?

3 Who lives with you?

4 How many rooms are there in your house / flat? What are they?

5 Is there a big garden?

6 What's your favorite room?

**Part 5: Speaking**

**5 Look at the 2 pictures and compare them using *There is / there are / there was / there were***

