

## 6A *there is/there are, some/any/no, prepositions of place*

We use *there is* to say that something singular exists.

*There's a sofa in the living room.*

*There's a small balcony in my apartment.*

We use *there are* for the plural form.

*There are five people in my family.*

*There are three bedrooms in her apartment.*

We use *some* and *any* with plural nouns. We use *some* in affirmative sentences when more than one thing or person exists, but we don't say exactly how many.

*There are some chairs in the classroom.*

*There are some new students in our class.*

*I have some books in my bag.*

We use *any* in negative sentences and questions with plural nouns. We use *no* after an affirmative verb and with a singular or plural noun.

*There are no tables. / There aren't any tables.*

*I have no brothers or sisters. / I don't have any brothers or sisters.*

*Are there any shelves in the bedroom?*

6.3	Singular nouns	Plural nouns
+	<b>There's</b> a shelf in my bedroom.	<b>There are some</b> shelves in the kitchen.
-	<b>There's no</b> chair in my bedroom.	<b>There are no / There aren't any</b> chairs in the kitchen.
?	<b>Is there</b> a cabinet in your bedroom?	<b>Are there any</b> cabinets in the kitchen?
Y/N	Yes, <b>there is</b> . / No, <b>there's not/ there isn't</b> .	Yes, <b>there are</b> . / No, <b>there aren't</b> .

- 1 Read the advertisement and then complete the sentences with *there's a/there are* and *there's/there are no*.

Third-floor two-bedroom apartment in a popular area near stores and a park. Five-minute walk to subway station. Living room with big windows. Kitchen, bathroom (shower only, no bathtub). Empty – ready to move in!

- 1 \_\_\_\_\_ two bedrooms.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ a bathroom.
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_ backyard, but \_\_\_\_\_ a park near the apartment.
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ some big windows in the living room.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ bathtub in the bathroom.
- 6 \_\_\_\_\_ people in the apartment right now.
- 7 \_\_\_\_\_ some stores near the apartment.
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_ a subway station near the apartment.

## Prepositions of place

6.7 We use prepositions of place to describe location.

*The window is across from the door.*



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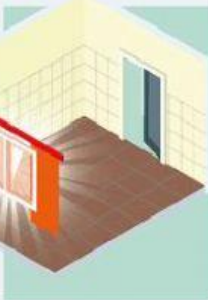
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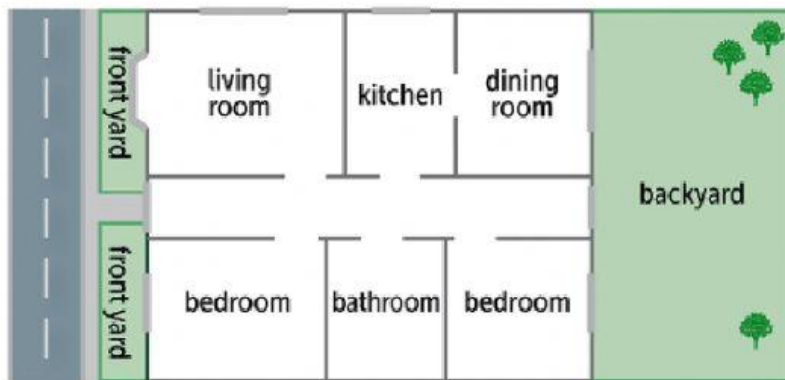


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- 3 Look at the floor plan of a house. Complete the sentences with prepositions of place.



- 1 The kitchen is \_\_\_\_\_ the bathroom.
- 2 The bathroom is \_\_\_\_\_ the two bedrooms.
- 3 The dining room is \_\_\_\_\_ the kitchen.
- 4 There is a small yard \_\_\_\_\_ the house.
- 5 There is a large yard \_\_\_\_\_ the house.
- 6 There are some trees \_\_\_\_\_ the large yard.