

8.1 VOCABULARY

DESCRIBING NEATNESS AND MESSINESS

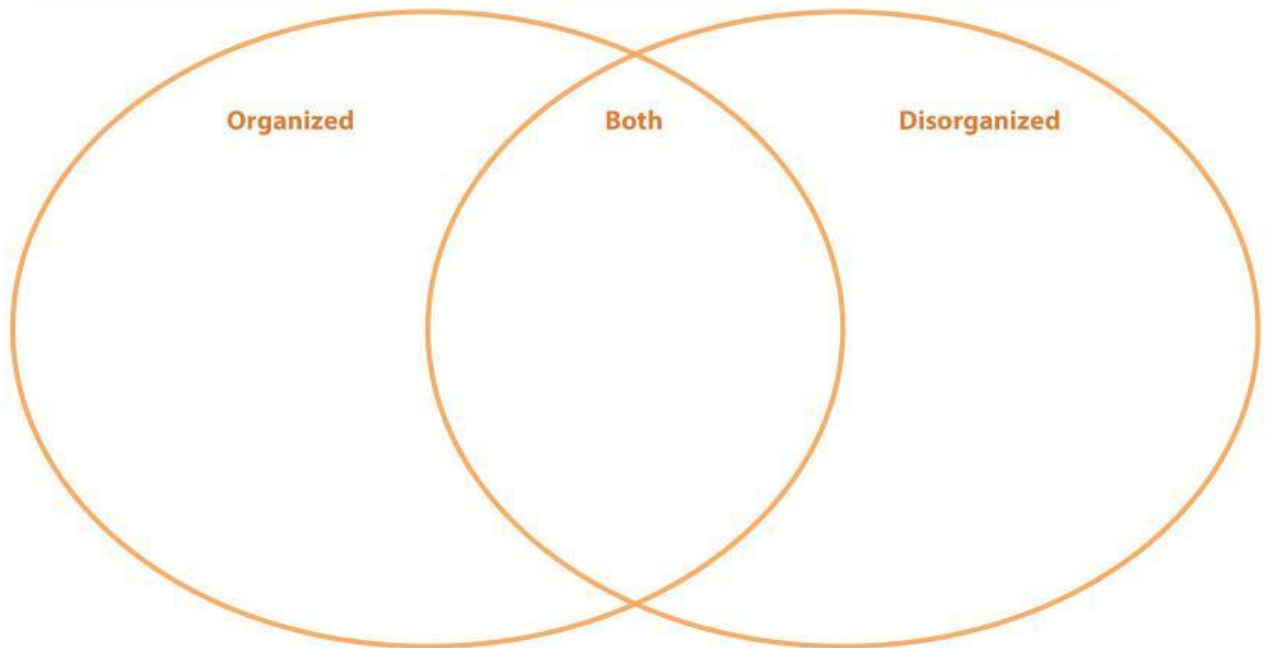
A Put the phrases from the box in the diagram below.

arrange sth neatly
jumbled up
put in a pile

be tangled up
leave (things) all over the place
put in alphabetical order

fold sth
line up
throw in/on

hang up
put away



B Circle the correct form of the phrases from exercise A to complete each sentence.

- 1 The teenager's clothes were *jumbled up* / *hanged up* / *put in alphabetical order* inside the drawer.
- 2 The computer cables were *lined up* / *tangled up* / *thrown in* and she couldn't untie them.
- 3 After doing laundry, some people *hang up* / *put away* / *throw on* their clothes to dry.
- 4 "Put away / Hang up / Line up your clothes in the drawer, Steve. Don't leave them in the laundry basket."
- 5 The shoes were *jumbled up* / *put away* / *lined up* neatly in a row near the entrance.
- 6 Tom *arranged* / *piled* / *tangled up* the cups according to their size.
- 7 The apartment was a total mess. There were things *lined up* / *all over the place* / *put in alphabetical order*.
- 8 Pens, markers, and paper clips were messily *thrown in* / *lined up* / *folded* the drawer.

C Match the two parts to make complete sentences.

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| 1 The student folded the clothes _____ | a the jacket on the hook by the door. |
| 2 The man threw on _____ | b neatly in a pile on the bed. |
| 3 The girl hung up _____ | c if you didn't leave things all over the place! |
| 4 The teenager left his clothes _____ | d his jacket and headed out the door. |
| 5 The teacher put the papers _____ | e tangled shoelaces. |
| 6 The man untied his _____ | f in alphabetical order from A to Z. |
| 7 It would be easier to clean up _____ | g all over the house. |