2.7 Writing



1 Read Charlie's description of his ideal classroom and answer the questions.

My Ideal Classroom by Charlie White

1 My ideal classroom is a large room on the ground floor of the school. You can see the sea from the windows. On the walls there are posters of animals, such as tigers and butterflies, and a map of the world. Every student has a desk and a computer. At the back of the classroom there are some beanbags and a sofa.

2 When we have a break, we don't have to leave the classroom. We can sit on the sofa or beanbags and have fun, for example we can listen to music and play games, or just charge our mobile phones. We can also have healthy snacks and drinks, including yoghurt, sandwiches and juice from the canteen.

3 The atmosphere is great and our classroom is the best!

1 Where is Charlie's ideal classroom?
It's on the ground floor of the school.

2 What can you see from the windows?
_____

3 What is there on the walls of the classroom?
_____

4 What do all the students have?
_____

5 Where can they sit in the break?
_____

6 What can they eat and drink?
_____

7 What is the atmosphere in the classroom like?
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2 What are your favourite things about your classroom? In your notebook, write three sentences.

There is ...
There are ...
We can ...

Giving examples

*There is a school trip every month, **for example** a visit to an IMAX cinema, or a trip to the beach.*
*They can wear casual clothes, **such as** T-shirts and jeans.*
*There are lots of school clubs, **including** drama, sports and music*

3 Complete the sentences. Use one word in each gap and add your own examples.

1 I love bright colours, *such* as red and *orange*.
2 There are some great shops in the shopping centre, _____ a bookshop, a computer shop and a _____.
3 I love smart accessories, for _____ belts, ties and _____.
4 You have to do all your homework, _____ Maths, English and _____.
5 I'd like to have a well-paid job, such _____ a dentist, a lawyer or a _____.

4 In your notebook, write about your ideal classroom. Use the notes in the box to help you.

1 **Describe your ideal classroom.**
Where is it? What size is it?
Describe what you can see on the walls and from the window.
Describe what is in the classroom.
Where do students sit?
2 **Describe what you do in the classroom.**
What do you have to do?
What don't you have to do?
What can you do?
What mustn't you do?
3 **Describe the atmosphere and summarise.**

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