

## Unit 2 - Listening & Reading

Listen to people talking in five different situations. For each situation, choose the correct answer.

- 1 Where are they?  a in a shop  
b at home
- 2 Where are they talking?  a in the same room  
b on the phone
- 3 What is the girl doing?  a telling a joke  
b leaving a message
- 4 Who are they?  a brother and sister  
b friends
- 5 What's he describing?  a life in the city  
b life in the countryside

Usłyszysz dwukrotnie pięć tekstów. Na podstawie usłyszanych informacji w zadaniach 1–5 wybierz właściwą odpowiedź (A–C).

What does the girl choose?



Where is the boy staying?



What is the girl describing?



Where are the boy and girl?



The boy is

A inviting someone.  
 B apologising for something.  
 C criticising a way of life.

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs

furnish - urebłowić  
redecorate - przemieniać  
shop - działać  
buy - kupić  
rent - wynająć  
sell - sprzedawać  
renovate - odnowić

Last month, my uncle  his house at the seaside very cheaply. The couple who  it paid only €150,000. They are planning to  it and  the rooms to tourists in summer.

I'd like to  my room. I'm thinking of hanging some of my own paintings on the walls.

My parents spent a lot of money on  the flat, and now it looks beautiful. I love the new leather sofa and the armchairs in the living room.

Ann's sister is very untidy. That's why Ann doesn't want to  a room with her anymore.

Read the text and answer questions 1–6.

Hi Tomek,  
I'm writing to tell you some exciting news. My parents, who always wanted to try a different way of life, have bought... a houseboat! They started looking for it in April and shortly afterwards, in May, we became the proud owners of a houseboat which we named 'Regent'. It's a houseboat with a single deck. It's an amazing way to live. There's no traffic and that means no city noise. Instead, we're close to nature, and we've got some amazing views.  
The boat's got four bedrooms, two bathrooms, and a living room with a kitchen. I absolutely love the room I've helped my dad paint it. The walls are white and I've got photos in black frames. There's a very comfortable dark blue sofa and a striped red and black rug on the floor. I think it looks great! I love looking at ducks and swans swimming round my bedroom window.  
Living on a boat means that we often move from one place to another. One week we're in Little Venice, the next we've moved to Regent's Canal. We can stay in one place for up to fourteen days, and then we have to find another place. I don't go to school as my parents have chosen home education for me. That means I have more time for myself now. I'm doing a lot of reading when I'm not busy, and I'd like to start taking photos of the places we visit to make an album. Anyway, we can't imagine living on land again!  
You must come here with Marek. Can't wait to see you!

Take care,  
Jack

- 1 Who is the email to?
- 2 Why has Jack written the email?
- 3 What does Jack say about living on a boat?
- 4 How many rooms are there on the houseboat?
- 5 Does Jack's family live in one place?
- 6 Where does Jack go to school?

Przeczytaj e-mail Jacka do Tomeka. Uzupełnij luki 1–5 w wiadomości, którą Tomek napisał do Marka. Luki należy uzupełnić w języku polskim.

Cześć, Marek!

Przed chwilą przeczytałem maila od Jacka. Wyobraź sobie, że jego rodzice kupili łódź

mieszkalną (1)  na niej mieszkać. Jest całkiem duży –

znajduje się na niej (2)  sypialnie, dwie łazienki, kuchnia.

Rodzina Jacka odpowiada mieszkanie bliżej natury. Jack ma swój pokój – nawet

pomóż swoje tekturowe pomożesz go na (3)  . Rodzina

Jacka przenieszcza się z jednej dzielnicy miasta do drugiej. Nie mogą jednak przebywać

w jednym miejscu dłużej niż (4)  . Z tego powodu Jack uczy

się w domu z rodzinami i nie musi chodzić do szkoły. Dzięki temu ma sporo czasu na (5)  . Jack zaprasza nas do siebie. Musimy zdecydować, jaki

prezent moglibyśmy mu kupić.

Tomek

Przeczytaj tekst, z którego usunięto cztery zdania. Do każdej luki (1–4) dopasuj zdanie (A–E) tak, aby otrzymać logiczny i spójny tekst. Jedno zdanie zostało podane dodatkowo i nie pasuje do żadnej luki.

A Inside it, you can read or work on your laptop.  
B However, can this really be called a house?  
C It has wheels so you can move it easily.  
D The architect comes from Germany.  
E They cost 250 euro.

A HOUSE OR NOT A HOUSE?

A "One-Sqm House" is a small wooden structure which takes up only one square metre

of space. It is probably the smallest house in the world. It was designed by an architect

from Berlin, Van Bo Le-Mentzel. The house has a window and a door. It weighs about

40 kilos and is 2 metres tall. (1)  You can put it almost anywhere outdoors,

in your garden, in a park or at a campsite, or inside your house, garage, or any other

open space – to have some privacy. (2)  You can also lie down and take a

rest – or even sleep – if you turn it on its side. You can construct your own one-sqm

house at a workshop in Berlin. The workshop takes one day and you have to pay only

for the materials. (3)  When you visit Berlin, you can also stay in a house

like this for 1 euro per night. There is a bathroom and kitchen to use in a hotel nearby.

(4)  I'm not so sure.