

WRITING



PREPARE TO WRITE

A description of a home

GET READY Read Fernanda's description of her home. Which city does she live in?

How many rooms does her family's apartment have?

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Fernanda's home

To:

From:

Reply

Forward

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We use pronouns instead of nouns, so we don't have to repeat nouns. Replace the underlined pronouns in Fernanda's description with the correct noun or name.

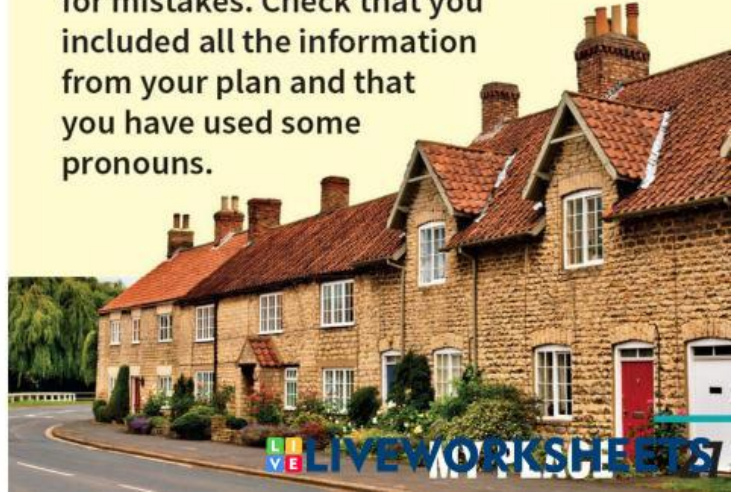
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Now replace the underlined nouns in this paragraph with pronouns.

David lives with his family in a small house in York. The house is quite new and the house has two bedrooms. David shares his bedroom with his baby sister, Mia. Mia is two and a half. David's mum, Helen, is a doctor and his dad, Francisco, is a nurse. Helen and Francisco both work at the local hospital.

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IMPROVE Read your description and look for mistakes. Check that you included all the information from your plan and that you have used some pronouns.



1 Look at the three pictures. Write the story shown in the pictures. Write **35 words** or more.



EXAM TIPS

- You can write the story about the picture in the present or the past.
- You can give the people names.