

Quiz: My House

1. The house: guess the words:

1. We keep our car there. - It is a _____.
2. The top of our house is covered with tiles. - It is a _____.
3. You can see smoke coming from it. - It is a _____.
4. You can come up to our house through it. - It is a _____.
5. You can come inside the house through it. - It is a _____.
6. Over the door there is something which helps to see the lock of the door better. - It is a _____.
7. It is on the first floor where we like to watch the stars. - It is a _____.
8. From the balcony we can see it in front of our house. - It is a _____.
9. We grow vegetables there. - It is a _____.

2. The rooms: guess the words:

1. We cook there meals. - It is a _____.
2. We usually have meals there. - It is a _____.
3. My father usually works there. - It is a _____.
4. We gather here in the evenings. - It is a _____.
5. My mom usually sits in front of it knitting. - It is a _____.
6. I like to sit on it in the sitting - room. - It is a _____.
7. I like to take a shower there. - It is a _____.
8. My parents sleep there. - It is a _____.
9. We wash our clothes there. - It is a _____.
10. There are a lot of clothes there. - It is a _____.

3. Read filling in missing words:

Hi! My name is Linda and I live at 45 Garden Street in Boston. I live in a _____ house. It is very beautiful!

It is a _____ - storeyed building but there are many rooms in it. There is a kitchen, a _____ -room, a _____ - room, three _____, a study, a bathroom. We also have an attic with a room for me. You can find a bed, a table with two chairs, a computer, a wardrobe and many _____ on the walls. I like my room.

Our _____ is very large. We cook meals here. There are a lot of useful things here.

We always sit together in the _____-room in the evenings. We watch TV, play games, read, talk.

My father works in his _____ every day. There is a table, a computer, two _____ and three chairs. It is very cosy.

Words:

1. One
2. Detached
3. Bedrooms
4. Sitting
5. Posters
6. Dining
7. Study
8. Laundry
9. Bookcases
10. Kitchen

I. Complete the sentences with the words from the box. Use each word ONLY ONCE.

block of flats – detached house – flat – landlord – mould – poor water pressure – real estate agent – rent – semi-detached house – utility bills

When I moved to the city for my new job, I started house hunting. Initially, I dreamt of living in a quiet _____¹ with a big garden but soon realized it was too expensive for someone just starting their career. My next thought was to find a two-bedroom _____² in a high building, hoping for a place with a great view of the city skyline.

I contacted a _____³ who was very helpful. She showed me a unit in a high _____⁴, but I noticed _____⁵ in the corner of the ceiling, and the monthly _____⁶ was a little over my budget.

Then, I found an ad for a _____⁷, which shared a wall with a quiet neighbour. It offered more space than a flat, but without the isolation of a detached house. I met the _____⁸, who lived next door, and he seemed quite amiable. The place was almost perfect, but I learned that the _____⁹ would be higher due to the older heating system. In the end, I settled for a cozy flat. It's not perfect; the _____¹⁰ in the shower can be frustrating, but it's a good start for my life in the city.