Grammar

1 Complete the sentences with the correct form of *there is* or *there are*.

1 ……………………… two armchairs in the living room.

2 ……………………… a computer on the desk.

3 A: Is there a clock in the kitchen?

B: No, ……………………… .

4 ……………………… any shelves in the study?

5 What ……………………… in your room?

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2 Complete the sentences with the correct present simple or present continuous form of the verbs given.

1 Where’s Marcus? He ……………………… (listen to) music in his bedroom.

2 She’s not doing it today but she often ……………………… (go) swimming after school.

3 I usually have a sandwich for lunch but today I ……………………… (go) to a fast-food restaurant.

4 A: What ……………………… (you/do)?

B: My homework.

5 A: Can I play a game on your computer?

B: No, I ……………………… (use) it.

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3 Complete the sentences with the correct answer, A, B, C or D?

1 A: Do you know where my MP3 player is?

B: It’s ……………………… all those clothes on the chair.

**A** in front of

**B** under

**C** in

**D** on

2 I’ve got three posters of Messi ……………………… my bedroom wall.

**A** next to

**B** in

**C** on

**D** near

3 Is your new house ……………………… the school?

**A** above

**B** on

**C** under

**D** near

4 A: Where’s my games console?

B: It’s ……………………… the cupboard. Open the door   
and look.

**A** in

**B** on

**C** behind

**D** under

5 A: I can’t find the coffee. Is it on this shelf?

B: Yes. It’s ……………………… the sugar.

**A** on

**B** in

**C** next to

**D** under

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4 Complete the short dialogues with one or two words in each gap.

1 A: Do you want to come round and play on my games

console tomorrow?

B: No, sorry. I ……………………… football on Wednesdays.

2 A: What are you doing this afternoon?

B: I’m helping my mum cook dinner. We ……………………

a special meal for my dad. It’s his birthday.

3 A: I can’t find my book. Do you know where it is?

B: It’s ……………………… the table next to the TV.

4 A: Do you know what time it is?

B: No, but ……………………… a clock in the hall.

5 A: Why are you on the floor ……………………… the table?

B: I’m looking for my phone.

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Vocabulary

5 Choose the correct alternatives to complete the short dialogues.

1 A: What’s for dinner?

B: Ask Mum. She’s in the kitchen/garage cooking.

2 A: Is John awake? He’s late for school.

B: No, he’s still asleep in his garden/bedroom.

3 A: I want to have a shower before I go out.

B: You can’t. Alice is in the bathroom/dining room

washing her hair.

4 A: I think my school bag is in the car.

B: Well, the car is in the kitchen/garage. Go and look

for it there.

5 A: Where’s Dad?

B: He’s in the hall/living room watching TV.

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6 Complete the sentences with these words. There are two extra options.

cooker • desk • fridge • radiator • shelf

sink • sofa

1 The milk is in the ……………………… .

2 A: It’s cold in here.

B: Sit near the ……………………… .

3 Your homework is on your ……………………… next to   
the computer.

4 Put your dirty dishes in the ……………………… .

5 Three people can sit on this ……………………… .

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7 Complete the sentences with one word in each gap.

1 I usually ……………………… the table before dinner.

2 My mum hates ……………………… the dishes so she has got a new dishwasher.

3 My brother takes the rubbish ……………………… every evening.

4 We are ……………………… the shopping for our party.

5 I’m ……………………… up my bedroom before my friends arrive.

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8 Complete the postcard with one word in each gap.

Hi James!

Are you surprised to get a postcard? I’m visiting my grandmother in the country. It’s a very old house and she hasn’t got a (1) ……………………… so there’s no Internet! My bedroom is next to the bathroom, but guess what? There’s a bath, but she hasn’t got a (2) ……………………… . She cooks lovely food for me every day but there is no microwave – only an old (3) ……………………… – so it takes a long time. She’s got a beautiful (4) ……………………… with lots of trees and flowers. She really cares about the environment and she (5) ……………………… everything – paper, glass, metal. I love it here!

See you soon.

Sarah

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Use of English

9 Complete the email with one word in each gap.

Hi Ben,

I’m writing this from sunny Spain! We’re on holiday and we   
(1) ……………………… staying in a lovely house. There is a park   
(2) ……………………… front of the house and it is near the beach.   
We go swimming every day. There (3) ……………………… only two bedrooms, so I’m sleeping in the same room as Brad, my brother. He’s so untidy! I (4) ……………………… the bed and tidy   
(5) ……………………… every morning, but he does nothing!

We don’t eat here because (6) ……………………… isn’t a cooker.   
We can make breakfast, but for dinner we (7) ……………………… to a nice restaurant next (8) ……………………… our house. I love Spanish food. And I like watching TV here. I (9) ……………………… learning some words in Spanish!

How’s school? (10) ……………………… you working hard?

See you soon. ☺

Love,

Angela

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Reading

10 Read the article about Jason’s house. Are these statements True (T), False (F) or is the information   
Not Mentioned (NM)?

Jason lives in a big house near the sea. That’s not really unusual, is it? But Jason’s house is very big. There are 20 bedrooms, two kitchens, a big dining room for 40 people and a swimming pool, too! You’re probably thinking Jason has got a very big family, but you’re wrong! Jason lives in a hotel.

Jason’s parents own The Jackson Star Hotel in the lovely little seaside town of Barnaby. Lots of people go there in summer for their holidays and stay at Jason’s hotel. It’s very popular! Jason lives with his mum and dad in a small flat at the top of the hotel. They work in the hotel and Jason helps when he is not at school. He sometimes takes the rubbish out and makes the beds.

So, does Jason like living in a big hotel? Jason says, ‘Yes, I like my room. It’s very high up, and from one window I can see all over the town and from the other window I can see the sea. I’ve got a big desk in my room with a computer on it so I can do my homework. And I’ve got my own TV. My friends like staying here because the bedrooms are comfortable, and we get very good food! I like the people, too. They come from different places around the world.’

Is there anything he doesn’t like? Jason answers, ‘In the winter, there aren’t a lot of people here and I sometimes get frightened at night. The hotel is big and empty and it’s like a scary film!’

1 Jason’s home is unusual. T/F/NM

2 Jason has got a small family. T/F/NM

3 There is one window in his room. T/F/NM

4 He can see his friends’ houses from his room. T/F/NM

5 He doesn’t like the hotel food. T/F/NM

6 Jason likes watching scary films. T/F/NM

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11 Read the article again and choose the best answers, A, B, C or D.

1 Barnaby is a town which is ……………………… .

**A** very big

**B** very quiet

**C** by the sea

**D** in thecountryside

2 The hotel is very popular ……………………… .

**A** in summer

**B** in winter

**C** every holiday

**D** all year

3 Jason and his family live ……………………… .

**A** in one of the hotel bedrooms

**B** in a flat in the hotel

**C** near the hotel

**D** in a flat in town

4 Jason sometimes does ……………………… to help his parents.

**A** homework

**B** cooking

**C** cleaning

**D** jobs

5 His friends like the ……………………… and the bedrooms   
at the hotel.

**A** view

**B** cooking

**C** swimming pool

**D** people

6 In winter Jason is sometimes frightened at night   
when ……………………… .

**A** there are no people staying

**B** his parents go out

**C** he watches films

**D** his friends can’t visit

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12 Correct the mistakes in the sentences.

1 Jason’s home is near a big city.

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2 Jason doesn’t go to school.

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3 The people who stay in the hotel come from other places in England.

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4 The hotel is often full in winter.

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Listening

13 button.jpg Listen to two friends talking about the Sally’s house. Choose the best answers, A, B or C.

1 Sally’s new house is

**A** old.

**B** modern.

**C** big.

2 The house is

**A** in the country.

**B** in the town.

**C** near the school.

3 At the moment, Sally’s is

**A** sitting in the garden.

**B** playing with her dog.

**C** in her bedroom.

4 Sally wants the girl to come to

**A** a big party in the house.

**B** a party in the garden.

**C** meet some friends in town.

5 The girl can get Sally’s address

**A** by text message.

**B** by email.

**C** at school.

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14 button.jpg Listen again and complete the notes with one word in each gap.

**Description of house:**

modern / (1) ……………………… / detached

**View from bedroom:**

(2) ……………………… and a farm

**Furniture in the garden:**

(3) ……………………… and chairs

**Day of barbecue:**

on (4) ………………………

**Travel to the house:**

by (5)………………………

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Writing

15 Imagine you are living in a new house. Write an email to a friend and tell him/her about it. Describe the rooms and any special features of the house. Say why you like it.

Write 35–50 words.

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Speaking

16 There is a new film on at the cinema and you want to see it. You decide to invite your friend Caroline to go with you so you phone her. Ask for her, say why you are calling and leave a message.

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