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Present tenses • *have/have got*
Things in the house
Writing – linking words

The way we live

Present Simple

1 Making negatives

T 2.1 Correct the sentences.

- 1 The sun rises in the west.
The sun doesn't rise in the west. It rises in the east.
- 2 The Pope lives in Alaska.

- 3 Manchester United footballers wear yellow shirts.

- 4 Kangaroos come from Canada.

- 5 The sun shines at night.

- 6 In Britain people drive on the right.

2 Making questions

T 2.2 Write the questions.

- 1 I get up at _____.
What time do you get up?
- 2 At the weekend I usually go to _____

- 3 The bank opens at _____

- 4 My mother comes from _____

- 5 My children go to _____ school.
Which _____?
- 6 My brother works in _____
Where _____?
- 7 My sister drives a _____
What sort _____?



3 Short answers

Answer the questions about you.
Use short answers.

1 Do you smoke?

Yes, I do. / No, I don't.

2 Do you like science fiction?

3 Do you dream a lot?

4 Do you listen to the radio?

5 Do your parents read a lot?

6 Does your teacher give you a lot of homework?

7 Does it rain a lot in your country?



4 Third person singular

Write the third person singular of these verbs.

1 help *helps*

2 watch *watches*

3 want _____

4 go _____

5 carry _____

6 catch _____

7 think _____

8 crash _____

9 wash _____

10 read _____

11 do _____

12 fly _____

13 study _____

14 kiss _____

15 eat _____

16 have _____

17 cry _____

5 Adverbs of frequency

Put the words in the correct order.

1 cinema/you/to/often/go/the/do/?

2 meat/never/eat/I/because/don't/I/it/like

3 listen/evening/the/to/parents/radio/the/my/always/in

4 holiday/how/do/have/often/a/you/?

5 sometimes/restaurant/we/Japanese/go/a/to

6 for/late/never/am/school/I

Present Simple or Continuous?

6 Spelling of the present participle

Write the *-ing* form of these verbs.

- 1 read *reading*
- 2 swim *swimming*
- 3 come *coming*
- 4 rain
- 5 wear
- 6 think
- 7 shine
- 8 smoke
- 9 have
- 10 take
- 11 wait
- 12 get
- 13 stop
- 14 run
- 15 begin

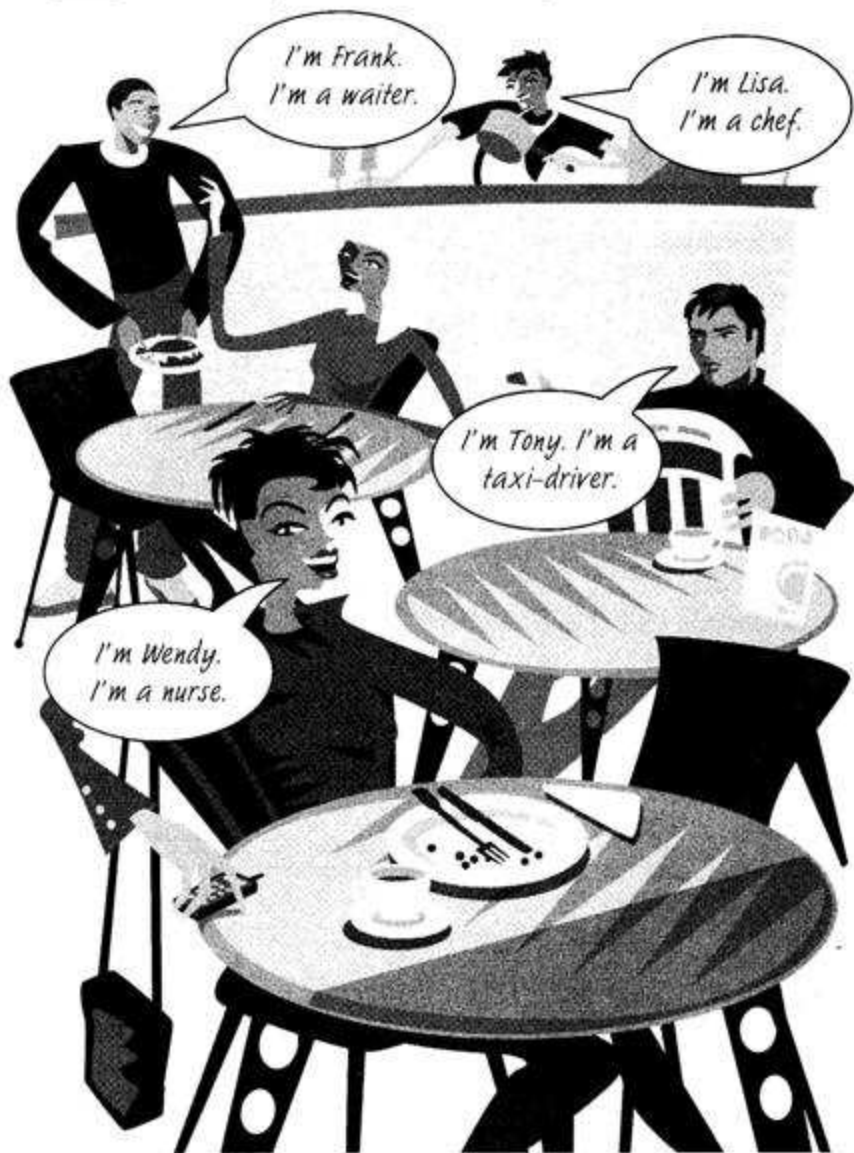
7 Choosing the correct form

Choose the form of the verb.

- 1 I *go / am going* to work now. Goodbye!
- 2 I *read / am reading* a book about astrology.
- 3 I *read / am reading* lots of books every year.
- 4 We *go / are going* to a party on Saturday.
- 5 Nurses *look / are looking* after people in hospital.
- 6 Annie *comes / is coming* from Ireland.
- 7 She *comes / is coming* for dinner this evening.
- 8 I *speak / am speaking* four languages.
- 9 *Do you want / Are you wanting* to go out tonight?

8 What does she do? or What is she doing?

T 2.3 Look at the picture and answer the questions.



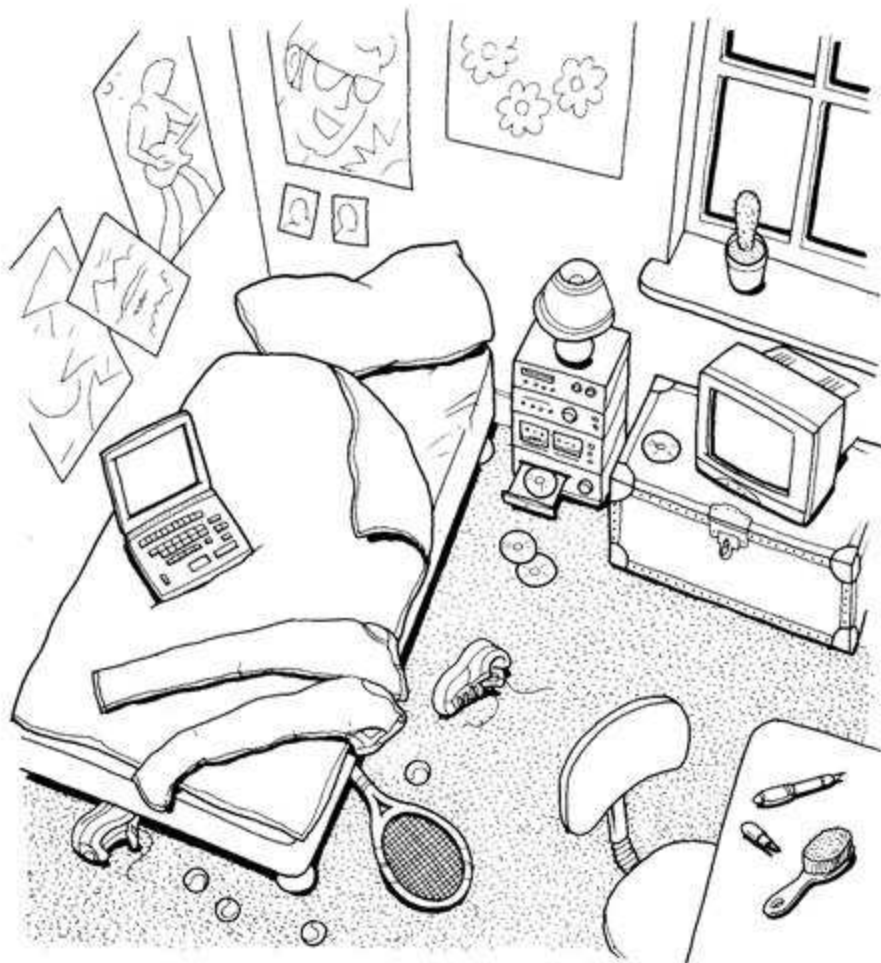
- 1 What does Wendy do? *She's a nurse.*
- 2 Is she working in the hospital now? *No, she isn't.*
- 3 What's she doing? *She's having dinner.*
- 4 What does Frank do? _____
- 5 Is he working in a restaurant now? _____
- 6 What's he doing? _____
- 7 What does Tony do? _____
- 8 Is he driving a taxi now? _____
- 9 What's he doing? _____
- 10 What does Lisa do? _____
- 11 Is she working in the kitchen now? _____
- 12 What's she doing? _____

have/have got

9 Making statements and negatives

Look at the picture of Joely's bedroom. Complete the sentences in two ways, once with *has/doesn't have* and once with *'s got/hasn't got*.

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| 1 She <u>has</u> a CD player. | 4 She _____ a television. |
| She's <u>got</u> a CD player. | She _____ a television. |
| 2 She _____ a tennis racket. | 5 She _____ a computer. |
| She _____ a tennis racket. | She _____ a computer. |
| 3 She _____ a lot of CDs. | 6 She _____ a Walkman. |
| She _____ a lot of CDs. | She _____ a Walkman. |



Write some sentences about your bedroom.

I've got a bed, but I haven't got a basin.

I've got a radio, but I don't have a TV.

10 Short answers

T 2.4 Answer the questions about Joely and about you. Use short answers.

- Does Joely have an untidy bedroom?
Yes, she does.
- Has she got posters on her walls?
Yes, she has.
- Has she got a lot of clothes?

- Does she have a camera?

- Has she got a computer?

- Does she have a lamp in her room?

- Have you got a bike?

- Do you have a lot of money?

- Have you got a CD player?

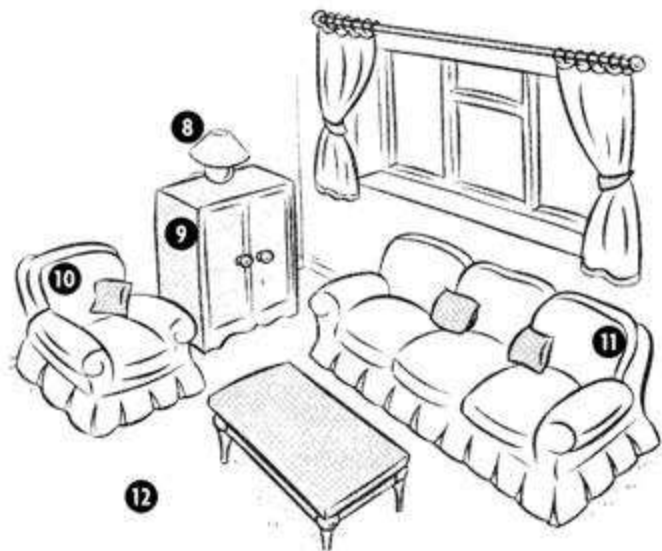
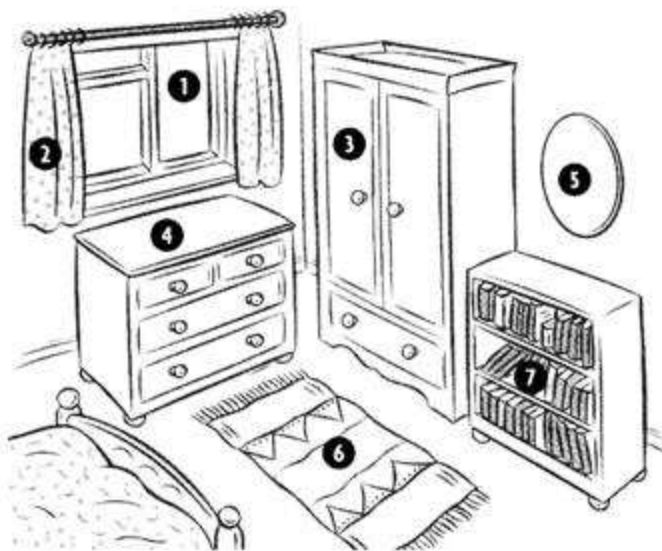
- Do you have a good English accent?

Vocabulary

11 Things in the house

Match the words and pictures.

armchair	sofa	cupboard
bookcase	carpet	rug
window	curtains	wardrobe
chest of drawers	lamp	mirror



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|---|----|
| 1 | 7 |
| 2 | 8 |
| 3 | 9 |
| 4 | 10 |
| 5 | 11 |
| 6 | 12 |

Writing

12 Linking words – *but, however*

1 Complete the sentences with *and, so, or but*.

- 1 She can speak French, _____ she can't write it.
- 2 He's going to work in Spain, _____ he's learning Spanish.
- 3 I went into town. I bought some food _____ I went to the library.
- 4 I haven't got a car, _____ I've got a motorbike.
- 5 She's working late next Friday, _____ she can't come to the party.



But and *however* can contrast ideas, but they are used differently. Compare these sentences. What differences can you see?

I learnt French easily, but I didn't like my teacher.

I learnt French easily. However, I didn't like my teacher.

2 Join the pairs of sentences in two different ways using *but* and *however*.

- 1 We enjoyed the holiday. It rained a lot.

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- 2 He's moving to London next month. He doesn't like big cities.

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- 3 She isn't English. She speaks English perfectly.

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So is used to express the result of the statement before. *Because* expresses the reason or cause of something.

Cause _____ **Result**

It started to rain, **so** we stopped playing tennis.

Result < _____ **Cause**

We stopped playing tennis **because** it started to rain.

3 Join the pairs of sentences in two different ways using *so* and *because*.

1 She went home. She was tired.

a) _____

b) _____

2 We didn't enjoy our holiday. The weather was bad.

a) _____

b) _____

3 He worked hard. He passed all his exams.

a) _____

b) _____

13 Describing a person

Complete the text with a linking word from the box.

and but so because however

Two Sisters

My sister and I are very different, (1) _____ we get on well together. She likes staying at home in the evening (2) _____ watching television with her boyfriend, (3) _____ I prefer going out with my friends. We like to go to clubs or the cinema. Sometimes we just go to a café. I have exams soon, (4) _____ I'm not going out very much at the moment. My sister is six years older than me, (5) _____ she works in a bank. She's trying to save some money (6) _____ she's going to get married this year. Her fiancé's name is Ferdinand, (7) _____ we all call him Freddy.

People say I look like my sister (8) _____ we both have brown eyes (9) _____ dark hair. (10) _____, we are very different in character. She's very quiet, (11) _____ I'm a lot more sociable.



Write a similar short paragraph about yourself and someone in your family.
