

## MY HOUSE

### Houses

Our house is quite big. Downstairs, there's a living room, there's a dining room and there's a kitchen. In the kitchen, there's a cooker, a fridge, a dishwasher and a washing machine. Upstairs, there are three bedrooms.

This is my room. There's a bed and a desk and a cupboard. There isn't a bed for my dog. His bed is in the kitchen. On the cupboard there are trophies for football, but there aren't any for homework!

*Maisy*

My uncle's house is really cool! Where is it? It's near the sea in Wales so it's great for holidays. It's underground, but there are lots of windows in the centre of the house. Inside, there is one big room. The kitchen, the bathroom and the bedrooms are in the big room and they are different colours. The furniture is modern and the house is very comfortable.

*Edward*

### My bedroom

Amy There's a great bedroom here!

Laura Oh, yeah!

Amy There's a bed with a ladder!

Laura And there's a sofa, under the bed!

Amy Cool!

Laura And there's a floor lamp!

Amy Look! There's a wardrobe behind that white curtain!

Laura Oh, yes. And there are some hooks on the wall, for bags and things. Are there any shelves?

Amy Well, there aren't any shelves, but there are some boxes

Laura Is there a desk?

Amy No, there isn't. There's a nice white table

Laura Hey, look at this!

Amy What?

Laura There's a basket for the cat

Amy Oh, there's a mouse!

Laura Aaaagh! Where?

Amy Don't be silly! It's in the cat's basket. It's only a toy

**HOUSE**

Flat – city | house - town | cottage – village

upstairs - downstairs - stairs – floor (on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor) – wall – lift

Living room (sofa, armchair, bookcase, floor lamp, clock, picture, piano, plant, fireplace, coffee-table, carpet “moquette”, rug, vase of flowers)

bedroom (bed, blankets, pillow, wardrobe, drawers, shelves, bookshelf, bookcase, desk, chair, curtains, lamp, reading lamp, picture, poster, clock, PC, radio, TV, CD player, hook, alarm clock)

bathroom + shower room (bath, shower, toilet, mirror, washbasin, towel, washing machine)

kitchen (fridge, cooker, oven, sink, dishwasher, notice board, table, chairs, shelf, cupboard, drawer, glasses, cutlery, knife, fork, spoon, coffee spoon, bowl, cups, mug, bottle, jug, plates, hood)

hall | dining room | attic | study | guest room | basement

garden | yard | fence | rain gutters | porch | garage | balcony | roof | chimney

**FOOD**

bread – rolls - sandwich – pizza

appetizer - aperitif

pasta – spaghetti – rice - porridge – soup

steak – roast - veal roast – roast beef - hamburger – stew - sausages - hot dog – bacon - wurstel – ham –

fish – tuna - cheese - salad – chips - dairy products - peanuts

oil – vinegar - mayonnaise – ketchup – condiments – soy sauce – mustard

chocolate – sweets – cake – pie – muffin - ice-cream – biscuits – crisps

VEGETABLES: carrot – tomato – potato – lettuce – celery – pumpkin – eggplant/aubergine - cucumber – bell pepper – artichoke – broccoli – corn – beans – peas – zucchini - mushrooms – onion -

SPICES AND HERBS: basil, garlic, mint, oregano, pepper, rosemary, sage, salt, thyme, parsley

FRUIT: apple - banana – lemon – orange – strawberry – pear – peach – cherry – pine apple – grapes – grape fruit - melon - water melon – mandarin – fig – plum – apricot – date – blackberry – blueberry – raspberry -

coconut - kiwi

DRINKS: water – milk – cola - lemonade – orange juice – tea – coffee – wine – milkshake - beer

BREAKFAST: water, milk, orange juice, tea, coffee, milkshake, butter, bread, eggs, honey, jam, sugar, cereal, toast, yoghurt, croissant, pastry, biscuits, muffin, pie

MEAT: chicken, beef, lamb, pork, mince, poultry, sausages, hamburger, hot dog, bacon, wurstel, ham, steak

MEALS: breakfast – snack - lunch – dinner - brunch

PARTS OF: A piece of cheese – a packet of crisps – a glass/bottle of water/wine – a slice of cake – a cup of tea/coffee – a bar of chocolate – a can of cola – a loaf of bread

## Ask and say ...

### House

Do you live in a flat or in a house? I live in a flat/house/apartment

Is it big or small? It's quite small / very big

How many rooms are there? There's a kitchen, a bedroom, a living room ... there are three bedrooms

What's your favourite room? Why? My favourite room is ... because ...

Is there a balcony/garden/garage? Yes, there is / No, there isn't

Where's your bedroom? It's opposite / next to ...

What's in your bedroom / the kitchen? In the kitchen / in my bedroom there's / there are a cooker, a fridge, a desk, ....

- Tell me about your bedroom
- Where's your bedroom? It's opposite / next to ...
- What's in your bedroom? In my bedroom there's a desk, ....
- Where's the wardrobe? It's near/opposite/behind ...
- What colour is your bed? It's orange
- Is there a ... in your bedroom? Yes, there is / No, there isn't
- Are there any ...? Yes, there are / No, there aren't
- Who do you live with? I live with my .....
- Who lives in your house with you?

### DESCRIBE A PLACE

How many

Where

What colour

There's/there are

### DESCRIBE YOUR HOUSE

Where you live (flat or house, floor)

Big or small

How many rooms

Where they are

Garage/garden

Who you live with

Your bedroom (there's / there are, where, how many objects, what colour)

### SHOPPING FOR FOOD

- Good morning
- Good morning. Can I help you?
- Yes, please. Can I have some chicken?
- No, sorry
- Have you got any milk?
- Yes, we have. Here you are.
- Have you got any eggs, please?
- Yes, how many?
- Six, please.
- Anything else?
- No, thanks. How much is that?
- It's £ 3.80, please.
- Here you are.
- Thanks, goodbye
- Goodbye

## Tell me about ...



I live in a flat/house/apartment  
 It's quite small / very big  
 There are 7 rooms: a kitchen, a bedroom, a living room ...  
 The bathroom is opposite/behind/.....  
 My favourite room is ... because ...  
 There is also a garden/garage with trees, flowers and plants  
 In the kitchen there is a big fridge ....

### Tell me about your house/bedroom

My bedroom is opposite my parents' bedroom  
 It's quite big with a balcony and a window.  
 There is: a wardrobe opposite the bed, a desk and a chair next to the window, ...  
 There are some posters on the wall and there is a picture above my bed.  
 I live with my .....

## grammar

### THERE IS / THERE ARE

	Forma affermativa (intera e contratta)	Forma negativa (intera e contratta)	Forma interrogativa	Risposte brevi
singolare	There is There's	There is not There isn't	Is there ...?	Yes, there is No, there isn't
plurale	There are	There are not There aren't	Are there ...?	Yes, there are No, there aren't

Le espressioni **there is** e **there are** corrispondono all'italiano *c'è* e *ci sono*.

**REMEMBER!** **There is** viene usato per un elenco di cose quando il primo sostantivo è singolare.  
**There is a blue sky and a yellow sun on this planet.**

### PREPOSITIONS OF PLACE

Place in – on – under – behind – in front of – near – above – over - next to/beside – opposite – between – inside, outside, by, among, through, at, to, from

### COUNTABLE/UNCOUNTABLE NOUNS

Sono numerabili (**countable**) quei sostantivi che si possono contare e che hanno una forma singolare e una forma plurale.

singolare	plurale
A boy	Three boys
An apple	Four apples

Sono non numerabili (**uncountable**) quei sostantivi che non si possono contare e che non hanno una forma plurale e perciò usano un verbo al singolare.

singolare	Plurale
Water	-
Bread	-

### A/AN/SOME

Numerabile singolare	Numerabile plurale	Non numerabile
A sandwich	Some sandwiches	Some milk
An orange	Some oranges	Some water

Si usa l'articolo indeterminativo a/an con i sostantivi singolari numerabili.

**There is a sandwich on the table.**

Si usa **some** con i sostantivi plurali numerabili e con i sostantivi non numerabili.

**There are some burgers in the fridge.**

**There is some apple juice in the kitchen.**

### **SOME/ANY**

<b>Frasei affermative</b>
There is some grass on this planet.
There are some trees on this planet.

<b>Frasei negative</b>
There isn't any grass on this planet.
There aren't any trees on this planet.

<b>Frasei interrogative</b>
Is there any grass on this planet?
Are there any trees on this planet?

Con i sostantivi numerabili plurali e con quelli non numerabili, di solito si usa **some** nelle frasi affermative e **any** nelle frasi interrogative e negative. Però si usa **some** nelle offerte cortesi.

**Would you like some water?**

### **HOW MUCH? / HOW MANY?**

Le parole interrogative **How much** e **How many** corrispondono all'italiano *Quanto/a* e *Quanti/e* e si usano per informarsi circa il quantitativo di qualcosa.

Si usa **How much** con i sostantivi non numerabili.

**How much milk is there in the fridge?**

Si usa **How many** con i sostantivi numerabili al plurale.

**How many eggs are there in the fridge?**

### **QUANTITY**

**Much** si usa con i nomi non numerabili, **many** con i nomi numerabili plurali.

**A lot of** e **lots of** vengono usati con i nomi numerabili e non numerabili nelle frasi affermative, ma mai in quelle negative.

**There are a lot of people at the party.**

**There isn't much sugar in the coffee.**

**Are there many students at the camp?**

### 1. TROVA GLI INTRUSI.

- |   |                                      |                                      |                                      |
|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> flat        | <input type="checkbox"/> house       | <input type="checkbox"/> cottage     | <input type="checkbox"/> village     |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> garden      | <input type="checkbox"/> dining room | <input type="checkbox"/> bedroom     | <input type="checkbox"/> bathroom    |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> kitchen     | <input type="checkbox"/> fireplace   | <input type="checkbox"/> dining room | <input type="checkbox"/> shower room |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> shower room | <input type="checkbox"/> bathroom    | <input type="checkbox"/> chicken     | <input type="checkbox"/> kitchen     |
| 5. <input type="checkbox"/> pillow      | <input type="checkbox"/> blankets    | <input type="checkbox"/> bed         | <input type="checkbox"/> curtains    |
| 6. <input type="checkbox"/> fork        | <input type="checkbox"/> spoon       | <input type="checkbox"/> oven        | <input type="checkbox"/> knife       |
| 7. <input type="checkbox"/> bath        | <input type="checkbox"/> mirror      | <input type="checkbox"/> cup         | <input type="checkbox"/> shower      |
| 8. <input type="checkbox"/> sofa        | <input type="checkbox"/> armchair    | <input type="checkbox"/> floor lamp  | <input type="checkbox"/> sink        |

### 2. RISPONDI ALLE DOMANDE.

Is your house big or small? It's \_\_\_\_\_.

How many rooms are there? There are \_\_\_\_\_ rooms. There's: \_\_\_\_\_.

Is there a balcony/garden/garage? There is \_\_\_\_\_.

Where's your bedroom? It's \_\_\_\_\_.

What's in your bedroom? In my bedroom there's \_\_\_\_\_.

Is there a television in your bedroom? \_\_\_\_\_.

Are there any posters? \_\_\_\_\_.

### 3. ORA OSSERVA LO SCHEMA PROPOSTO E DESCRIVI LA TUA CASA.

I live in a flat / house

My house / flat is quite/very big / small

There's / there are a kitchen, a living room, a bathroom, a balcony, three bedrooms

The bathroom is opposite/behind/.....

In the kitchen / in my bedroom there's / there are a cooker, a fridge, a desk, ....

The wardrobe is near/opposite/behind ...

In my bedroom there is ...

I live with my .....

**4. COMPLETA LE FRASI CON *THERE IS, IS THERE, THERE ARE, ARE THERE, THEY'RE* OPPURE *THEIR*.**

1. *Their* names are Billy and Milly.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ from the space.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ a volcano on the blue planet?
4. \_\_\_\_\_ animals on the planet.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ favourite planet is the Earth.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ a blue sky on the Earth.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ happy on the Earth.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ animals on the red planet?

**5. CERCHIA L'INTRUSO.**

- |                                      |                                 |   |                                  |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> cake     | <input type="checkbox"/> sweets | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> chips | <input type="checkbox"/> muffin  |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> water    | <input type="checkbox"/> soup   | <input type="checkbox"/> milk             | <input type="checkbox"/> wine    |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> chicken  | <input type="checkbox"/> ham    | <input type="checkbox"/> tomato           | <input type="checkbox"/> lamb    |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> bread    | <input type="checkbox"/> pasta  | <input type="checkbox"/> cherries         | <input type="checkbox"/> rice    |
| 5. <input type="checkbox"/> potatoes | <input type="checkbox"/> celery | <input type="checkbox"/> carrots          | <input type="checkbox"/> lobster |

**6. RIORDINA LE PAROLE.**

PPLAE	APPLE
AAANBN	_____
EMLON	_____
RGNOAE	_____
RRRSTAWBEY	_____
REAP	_____
HCPEA	_____
RRYEHC	_____
PPLAE NEPI	_____
PSGRAE	_____
TERWA LEMON	_____
TNCCOOU	_____

7. ABBINA LE PAROLE DELLA COLONNA A CON LE PAROLE DELLA COLONNA B PER COMPORRE I PASTI PREFERITI DAGLI STUDENTI IN GRAN BRETAGNA.

A	B
EGG	SANDWICHES
MACARONI	DOGS
FISH	CHEESE
CHEESE AND	AND CHIPS
HOT	TOMATO PIZZA
SPAGHETTI	BOLOGNESE

8. SCRIVI LE PAROLE NELLE COLONNE GIUSTE.

FRUIT	MEAT	VEGETABLES
SPICES AND HERBS	MEALS	BREAD

SAUSAGES — ROLLS — GARLIC — LETTUCE — HAM — DINNER — SALT — PINE APPLE — TUNA — BROCCOLI — APPLES — WINE — BREAKFAST — SANDWICH — BEER — GARLIC BREAD — MINT — WATER — COLA — LUNCH — OREGANO — GRAPES — BASIL — CHICKEN — LEMONADE.

9. COUNTABLE (C) O UNCOUNTABLE (U)?

1.	Sandwich	(C)
2.	Cheese	
3.	Sugar	
4.	Orange	



10. TROVA I NOMI DI 12 CIBI E SCRIVILI NELLA COLONNA GIUSTA.



S	C	H	E	E	S	E	S
B	H	A	M	O	T	A	A
U	N	Y	Y	R	G	C	U
T	B	R	E	A	D	R	S
T	E	I	G	N	M	I	A
E	A	C	G	G	I	S	G
R	N	E	S	E	L	P	E
G	S	A	U	S	K	S	S
A	P	P	L	E	S	E	B

COUNTABLE	UNCOUNTABLE
_____	CHEESE, _____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

11. ABBINA LE PAROLE DELLA COLONNA A CON LE PAROLE DELLA COLONNA B.

A	B
A BOTTLE OF	CHEESE
A CUP OF	CRISPS
A BAR OF	WINE
A CAN OF	WATER
A PIECE OF	CAKE
A LOAF OF	COFFEE
A GLASS	CHOCOLATE
A PACKET OF	BREAD
A SLICE OF	COLA

12. COMPLETA LA FRASI CON SOME / ANY / A / AN.

1. There is **a** bottle of water in the fridge.
2. Can I have ..... pasta please?
3. My mother is cooking ..... sausages.
4. Is there ..... cheese in the fridge?
5. .... apple a day keeps the doctor away.
6. There's ..... orange juice in the bottle.
7. Can I have ..... apples, please?

13. SCRIVI SE LE FRASI SONO CORRETTE (C) O INCORRETTE (I).

1.	Are there some books on your desk?	
2.	There isn't any wardrobe in my bedroom.	
3.	There is some flowers in the garden.	
4.	How many rooms there are in your house?	