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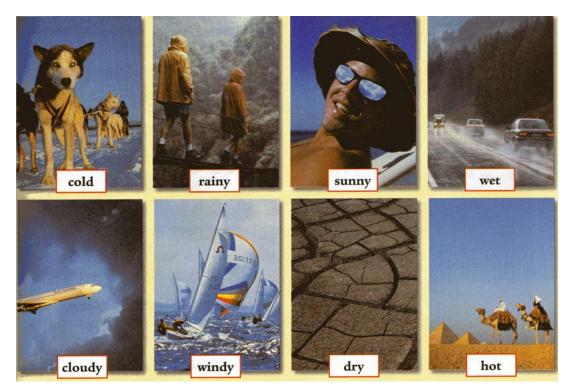
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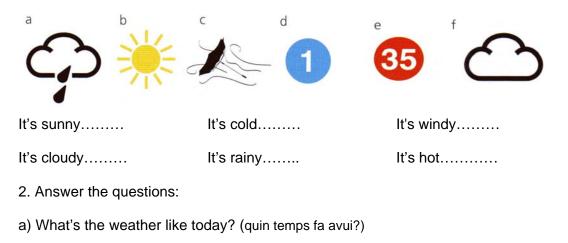
Vocabulary

The weather: adjectives

Look at the pictures and study the words about the weather:



1. Now look at the weather symbols and write the letter next to the correct expression:



b) What's the weather like in winter and in summer? (quin temps fa a l'hivern I a l'estiu?)

Read the statement about the weather in Britain. How much can you understand?

Living in Britain

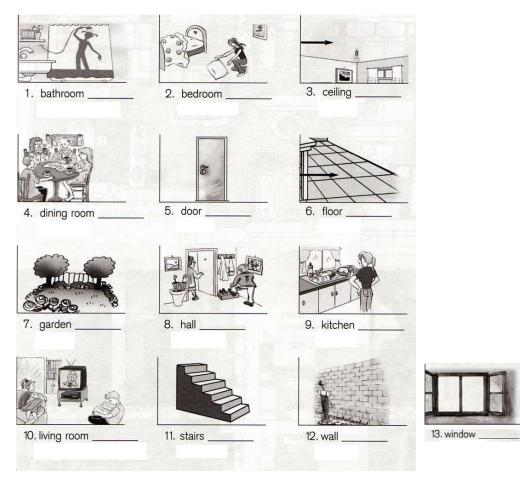
The weather in Britain isn't usually very hot or very cold. A typical temperature is 5°C in the winter and 15°C in the summer. The summer holidays in British schools are only five or six weeks long.

3. Now translate the previous text with the help of the following words:

| "El temps ao molto no és normalment molto molto | | | | |
|---|-----------------|-------------|---------|-------------|
| Una | típica és | a l' | i | |
| A l' | Les vacances d' | a les | | britàniques |
| són només de | 0 | setmanes de | durada" | |

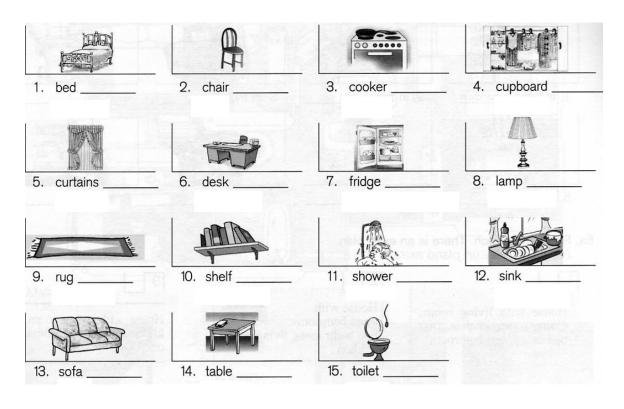
The house : rooms

4. Look and learn. Then write the word in Catalan:



The house : furniture

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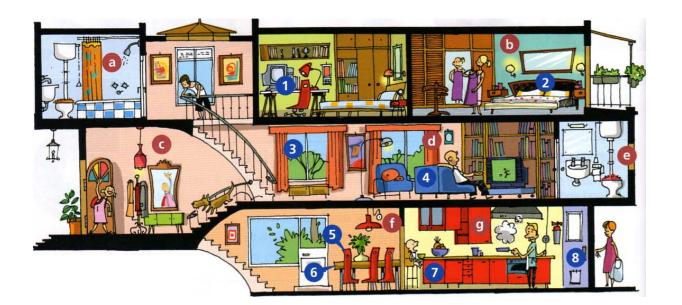
6. Now match:

a) the **rooms** with the letters **a-g** in the picture

b) the furniture with numbers 1-8







Grammar : There is / There are

Affirmative (Singular) There is a table. (Plural) There are two chairs.

Negative (Singular) There isn't a table. (Plural) There aren't two chairs.

Questions

(Singular) **Is there** a table? (Plural) **Are there** two chairs?

Short answers

(Singular) Yes, there is./No, there isn't. (Plural) Yes, there are./No, there aren't.

- Utilitzem aquesta estructura quan volem dir el que hi ha en un lloc. En català la forma és invariable, encara que sigui plural. Així doncs, traduirem les frases afirmatives de la manera següent:

- There is a table : <u>Hi ha</u> una taula
- There are two chairs : <u>Hi ha</u> dues cadires. (no direm : *Hi han* dues cadires)

7. Choose the correct alternative in each sentence:

- a) There *is / are* three desks in the office.
- b) There is / are children in the classroom.
- c) There is / are a problem with the computer.
- d) There *is / are* two bedrooms in my flat.
- e) There is / are a small garage.
- f) There *is / are* a teacher in the classroom.

8. Complete these sentences about your house or flat. Follow the instructions to help you. Use the structures *there is, there are, there isn't, there aren't* :

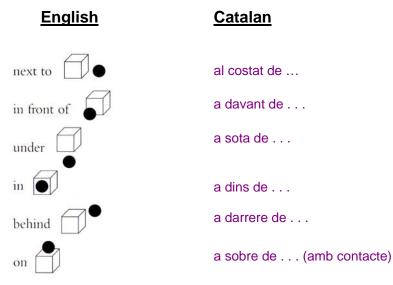
In my flat / house 1. therea kitchen

2. theretwo sofas in the living room

- 3. there a desk in my bedroom
- 4. there..... a table in the bathroom
- 5. therechairs in the dining room

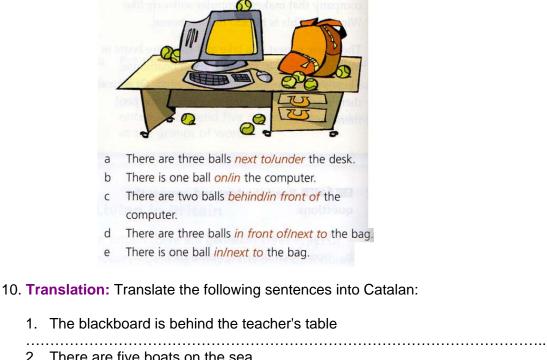
Prepositions of place

Read and learn the English word and their translation in Catalan:



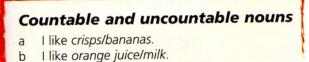
- Fem servir les preposicions de lloc (prepositions of place) per a descriure on estan situades les coses

9. Look at the picture. Choose the correct alternative in each sentence:



| | I here are five boats on the sea |
|----|---|
| 3. | The house is next to a lake |
| 4. | There is a ball under my desk |
| 5. | There's a popcorn machine in the cinema |
| | |

Countable and uncountable nouns



A la frase a) les paraules acaben amb –s, són plurals , es poden comptar : crisps (patates fregides) , bananas (plàtans). Són paraules comptables (countable nouns).

A la frase b) les paraules no acaben amb –s, són singulars i no es poden comptar: orange juice, (suc de taronja), milk (llet). Són paraules incomptables (uncountable nouns).

9. Complete the following table with food and drink words:

| bananas | cheese | Countable | Uncountable | |
|--------------|----------|-----------|-------------|--|
| sweets | meat | eaac | bread | |
| crisps | apples | eggs | | |
| milk | water | | | |
| biscuits | tomatoes | | | |
| orange juice | tea | | | |

<u>Some / any / a / an</u>

Some, any, a/an

- a There are **some** tomatoes.
- b We've got some milk.
- c No, there aren't any crisps.
- d There isn't any water.
- e Are there any crisps?
- f Is there any bread?
- g Do you want a cheese sandwich?
- h l've got an apple here.
- a. We use some in affirmative sentences (countable nouns : tomatoes)
- b. We use some in affirmative sentences (uncountable nouns: milk)
- c. We use **any** in **negative** sentences (**countable** nouns: crisps)
- d. We use any in negative sentences (uncountable nouns : water)
- e. We use any in questions (countable nouns : crisps)
- f. We use any in questions (uncountable nouns : bread)
- g. With singular countable nouns we use a with words beginning with a consonant (<u>a</u> sandwich) and an with words beginning with a vowel (<u>an</u> apple)

10. Choose the correct alternative in each sentence:

- a) Have you got any / some strawberries?
- b) There isn't any / a water
- c) Is there any / some tea?
- d) I've got a / some biscuit
- e) There's some / a bread
- f) Do you want a /an orange?
- g) There is a / some coffee in the cup
- h) There are some / any hamburgers in the restaurant
- i) There is a / an egg in the fridge

11. Complete the sentences with **some**, any, a or an:

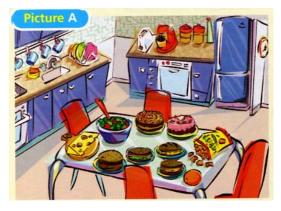
- 1. There isn'tmilk in the fridge
- 2. I've got pen
- 3. Have you got school bag?
- 4. There aren't desks in this classroom
- 5. The teacher has got dictionaries
- 6. Is thereapple in the fridge?
- 7. She's gotsugar in her kitchen
- 8. We've gottea for you
- 9. They haven't gotdog
- 10. There isn't cheese in the supermarket

12. Match the questions in list A with their correct answers in list B:

| Α | В | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| | | | |
| 1. Are there any pens on your desk? | a. There are 30 students | | |
| 2. How many letters are there in your name? | b. Yes, there's a sandwich | | |
| 3. Is there a pencil in your hand? | c. Yes, there are four | | |
| 4. Is there any food in your schoolbag? | d. Yes, there is one | | |
| 5. Is there a TV in your bedroom? | e. Yes, there is the Maths teacher | | |
| 6. Are there any teachers in the classroom? | f. There are six letters | | |
| 7. How many students are there in your class? | g. No, there's a ruler | | |
| 8. Is there a gym in your school? | h. No, the TV is in the living room | | |

SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Look at the two pictures very carefully :





13. Read the sentences and decide if they describe picture A or picture B. Write A or B at the end of each sentence.

- 1. There are two cakes.....
- 2. There is a boy.....
- 3. There is some cheese......
- 4. There are some bananas......
- 5. There aren't any crisps.....
- 6. There is an orange.....
- 7. There isn't a hamburger.....
- 8. There isn't any orange juice.....
- 9. There is an apple.....
- 10. There are some strawberries.....

14. Answer the questions according to the two pictures:

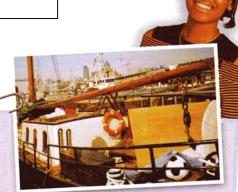
| a) Are there any bananas in picture B? |
|---|
| b) How many cakes are there in picture A? |
| c) Where is there any cheese, in picture A or B? |
| d) Is there a girl in picture B? e) Where is there a salad, in picture A or B? |
| f) How many oranges are there in picture A? |

READING

Life on a Houseboat

Read the text about Sophie's new home and do the exercise below. Use your dictionary for any new words.





Here are some photos of my new home. It's a houseboat and it's on the River Thames. Our neighbours all live on houseboats too.

We've got a living rooml It's got a TV, a sofa, a table and four chairs. It's the furniture from our old house.

Look at the kitchen. It's my favourite room.

This is my bathroom. My parents have got another bathroom near their room.

There are three bedrooms. My bedroom is small, but it's got a bed, a cupboard, a desk and a chair in it.

There isn't a garden, of course, but we can sit outside on the boat.

15. Complete the following sentences with information from the text:

| 1. | Sophie lives on a |
|-----|---|
| 2. | The houseboat is on the River |
| 3. | Sophie' sall live on houseboats too. |
| 4. | The living room has got |
| 5. | The is Sophie's favourite room |
| 6. | There are three bedrooms and two on the houseboat |
| 7. | Her parents' bathroom is |
| 8. | Sophie's bedroom is not big, it is |
| 9. | Her bedroom has got |
| 10. | The houseboat hasn't got a |

| WRITING |
|---|
| Review |
| Es fàcil cometre errades quan escrivim, per això comprova sempre si has posat bé: |
| els signes de puntuació |
| les majúscules |
| I'ordre de les paraules |
| i els connectors o conjuncions. |

- 16. Correct the mistakes in each sentence:
- 1. Is there any food in the cupboard!
- 2. Lives Sophie in a houseboat
- 3. Brian is from england
- 4. There's a chair in my room but there's a desk too
- 5. There aren't any drinks in the fridge?
- 6. british people like tea
- 7. ¿Is there a garden in your house
- 8. Are there two bathrooms in her houseboat
- 9. On the table there are two pens and a dictionary and there isn't a book
- 10. Do you learn french or german at school?

<u>Before you write</u> : Think about the answers to the following questions about your house or flat.

- 1. Where is your house or flat? (ciutat, poble, carrer...)
- 2. How many rooms are there? (nombre d'habitacions generals)
- 3. What rooms are there? (nom d'aquestes habitacions)
- 4. What furniture have you got in your bedroom? (els mobles del teu dormitori)

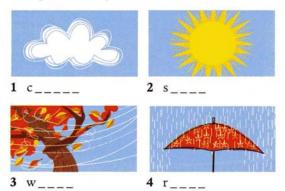
17. <u>Now write</u> : Write about your house. Use the ideas from the previous questions (1-4) to write a complete text:

My house / flat is in

PROGRESS CHECK 6

The weather: adjectives

1 Complete the adjectives.



Rooms and furniture

- 2 Separate the words to find rooms and furniture.
 - a lisofavingroom living room, sofa
 - b kittablechen
 - c toidoorlet
 - d hawindowll
 - e beddeskroom

Countable and uncountable nouns

| 3 | Write C for countable | or U for uncountable | | | |
|---|-----------------------|----------------------|--------|---|---------|
| | | | food | | problem |
| | | 2 | desert | 5 | bus |
| | | 3 | water | 6 | paper |



- 4 Write complete sentences about the picture with is, are, isn't or aren't.
- a. There / six chairs in the room.
- b. There / a teacher in the room. _____
- c. There / a dog in the room.
- d. There / a desk for the teacher. ___
- e. There / a blackboard in the room.
- f. There / windows in the room.
- g. There / a man at the door. _____
- h. There / students in class.

some and any

5 Complete the dialogue with some and any.



Prepositions of place

6 Where is the ball? Complete the sentences with the correct prepositions :

