

**THERE IS / THERE ARE****1 Read the text and underline the correct word.**

My friend Oliver lives on a farm. There is / are a lot of animals. There is / are two dogs, but there isn't / aren't three cats. There is / are only one cat. There is / are a rabbit and there is / are two fish. There isn't / aren't any cows and there isn't / aren't a pony, but there is / are a hamster. You can find some unusual animals there that aren't Oliver's pets. There is / are some frogs and there is / are even a snake, but it isn't dangerous. Still, I hope I won't see it because I'm afraid of snakes!

**2 Fill in the gaps with IS or ARE.**

- 0 There are a lot of flowers in the garden.
- 1 There is a cat sleeping under the tree.
- 2 There is a cooker in the kitchen.
- 3 There are twenty-five students in the classroom.
- 4 There are some pictures on the wall.
- 5 There is one book on the desk.
- 6 There are toys in the toy box.
- 7 There are three bedrooms upstairs.
- 8 There is a garage.

**3 Change the affirmative sentences into questions.**

0 There is a pencil on the desk.

**Is there a pencil on the desk?**

1 There are two bathrooms upstairs.

**Are there two bathrooms upstairs?**

2 There is a boy in the park.

**Is there a boy in the park?**

3 There is a lamp on the desk.

**Is there a lamp on the desk?**

4 There are three books on the bookshelf.

**Are there three books on the bookshelf?**

5 There are a lot of paintings on the wall.

**Are there a lot of paintings on the wall?**

**4 Look at the picture. Underline the correct answer.**

0 Are there any curtains?

Yes, there are. / No, there aren't.

1 Is there a cooker?

Yes, there is. / No, there isn't.

2 Is there a painting on the wall?

Yes, there is. / No, there isn't.

3 Are there two chairs in the living room?

Yes, there are. / No, there aren't.

4 Is there a cat?

Yes, there is. / No, there isn't.

5 Is there a carpet on the floor?

Yes, there is. / No, there isn't.

6 Are there four tables?

Yes, there are. / No, there aren't.

7 Are there any plants?

Yes, there are. / No, there aren't.

5 Complete the questions and answer the question as in the example. Use the correct form of THERE IS and THERE ARE.

- 0 Is there a cupboard in the bathroom? (x) No, there isn't.  
Is there a cooker in the kitchen? (✓) Yes, there is.
- 1 Are there any tomatoes in the garden? (✓) Yes, there are.  
 2 Are there any flowers on the balcony? (x) No, there aren't.  
 3 Is there a computer on the desk? (x) No, there isn't.  
 4 Are there a lot of students in boarding schools? (✓) Yes, there are.  
 5 Are there any books in the drawer? (x) No, there aren't.  
 6 Is there a mirror in the bathroom? (✓) Yes, there is.  
 7 Is there a bottle of milk in the fridge? (x) No, there isn't.

6 Look at the pictures. Fill in the gaps with THERE IS, THERE ARE, THERE ISN'T or THERE AREN'T.

This is my parents' bedroom. It is big and bright. There is a big bed and there are a lot of pillows on it. There aren't two bedside tables, but there is a desk. There is a chair, too. There isn't a wardrobe, but there is a cupboard. There are some flowers on the cupboard. There aren't any curtains. There is a carpet on the floor. There is a lamp, but there aren't any bookshelves.

Our kitchen isn't very big. There are cupboards and there are three drawers. There isn't a cook, but there is a cooker. There is a fridge and there is a sink, but there isn't a carpet. There isn't a table and there aren't any chairs. Is there a window? Yes, there is. It's opposite the cupboards.

#### PREPOSITIONS OF PLACE

7 Look at the picture and underline the correct word.

There are two pillows under / on the sofa. There is a TV in / on the wall and there is a cupboard under / behind the TV. There is a plant behind / between the sofa and the cupboard. There is one lamp on / under the cupboard and the other lamp is in front of / behind the armchair.

8 Look at the pictures and fill in the gaps with the correct preposition from the box.

in - on - under - behind - in front of - between - next to

My living room is untidy. There is one pillow on the floor. Another pillow is on the sofa. There is a plant behind the sofa. The plant is in the vase. There are some books on the bookshelf. The cup is next to the TV. There are some books on the floor and there is a piece of paper under the sofa. There is a little plant on the floor under the TV. Anna's room is tidy. There is a bed next to the bedside table. There is Anna's bag on the bedside table. The bag is next to the teddy bear. There are Anna's glasses on the bookshelf. The glasses are between the camera and the cap. There is a lamp on the desk. The chair is in front of the desk. There are two boxes on the desk. The blue box is under the brown box. There are some bookshelves on the wall.

#### THE INDEFINITE ARTICLE (A or AN)

9 Write A or AN on the lines.

a school  
a house      a carpet      an umbrella      a vase  
an orange      a poster      a university      a kitchen  
a fireplace      a roommate      an hour      an elephant

**10 Fill in the gaps with A or AN.**

- 0 This is a new student.  
 1 There is a bowl of pudding on the table.  
 2 Tom's grandma is an old lady. She is very nice.  
 3 My family and I live in a flat and my cousins live in a big house.  
 4 There is a sofa and an armchair in the living room.  
 5 His parents have got a new car.  
 6 My baby sister has got a lot of toys, but her favourite toy is a unicorn.  
 7 My dad works in a theatre. He is an actor.  
 8 In my school students don't wear a uniform.  
 9 Every morning I eat an egg.  
 10 Martha is reading an interesting book.

**SINGULAR VS PLURAL NOUNS****11 Write the plural of the nouns on the lines.**

a book → two books  
 an umbrella → seven umbrellas  
 a cupboard → three cupboards  
 a box → some boxes  
 a kiss → a lot of kisses

a toothbrush → ten toothbrushes  
 a bookshelf → some bookshelves  
 a dress → five dresses  
 a student → twenty students  
 a mouse → four mice

**12 Read the sentences and underline the correct word.**

- 0 I have got a big family / families.  
 1 My house isn't big. There are two bedroom / bedrooms upstairs. There is a kitchen / kitchens and a bathroom / bathrooms downstairs.  
 2 There are sixteen chair / chairs in the classroom.  
 3 I have got a lot of friend / friends, but my best friend / friends is Mary.  
 4 There are book / books on the desk.  
 5 I love animal / animals and I have got a dog / dogs, three cat / cats, a parrot / parrots, and two hamster / hamsters.

**13 Read the sentences and write the plural of the words in brackets.**

- 0 Many students (student) have lunch in the school canteen.  
 1 We have got a beautiful garden behind the house. There are a lot of trees (tree) and flowers (flower).  
 2 "Where are the children (child)?" – "They are doing homework in their bedroom."  
 3 I have got two sisters (sister).  
 4 Helen likes reading. Her bookshelves (bookshelf) are full of books.  
 5 Vanessa's sister is afraid of spiders (spider) and mice (mouse).  
 6 I brush my teeth (tooth) every day.  
 7 My mum is in the kitchen. She is making a salad. She needs some fresh tomatoes (tomato).

**14 Make these sentences plural.**

- 0 There is a cake in the fridge.  
There are (some /two/...) cakes in the fridge.  
 1 There is a man and a woman on the street.  
There are (some/two/...) men and women on the street.  
 2 There is a box under the sofa.  
There are (some/two/...) boxes under the sofa.  
 3 There is a bedside table in the bedroom.  
There are (some/two/...) bedside tables in the bedroom.  
 4 The bus is late this morning.  
The buses are late this morning.  
 5 There is a poster on the wall.  
There are (some/two/...) posters on the wall.  
 6 There is a potato in the pantry.  
There are (some/two/...) potatoes in the pantry.