UNIT III
AROUND THE HOUSE

A. Which kind of housing would you prefer? Number the items from 1 (your favorite) to 6 (your least favorite). Compare your answers with a partner.

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<td>___ a large apartment in the suburbs</td>
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<td>___ a house in the suburbs with a large yard</td>
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<td>___ a house in the city with a garage</td>
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<td>___ a house in the country</td>
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<td>___ a studio apartment in the city</td>
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<td>___ other: _______________</td>
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B. People are talking about housing. What kind of house or apartment does each person need? Listen and circle the correct answer.

1. a. a studio apartment  
   b. a three bedroom apartment
2. a. an apartment in the city  
   b. a house with a yard
3. a. an apartment in the city  
   b. a house in the suburbs
4. a. a house in the country  
   b. a house in the city
5. a. a large apartment  
   b. a one bedroom apartment
6. a. a small apartment in the city  
   b. a small apartment near the airport

C. People are talking about where they live. What do the people dislike about each place? Listen and circle the correct answer.

1. a. location  
   b. condition  
   c. rent
2. a. neighbors  
   b. noise  
   c. size
3. a. location  
   b. noise  
   c. size
4. a. size  
   b. location  
   c. rent
5. a. size  
   b. condition  
   c. noise
6. a. neighbors  
   b. condition  
   c. rent
D. People are talking about why they moved to a different place. Does the information in the chart describe their old place or their new place? Check (V) the correct answer.

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<th>New Place</th>
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<td>1. Loud noise</td>
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<td>2. Wonderful landlady</td>
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<td>3. No pets allowed</td>
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<td>4. Great stove</td>
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<td>5. Expensive to take care of</td>
<td>A lot cheaper</td>
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<td>Quiet neighbors</td>
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<td>Traffic noise</td>
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<td>Close to a good school</td>
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<td>Near a park</td>
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<td>Small dining</td>
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E. People are talking about problems with their apartments. What problems do they describe? Listen and circle the correct answer.

1. a. The walls are too thin.  4. a. The are too many ads in the mailboxes
   b. The TV reception is noisy. b. There are too many sales people
2. a. The neighbor is noisy.  5. a. The kitchen appliances are too old.
   b. The roof leaks.           b. The bathroom appliances are too old.
3. a. The garbage is picked up too early.  6. a. The neighbor is noisy.
   b. The hallway are too dark. b. The neighbor’s dog makes a mess.
UNIT IV
SIGHTSEEING

A. Where are these people going on holiday?
   
a) I'll visit the Taj Mahal and eat some delicious curries. .........................India
b) I'll go to the floating market, visit the Grand Palace and eat very spicy food. ........................................
c) I'll walk along the Great Wall and go to see the soldiers at Xian. ..............................
d) I'll climb Table Mountain and spend some time on the beach too. .................................
e) I'm looking forward to visiting the different art galleries, going down the canals in a gondola and seeing the Colosseum. ........................................
f) I'm looking forward to seeing where the Olympics first started. ........................................

B. People are talking about two cities. Listen and circle the city each person prefers.

1. a. Washington, D.C.  
   b. New York.

2. a. Los Angeles  
   b. San Francisco.

3. a. Singapore  
   b. Hong Kong.

4. a. Sydney  
   b. Melbourne.
C. People are talking about the tours they took. What was good or bad about each tour? Listen and check the correct answer.

D. Plan a visit for friends who are coming to visit you from out of town. Complete the chart with your partner. Use: Why don’t we take them to see…? What are the best places to eat? Are there any special events this weekend? What are the best night spots in town?

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<th>Restaurants</th>
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<th>Shows and services</th>
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E. Where are Paul and Sally thinking of going on holiday this year? Put the words into the correct boxes.

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<th>India</th>
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<th>Paul</th>
<th>Sally Ann</th>
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F. Listen to the song and fill in the gaps with the correct forms of the verbs provided.

| to sit | to spend | to end | to come | to have | to be | to catch | to travel | to relax |

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**MY NEW ORLEANS DREAM**

I’m going to a special place with all of my friends
Down in Louisianan where the Mississippi (1)...
Gonna stay up all night and (2) all day.
Down in my favourite city in the USA.

Chorus
I’m dreaming my New Orleans dream
Old time riverboats powered by steam
Jazz on the streets and houses from the past

I’m dreaming my New Orleans dream
Sunny cafes with coffee and cream
Pack your bags fast – we’re going there at last.

We’re gonna (3) the summer far away from school.
We’re going on vacation. It’ll be so cool.

We’ll (4) the plane tomorrow. I just can’t wait to go
And once we get to New Orleans we won’t want to (5) home.

(Chorus)

Where are the flowers? Where are the trees?
Where are the boats that (6) down to the sea?
Where is the music and the warm summer breeze?

Come to New Orleans please.

We can catch a steamboat, we can (7) in the sun
Down by the Mississippi we’ll be (8) so much fun

There’s singing and there’s laughing, there’s excitement everywhere
The streets (9) full of people and there’s music in the air.