## Box A: nouns

Edinburgh computers English geography London history maths my dad my sister my teacher New York school smartphones Sydney the beach the park

# **Box B: adjectives**

exciting expensive famous fantastic important interesting popular unusual

I think maths is more interesting than English.



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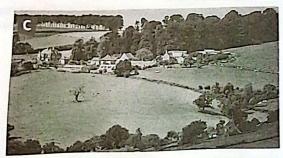
LISTENING

#### The natural world

1 Match the descriptions to the pictures.









- 1 There's a river in the forest.
- 2 In this garden there is grass, and there are trees and flowers.
- 3 Here we can see the sea and the beach.
- 4 This is the countryside near my home.

# 2 Complete the sentences with the words in bold from Exercise 1.

1 Which do you prefer: swimming in the or in a river?

Dad, we need to cut the \_\_\_\_\_\_!
It's very long.

There is a \_\_\_\_\_ near my grandparents' house, but it's not sandy, it's full of stones.

4 My grandparents love their \_\_\_\_\_\_. It's behind their house. In the summer they spend all their time there. It's got lots of unusual flowers.

5 We've got lots of tall \_\_\_\_\_ in our garden. My brother and sister love climbing them!

6 I like living in a city, but my uncle and aunt prefer the \_\_\_\_\_. There are no tall buildings where they live and there aren't many cars.

7 The Amazon is a special type of \_\_\_\_\_\_ There are more trees and it rains a lot.

8 I'd like to go on holiday to Egypt. I want to go on a boat on the Nile! Do you know the Nile? It's a yery long

**9** Let's buy Mum some \_\_\_\_\_\_ for her birthday! She likes them.

# Listen to the conversation. Where is Jack? Why is he there?



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- 1 Jack is in the UK. Jack is in Canada.
- 2 Jack is with his family. Jack isn't with his family.
- 3 Jack's grandmother is 50 tomorrow. Jack's grandmother is 60 tomorrow.
- 4 Jack's grandmother lives in Canada. Jack's grandmother doesn't live in Canada.
- 5 Jack's hotel is near a forest. Jack's hotel is in a forest.
- **6** Jack's father enjoys walking by the river. Jack's mother enjoys walking by the river.
- 7 Ava can meet Jack on Sunday. Ava can't meet Jack on Sunday.

#### **Comparatives: short adjectives**

1 Complete the table with the comparative form of the adjectives in the box.

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Complete the sentences with the comparative form of the adjectives.

1	Our English classroon	n is(big)
	than our music classr	oom.
2	Paris is	(cold) than Seville.
3	Linda is	(happy) on Friday tha
	on Monday.	
4	My grandparents' hou	ise is (old
	than our house.	
5	My brother is always	(hungry)
	than his friends!	
6	My sister is a	(fast) runner tha
	I am.	
7	The sea in Spain is	(warm) tha
	the sea in Scotland.	
8	I am	(young) than most of my
	friends.	
9	lam	(short) than you.

- Write sentences.
  - O Hugo's teacher / Eleanor's teacher (old) Hugo's teacher is older than Eleanor's teacher. 1 English / Chinese (easy)

  - 2 Mexico / Russia (hot)
  - 3 a bus / a taxi (long)
  - 4 a car / a school bus (fast)
  - 5 orange juice / tea (nice)
  - 6 London / Madrid (big)
  - 7 winter / summer (cold)
  - 8 my sister / my brother (young)

Look at the pictures. Read the sentences. Write Yes or No.





0 Tom is shorter than Karen.

No

- 1 Tom' hair is longer than Karen's.
- 2 Tom's cat is fatter than Karen's cat.
- 3 Tom's garden is nicer than Karen's garden.
- 4 Tom's face is dirtier than Karen's face.
- 5 Compare the boy and girl. Write six comparative sentences using the words in the box.



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