



English Plus 1

Workbook

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Let's open your books...



there is, there are + a, an, some and any

- 1 Complete the affirmative ✓ and negative ✗ sentences with *is, are, isn't* and *aren't*.

There is a table. ✓

- 1 There _____ two boys. ✓
- 2 There _____ a cinema. ✗
- 3 There _____ some books. ✓
- 4 There _____ any flats near here. ✗
- 5 There _____ an art gallery. ✓
- 6 There _____ a park. ✗
- 7 There _____ any factories. ✗
- 8 There _____ some animals. ✓

- 2 Complete the sentences with *a, an, some* or *any*.

There isn't a cinema.

- 1 There's _____ email.
- 2 There are _____ CDs.
- 3 There's _____ window.
- 4 There aren't _____ pencils.
- 5 There are _____ shelves.
- 6 There isn't _____ a shopping centre.
- 7 There aren't _____ posters.
- 8 There's _____ office.

Is there ...?, Are there ...?

- 3 Complete the questions and answers using the words in the box. Use the words more than once.

are aren't how is two there's
many there isn't

Is there a book?

No, there isn't.

1 _____ there any shops?

Yes, there _____.

2 _____ there an email?

No, there _____.

3 _____ there any parks?

No, there _____.

4 _____ many flats are there?

There are _____.

5 _____ there a shopping centre?

Yes, there _____.

6 How _____ sports centres are _____?
_____ one.

Comparative adjectives

4 Write the comparative adjectives.

small

smaller

1 pretty

2 difficult

3 fast

4 bad

5 expensive

6 easy

7 interesting

8 far

9 ugly

10 exciting

5 Complete the sentences with the comparative form of the adjectives in brackets and *than*.

He's older than (old) me.

1 Football is _____ (popular) tennis.

2 My bag is _____ (nice) your bag.

3 The library is _____ (big) the school.

4 DVD players are _____ (cheap) TVs.

5 Jack is _____ (friendly) Tom.

6 My laptop is _____ (good) my computer.

7 Skiing is _____ (dangerous) chess.

8 Canada is _____ (cold) Spain.

9 Her bike is _____ (expensive) your bike.

10 I think Rome is _____ (beautiful) Paris.

Prepositions: *by* and *on*

6 Complete the sentences with *by* or *on*.

I go to school by bus.

1 She travels to work _____ the train.

2 The office is about ten minutes _____ foot.

3 Adam goes to school _____ car.

4 We go to Paris _____ the plane.

5 It's about two hours to London _____ train.

6 Mark goes to London _____ the coach.

Complete the sentences with the comparative form of the adjectives.

The park is quieter (quiet) than the city.

- 1 Those factories are _____ (ugly) than these offices.
- 2 The big city is _____ (dangerous) than this small town.
- 3 The people in your town are _____ (friendly) than the people in my town.
- 4 The shops in the shopping centre are _____ (cheap) than the shops here.
- 5 The food here is _____ (good) than the food in my home town.
- 6 I think English is _____ (difficult) than French.
- 7 The train station is _____ (big) than the bus station.
- 8 The films at the cinema are _____ (exciting) than the films on TV.
- 9 Hip hop is _____ (bad) than classical music.
- 10 This town is _____ (pretty) than that town.

Order the words to make sentences. Omit one of the words in each sentence.

It's / minutes / ten / bus / on / by

It's ten minutes by bus.

1 on / It's / five / by / minutes / car

2 an / coach / hour / It's / by / the

3 twenty / by / minutes / train / It's / on / the

4 hours / car / three / It's / on / the / plane

5 bus / fifteen / It's / foot / minutes / the / on

6 five / on / hours / It's / by / foot