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What is your dream home?

1. Match the types of homes to their definitions. There are two additional types of homes.

- a) detached house
- b) block of flats
- c) cottage
- d) semi-detached house
- e) farmhouse
- f) mansion
- g) camper van
- h) villa
- i) terraced house

- 1) a luxurious house
- 2) one of a row of houses that are joined to each other
- 3) a van which is adapted for living inside and travelling around
- 4) a building that consists of many flats
- 5) a single house not connected to any other building
- 6) a house that is joined to one other 7) a small house in the country

2. Write the definitions of the two types of homes not used in ex. 1.

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3. Work in pairs. Choose three types of homes and talk about the advantages and disadvantages of living in them. Use the expressions below.

- In my opinion,...
- As far as I'm concerned,..
- I think...
- I don't think so
- I suppose...
- If you ask me,...

4. Look at the list. Which aspects would be important for you while buying or building your dream home? Choose five aspects and explain why¹.

airy	cosy rooms	one floor.	beautiful yard	big size
location near water	pool	lots of space.	price	central location
nice neighbours	three bathrooms			

¹yard (AmE) = garden (BrE)

5. Watch a video [<https://youtu.be/lu7VKkmF5Vg>] and tick which aspects of a dream home from ex. 4 the people mention.

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6.Discuss the following questions.

- There must be more than one bathroom in my dream home. Do you agree? Why/Why not?
- Which is more important for you: lots of space in your home or a central location?
- A beautiful yard is a must if you have children. Do you agree?
- Do you have nice neighbours? Do you get on with them?
- One man in the video says: “My dream home will consist of my children being happy and healthy.” Do you agree?

7. Put the words in the box into the correct categories.

at the seaside	in the city centre lift	on an island	
beautiful yard	in the country	lots of space	pool
charming	in the mountains	modern	roomy
sauna	homely	large	
	near a lake	small	

SIZE:

DESCRIPTION:

AMENITIES:

LOCATION:

8. Use the words from ex. 4 and 7 to describe the homes below.





9. Discuss the questions.

- Where is it better to live: at the seaside or in the mountains? Why?
- What are the advantages of living in the country?
- What are the advantages of living in the city centre?
- Is a lift a must in a block of flats?
- What can you do to make your house or flat more homely?
- What kind of home can you call charming?
- What are the disadvantages of living in a large home?

- What problems might you have when you live in a small home?

10. Describe your dream home. Think of the aspects below. Next, tell your partner what your dream home looks like.

- location
- views
- appearance

- rooms
- size
- amenities



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