



VIA /TCU WORKSHOP A2015

Building Pre-Technical English

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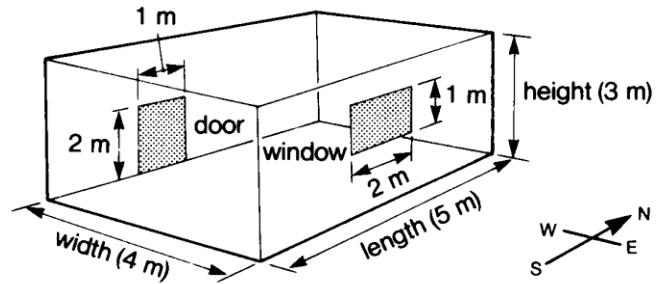
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Measurement and Location

1: Asking information about measurements :(Answers to be written on hand outs)



Put the words in the right order to ask a question about the length of the room:
length of What the the is room ?

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Now from the sentence above, write your own question to know the wall area.

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You want to know the volume of the room. Write your question.

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2: Giving information about measurements:

Put the words in the right order to give information about the length of the room:
room long This five is meters

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Now from the sentence above, write your own sentence to give information about the width and the height of the room.

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Write your own information about the floor area.

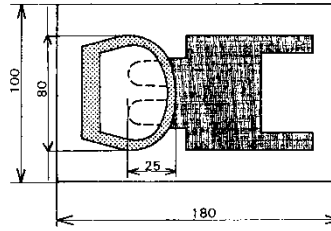
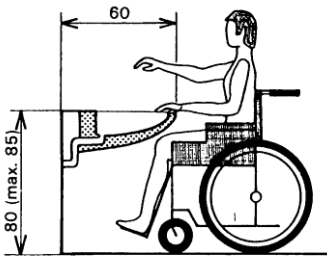
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Give information about the volume of air to be circulated

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3: Regulations, requirements and allowances



Put the words in the right order to state a technical specification for disabled users:
height The centimetres of a for basin disabled wash people maximum be 85 should.

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Now from the sentence above, write your own sentence to give information about the maximum width allowed for the wash basin.

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Write a full sentence to tell the regulation about the minimum width of the bath (picture on the right)

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Write a short text to explain the requirement of 25 cm on the right picture. Is it a maximum or a minimum? Is it allowed or requested? What for? Justify.

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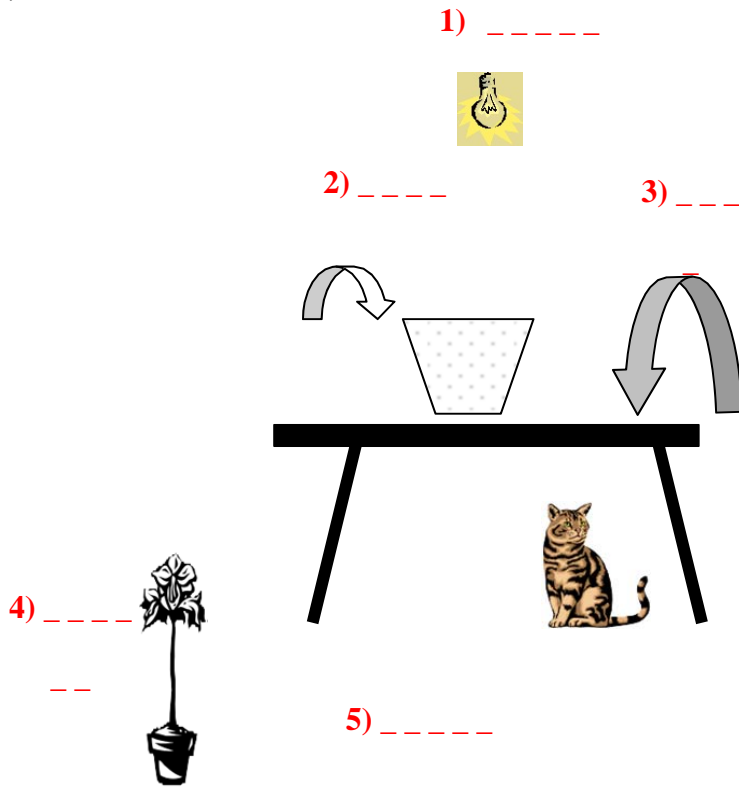
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4: Location

4.1: Fill in the gaps with static words to locate

Prepositions
&
Adverbs



4.2 : Write 5 sentences illustrated by the picture above, using the words you have selected for the empty spaces :

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2)

3)

4)

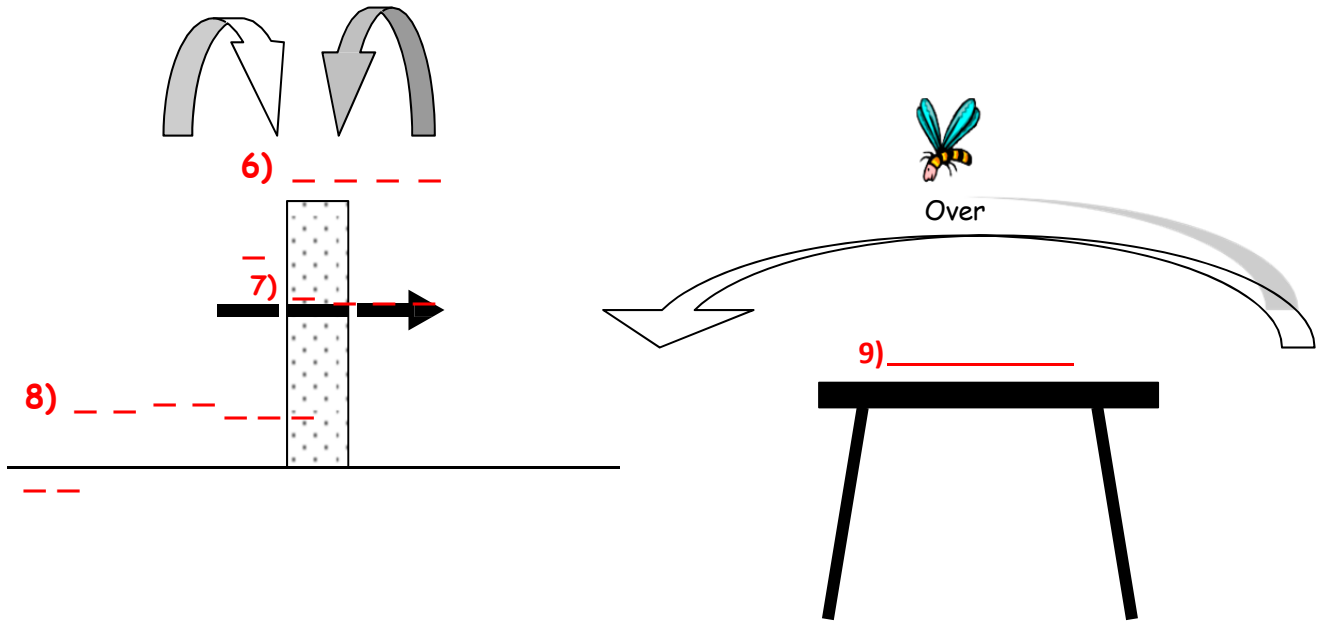
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4.3: Fill in the gaps with dynamic words to locate



Write 4 sentences of your own using the words you have selected for the empty spaces above, but with a more general meaning and in a different situation from the one illustrated :

1).....

2)

3)

4)

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5: Exposition, orientation and limits

5.1: Put the words in the right order to give information about the orientation of the façade of the building shown below:

building The faces main façade of south this:

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Now write your own sentence to give information about the orientation of the side of the building next to the railway:

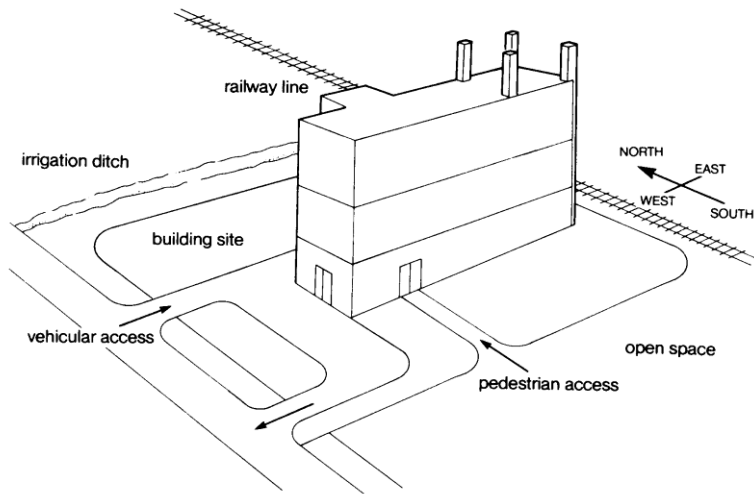
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Give information about the northern boundary of the building

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Write a sentence using the verb “run along”

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5.2: Answer the following questions:

Which orientation do the long walls of the building face?

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How are the gables of the building orientated?

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What runs along the eastern boundary?

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Where does the western gable look out to?

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5.3 Written Work:

5.3.1: Draw a series of quick sketches of your house/ block of flats showing:

- The general location of the building in the city
- The general outlook of the building
- The general orientation of the building
- The surroundings

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5.3.2: Answer the following questions. The answers should correspond to the sketches above:

Which part of China is your city located?

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Where in the city is your accommodation situated?

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What is the general shape and appearance of the building you live in?

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What is the material used?

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How many stories are there?

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Where is your room located?

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How is it orientated?

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