### Living in a flat

**ADVANTAGES**
- you don’t have much work with heating (central heating)
- it is usually near the city centre
- no garden work
- buying a flat is cheaper
- services are nearby
- it is comfortable if the owner works/travels a lot

**DISADVANTAGES**
- small/ less privacy
- the neighbours can be noisy sometimes
- it is difficult to keep a bigger pet
- no garden
- thin walls

### Living in a house

**ADVANTAGES**
- it is a lifestyle
- you have a garden
- you can sit in the garden/do gardening/keep a garden party/lie in the Sun
- you can have bigger place, the neighbours are farther away
- usually quiet and calm
- the children can play in safety
- you don’t have to park on the street

**DISADVANTAGES**
- you have to deal with the heating of the house in winter
- more expensive
- there are more tasks
- you have to commute from the green belt to the city centre

### Living in a village

**ADVANTAGES**
- you can have a garden or pets/domesticated animals
- you usually have got a big territory
  - it is usually a quiet place
- the surroundings can be cleaner and less polluted

**DISADVANTAGES**
- there aren’t a lot of shops
- people have to commute
  - less shopping and entertainment facilities
  - less schools and jobs
  - agricultural work

### Living in a city

**ADVANTAGES**
- you can find everything you want
- there are hospitals, police stations, fire stations
- there are a lot of schools, parks, shops, a mall
- there are a lot of people
- there are green belts

**DISADVANTAGES**
- very noisy/crowded
- the night is never ‘dark’
- polluted sometimes