

Talking about illness

Name _____ Date _____



Choose the right words to fill the gaps. Then say the words with partner.

earache red spots cold supermarket headache
prescription sneezing an infection ear drops cough
three weeks 8 times cough medicine paracetamol

- 1 Doctor: Hello, what's the matter?
Patient: I think my son has chickenpox.
Doctor: Are there on his body?
Patient: Yes, there are.
- 2 School: Hello
Parent: Hello, my child cannot come to school today.
He/she has a cold and is a lot.
- 3 Doctor: Hello, what's the matter?
Patient: I have pain in my ear. It is very bad
Doctor: Let me have a look. Yes, you have
Patient: What can I take?
Doctor: I will give you a for
Patient: Thank you.
- 4 A: I have a pain in my head.
B: You should take if you have a
- 5 A: I have a bad cough
B: I can hear it. Your body is clearing bad things.
It should last for no more than
- 6 A: My daughter has another
B: My daughter has a cold a year!
- 7 A: Where can I buy cough medicine?
B: You can buy it at theor at the chemist or the pharmacy.

Talking to the doctor

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Choose some things that the doctor says and choose some things that the patient says. Write them below to make conversations.

Write **D** if the doctor says it or **P** if the patient says it

Hello, what's the matter?	Thank you.	I have a bad cough.
	Hello doctor.	I think my son has a fever.
I have pain in my ear.	I will give you a prescription for ear drops.	
Can you give me some medicine for fever?		Let me have a look.
Give her paracetamol if she is in pain or has a high temperature, but not Ibuprofen.		
He needs warmth, rest and give him a spoonful of medicine once a day.		
My ear hurts. Do I have an ear infection?		Yes, you have an ear infection.
Come back to see me if it is not better after 1 week.		My daughter has chickenpox.
You can get cough medicine from the pharmacy.		Your son has a high temperature.

Making an appointment

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Choose the right words to fill the gaps. Then say the words with a partner.

appointment have tomorrow nurse name see health
can today would like week come need don't

Hello, Asher health centre. How can I help you?

Can I have an _____, please?

Do you know if you need to see the _____ or the doctor?

I _____ know.

Hello, Asher health centre. How _____ I help you?

Can I _____ an appointment, please?

We have no appointments this afternoon. Can you come _____ morning?

Hello, Asher _____ centre. How can I help you?

I need to _____ the doctor.

Which doctor?

Hello, Asher health centre. How can I help you?

I _____ to renew my prescription.

What is your _____, please?

Hello, Asher health centre. How can I help you?

My child needs to _____ in for a check-up.

Can you come in _____ at 4 o'clock?

Hello, Asher health centre. How can I help you?

I _____ an appointment to see Dr. Jones.

Dr. Jones is away this _____. You will see Dr. Lindsay.

Making an appointment

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Book an appointment with the doctor through role play.

Think about how you book an appointment with the doctor.

Write some things that the receptionist and the patient say.

Receptionist:

Patient:

Receptionist:

Patient: