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CHAOS!

LESSON OBJECTIVE

write a blog about things happening now

1 READING

The man is in his living room. His cat likes laptops. She's walking on his laptop... and now she's going to sleep.

A Skim the text. Where is the man? What is on his laptop?

JAMIE'S BLOG

HOME ABOUT BLOG

Bloggers sometimes write from difficult places: mountains, deserts, rainforests ...

So today, my blog is from a difficult place, too. I'm writing from my living room.

Why is it difficult to write in here? Well, my brother's playing soccer (yes, in the living room.) The ball is going BOOM-BOOM-BOOM on the wall near my table and chair. My sister's doing her homework. Every two minutes, she asks me a question: "What's 15% of 500? What's 50% of 320?" So, really, I'm doing her homework.

The TV is on, but I don't know why. My mom's talking about work on the phone, so she isn't watching TV. And my dad isn't watching it. He's in the kitchen: *PSSSSSS, CRASH, BANG!* He's cooking – I think. And the cat doesn't like TV. But she likes laptops. She's walking on my laptop ... and now she's going to sleep! How do I work in this place? It's chaos!



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B READ FOR DETAILS Read the blog again. Find words to complete the chart.

people in the family	me	brother, sister, mom, dad	
technology words	phone, TV, laptop		
2 pieces of furniture	table, chair		
2 rooms	living room, kitchen		-4
animal	cat		100

C PAIR WORK THINK CRITICALLY Which people from exercise 1B are busy? having fun?

All members in his family are busy. They don't work together.