

SCENE 6 • NUMBER 7

Un formular

Your first real morning in the flat. Early, somebody knocks. It is Maria, with a pen and a printed form under her arm.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1b, 2a, 3a

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN: 1c, 2a, 3a

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT: 1b, 2c, 3c

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: Scuze, nu înțeleg. Puteți să vorbiți mai încet?, Sunt din Germania, din Hamburg., Aici. Acesta este pentru dumneavoastră.

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 34215

Words: Un formular

VOCABULARY & WRITING

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?: 1c, 2c, 3c, 4c, 5a, 6c

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Bună, 1: doamnă, 1: Iată, 1: formular, 1: Da

W3) MOTAN, HERE'S A FORM! WHERE ARE YOU FROM?: 1: Iată, 2: cafenea, 3: Și, 4: Dar

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Bună, 1: doamnă, 1: Iată, 1: formular, 1: Da

Grammar: sunt din, vorbesc

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL PATTERN: 1) din, 2) vorbesc, 3) vorbiți, 4) germană

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM: 1a, 2c, 3b, 4b, 5c, 6c, 7b

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGES: 1: vorbiți, 1: germană, 1: ingineră, 1: înțeleg

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE: Sunt din Germania., Eu vorbesc română., Dumneavoastră vorbiți engleză?

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?: 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS: 1d, 2c, 3b, 4a, 5f, 6e

Translation

■ Good morning! May I come in?

○ Good morning, Mrs Popescu! Yes, please come in.

She holds up a pen and a printed form.

■ Here's a form. Every new neighbour fills in a form.

○ A form? Now?

■ Yes, yes, now. It'll be quick!

She reads out the whole form in one breath.

■ Surname, first name, where are you from, what languages do you speak, what do you do?

○ Sorry, I don't understand. Could you speak more slowly?

Now she speaks very, very slowly.

■ All right... Sur-name?

○ My surname is Becker.

■ Letter by letter, please.

○ B, E, C, K, E, R.

■ Once more, please. Slowly.

○ B, E, C, K, E, R.

■ And where are you from?

○ I'm from Germany, from Hamburg.

■ Which languages do you speak?

○ German and English. And a little Romanian.

She is delighted, and talks even faster.

■ Romanian? You speak Romanian! Very, very good!

○ Only a little! And more slowly, please!

■ All right, all right. And what do you do?

○ I am... How do you say my job in Romanian?

■ Engineer. I know.

From her cardigan pocket she takes a small brass name plate for your letterbox.

■ Here. This is for you.

○ My surname! But... you already know everything!

○ So what's the form for?

She holds out a small brass name plate for your letterbox. Your surname is on it, already spelled right. The form under her arm is still empty.