

SCENE 7 • NUMBER 7

Můj nový byt

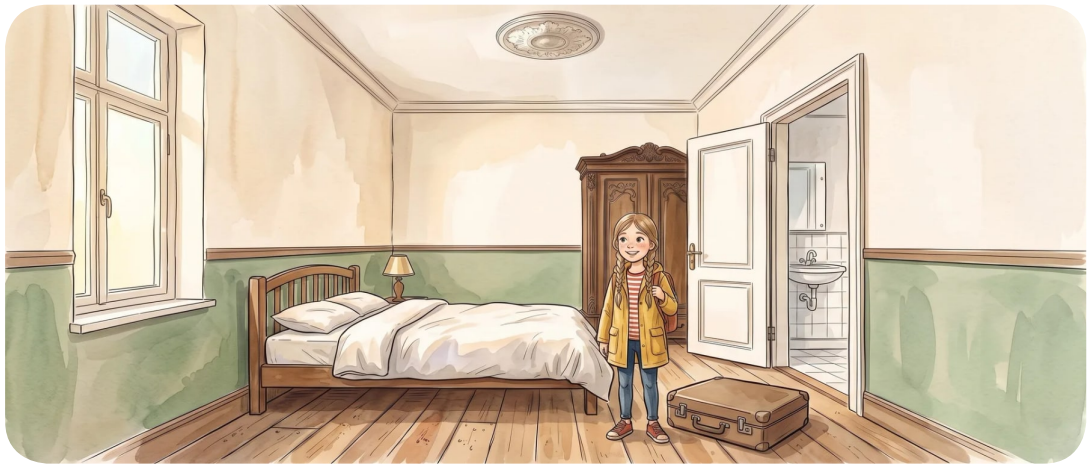
After school, Eliška comes up with her school bag to see your new flat. It is almost empty.

92 Words · 5 Exercises · Duration: 15 min.

The empty flat

Czech

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LEARNING GOAL

I can say what is in a flat and what is not, and ask what something is.

Eliška = ■ Lena (Lukas) = ○

Learning as Lukas? Use the words in brackets.

- Dobrý den! Můžu dál?
- Ahoj, Eliško! Jistě, pojd' dál.
- To je tvůj nový byt?

○ Ano. Malý, ale můj.

She points at a door.

■ A co je tam?

○ To je koupelna.

■ Tady je prázdno. Kde je stůl?

○ Stůl tady není.

■ A židle? Pohovka?

○ Židle taky nejsou. A pohovka není. Jen postel, lampa a kufr.

■ Proč?

○ Jsem tady nová (nový). Všechno mám v kufru.

■ Všechno? V jednom kufru?

She points at the big old wardrobe.

She opens the wardrobe. Inside sits Mourek, on a heap of small shiny things.

She shuts the door fast and leans against it.

■ A ta velká skříň? Je tvoje?

○ Ne, není moje. Je paní Novákové. Je moc stará.

■ Můžu se podívat?

- Jistě, podívej se.
- Mourku! A co je to? Lžíce? Klíč?
- Nic! Tady nic není!

Vocabulary

DOING THINGS

dívat se look / watch

SMALL WORDS

co what

proč why

nic nothing

AT HOME

byt flat

koupelna bathroom

stůl table

židle chair

pohovka sofa

postel bed

lampa lamp

skříň wardrobe

lžíce spoon

pokoj room

NUMBERS 0-10

jedna one

WHAT THINGS AND PEOPLE ARE LIKE

malý	small
prázdný	empty
velký	big
starý	old (of things)

EVERYDAY THINGS

kufr	suitcase
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LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING**L1) WHO SAYS IT**

Read the dialogue again. Who says these words? Tick the right person.

1 Dobrý den! Můžu dál?

- ☐ A Eliška
- ☐ B Lena

2 Všechno? V jednom kufru?

- ☐ A Eliška
- ☐ B Lena

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN

Tick the right English meaning.

1 To je tvůj nový byt?

- ☐ A So this is your new flat?
- ☐ B It's very empty here. Where's the table?
- ☐ C Hi, Eliška! Of course, come in.

2 A ta velká skříň? Je tvoje?

- ☐ A Nothing! There's nothing here!
- ☐ B No, it's not mine. It's Mrs Nováková's. The wardrobe is very old.
- ☐ C And that big wardrobe? Is it yours?

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT

Tick the right Czech sentence.

1 And what's in there?

- ☐ A Všechno? V jednom kufru?
- ☐ B A co je tam?
- ☐ C Mourku! A co je to? Lžíce? Klíč?

2 Can I have a look?

- ☐ A Můžu se podívat?
- ☐ B A co je tam?
- ☐ C Proč?

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER

Write the words in the right order on the line.

- 1**

- 2**

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST

Number the lines in the order they come in the scene.

- ☐ Ahoj, Eliško! Jistě, pojd' dál.
- ☐ To je koupelna.
- ☐ Mourku! A co je to? Lžíce? Klíč?
- ☐ A židle? Pohovka?
- ☐ A ta velká skříň? Je tvoje?

SCENE 7 • WORDS

Můj nový byt

There's nothing here

4 Exercises • Duration: 10 min.

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byt
flat



malý
small



koupelna
bathroom



prázdný
empty



stůl
table



židle
chair



pohovka
sofa



postel
bed



lampa
lamp



kufr
suitcase

1

jedna
one



skříň
wardrobe

Words

FROM THE SCENE

byt	flat To je tvůj nový byt?
malý	small Ano. Malý, ale můj.
co	what A co je tam?
koupelna	bathroom To je koupelna.
prázdný	empty Tady je prázdné. Kde je stůl?
stůl	table Stůl tady není.
židle	chair A židle? Pohovka?
pohovka	sofa A židle? Pohovka?
postel	bed Židle taky nejsou. A pohovka není. Jen postel, lampa a kufr.
lampa	lamp Židle taky nejsou. A pohovka není. Jen postel, lampa a kufr.
kufr	suitcase Všechno? V jednom kufru?
proč	why Proč?
jedna	one Všechno? V jednom kufru?
skříň	wardrobe A ta velká skříň? Je tvoje?
velký	big A ta velká skříň? Je tvoje?

starý	old (of things) Ne, není moje. Je paní Nováková. Je moc stará.
dívat se	look / watch
lžíce	spoon Mourku! A co je to? Lžíce? Klíč?
nic	nothing Nic! Tady nic není!
pokoj	room
NEW WORDS	
kniha	book To je kniha.
záchod	toilet Kde je záchod?
okno	window Okno je otevřené.

VOCABULARY & COMMUNICATION

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

What does it mean?

1 koupelna

- ☐ A good day / hello
- ☐ B bathroom
- ☐ C fill in (a form)

2 byt

- ☐ A master of the house, the one in charge
- ☐ B and
- ☐ C flat

3 skříň

- ☐ A grandmother
- ☐ B big
- ☐ C wardrobe

4 pohovka

- ☐ A upstairs
- ☐ B sofa
- ☐ C how are you?

5 záchod

- ☐ A enjoy your meal
- ☐ B downstairs
- ☐ C toilet

6 nic

- ☐ A nothing
- ☐ B dog
- ☐ C come (on foot)

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

Ahoj je Ano Dobrý

_____ den! Můžu dál?

Meaning: Good day! Can I come in?

Ahoj Dobrý je Ano

_____, Eliško! Jistě, pojd' dál.

Meaning: Hi, Eliška! Of course, come in.

Dobrý Ano je Ahoj

To _____ tvůj nový byt?

Meaning: So this is your new flat?

Ahoj je Dobrý Ano

_____. Malý, ale můj.

Meaning: Yes. Small, but mine.

A je Dobrý Ahoj

_____ co je tam?

Meaning: And what's in there?

W3) WHERE'S MY BOOK?

Fill the speech bubbles.



kufru záchodě kniha záchodě

Eliška: Kde je moje _____?

Lena: Možná na _____?

Eliška: Ne. Kniha není na _____.

Lena: Podívej! Mourek je v _____. A kniha taky!

Meaning: 1. Where's my book?

2. Maybe in the toilet?

3. No. The book isn't in the toilet.

4. Look! Mourek is in the suitcase... and so is the book!

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

je Dobrý Ano Ahoj

_____ den! Můžu dál?

Meaning: Good day! Can I come in?

Ano Ahoj je Dobrý

_____, Eliško! Jistě, pojd' dál.

Meaning: Hi, Eliška! Of course, come in.

Ano Ahoj Dobrý je

To _____ tvůj nový byt?

Meaning: So this is your new flat?

Ano je Dobrý Ahoj

_____. Malý, ale můj.

Meaning: Yes. Small, but mine.

je A Dobrý Ahoj

_____ co je tam?

Meaning: And what's in there?

SCENE 7 • GRAMMAR

Ten, ta, to

Identifying things

6 Exercises · Duration: 20 min.

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Identifying things

Czech nouns have three genders. Use **ten** with masculine nouns, **ta** with feminine nouns and **to** with neuter nouns: **ten dům, ta lampa, to okno**. These forms can mean that or the in context.

For one thing use **Tady je...;** for several use **Tady jsou....** Negation is **není** or **nejsou**. For objects after having or wanting, feminine **-a** often becomes **-u**: **mám lampu**. We practise this next.

Czech	Meaning
Ten dům je starý.	That house is old.
Ta lampa je moje.	That lamp is mine.
To okno je malé.	That window is small.
Tady jsou židle.	There are chairs here.

Ten dům je starý.

That house is old.

Ta lampa je moje.

That lamp is mine.

To okno je malé.

That window is small.

Tady jsou židle.

There are chairs here.

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL PATTERN

Underline the form practised in this unit.

- 1 Ten dům je starý.

Meaning: That house is old.

- 2 Ta lampa je moje.

Meaning: That lamp is mine.

- 3 To okno je malé.

Meaning: That window is small.

- 4 Tady jsou židle.

Meaning: There are chairs here.

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM

Use the English meaning and the pattern in this unit.

1 _____ dům je starý.

- ☐ A Ten
- ☐ B To
- ☐ C Ta

Meaning: That house is old.

2 _____ lampa je moje.

- ☐ A Ten
- ☐ B To
- ☐ C Ta

Meaning: That lamp is mine.

3 _____ okno je malé.

- ☐ A Ta
- ☐ B Ten
- ☐ C To

Meaning: That window is small.

4 Tady _____ židle.

- ☐ A je
- ☐ B jsou
- ☐ C jsem

Meaning: There are chairs here.

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGES

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

Ten Ta

_____ dům je starý.

Meaning: That house is old.

Ta Ten

_____ lampa je moje.

Meaning: That lamp is mine.

To Ten

_____ okno je malé.

Meaning: That window is small.

jsou je

Tady _____ židle.

Meaning: There are chairs here.

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE

Put the words in order.

1 starý. dům Ten je

Meaning: That house is old.

- 2 lampa moje. Ta je

Meaning: That lamp is mine.

- 3 To malé. je okno

Meaning: That window is small.

- 4 jsou židle. Tady

Meaning: There are chairs here.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?

Choose the right words for the situation.

- 1 That house is old. You say:

- (A) Ta dům je starý.
(B) Ten dům je starý.

2 That lamp is mine. You say:

- ☐ A Ta lampa je moje.
- ☐ B Ten lampa je moje.

3 That window is small. You say:

- ☐ A To okno je malé.
- ☐ B Ten okno je malé.

4 There are chairs here. You say:

- ☐ A Tady jsou židle.
- ☐ B Tady je židle.

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

- | | |
|---|--|
| ☐ 1 To okno je malé. | ☐ A That window is small. |
| ☐ 2 Ten dům je starý. | ☐ B There are chairs here. |
| ☐ 3 Ta lampa je moje. | ☐ C That house is old. |
| ☐ 4 Tady jsou židle. | ☐ D That lamp is mine. |