

SCENE 5 • GRAMMAR

Di, kami, kita

Locations and two words for we

6 Exercises · Duration: 20 min.

Arrival

Indonesian

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Locations and two words for we

Write the location word **di** separately: **di sini**, **di kafe**, **di atas**. **Di mana?** asks where.

Kami means we without the listener. **Kita** includes the listener. If Sari and Intan say they are helping you, they use **kami**. If you suggest going together, use **kita**.

Whose can be asked with **milik siapa?** or conversational **punya siapa?**. A noun may take **-nya** for a previously mentioned or clear owner/thing: **kuncinya** means his/her key or the key, depending on context.

Pattern	Example	Meaning
di	Saya tinggal di sini.	I live here.
bawah	Kafe ada di bawah.	The café is downstairs.
atas	Budi tinggal di atas.	Budi lives upstairs.

Saya tinggal di sini.

I live here.

Kafe ada di bawah.

The café is downstairs.

Budi tinggal di atas.

Budi lives upstairs.

Kami di rumah.

We are at home, excluding you.

Kita ke kafe.

We go to the café, including you.

Ini milik siapa?

Whose is this?

Miko di sini.

Miko is here.

Intan datang setiap hari.

Intan comes every day.

A preposition connects a noun to a place or relation; **di** introduces a location.

GRAMMAR**G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL PATTERN**

Underline the form practised in this unit.

- 1 Saya tinggal di sini.

Meaning: I live here.

- 2 Kafe ada di bawah.

Meaning: The café is downstairs.

- 3 Budi tinggal di atas.

Meaning: Budi lives upstairs.

- 4 Kami di rumah.

Meaning: We are at home, excluding you.

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM

Use the English meaning and the pattern in this unit.

1 Saya tinggal _____ sini.

- ☐ A ke
- ☐ B di
- ☐ C dari

Meaning: I live here.

2 Kafe ada di _____.

- ☐ A bawah
- ☐ B atas
- ☐ C sana

Meaning: The café is downstairs.

3 Budi tinggal di _____.

- ☐ A atas
- ☐ B sini
- ☐ C bawah

Meaning: Budi lives upstairs.

4 _____ di rumah.

- ☐ A Saya
- ☐ B Kami
- ☐ C Kita

Meaning: We are at home, excluding you.

5 _____ ke kafe.

- ☐ A Kami
- ☐ B Kita
- ☐ C Dia

Meaning: We go to the café, including you.

6 Ini milik _____?

- ☐ A apa
- ☐ B siapa
- ☐ C berapa

Meaning: Whose is this?

7 Miko di _____.

- ☐ A sana
- ☐ B rumah
- ☐ C sini

Meaning: Miko is here.

8 Intan datang setiap _____.

- ☐ A malam
- ☐ B minggu
- ☐ C hari

Meaning: Intan comes every day.

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGES

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

atas bawah

Budi tinggal di _____.

Meaning: Budi lives upstairs.

Kami Kita

_____ di rumah.

Meaning: We are at home, excluding you.

Kita Kami

_____ ke kafe.

Meaning: We go to the café, including you.

siapa apa

Ini milik _____?

Meaning: Whose is this?

sini sana

Miko di _____.

Meaning: Miko is here.

hari malam

Intan datang setiap _____.

Meaning: Intan comes every day.

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE

Put the words in order.

1 tinggal sini. di Saya

Meaning: I live here.

2 bawah. ada Kafe di

Meaning: The café is downstairs.

3 atas. tinggal Budi di

Meaning: Budi lives upstairs.

4 di Kami rumah.

Meaning: We are at home, excluding you.

5 ke kafe. Kita

Meaning: We go to the café, including you.

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siapa?

milik

Ini

Meaning: Whose is this?

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?

Choose the right words for the situation.

1 I live here. You say:

- ☐ A Saya tinggal ke sini.
- ☐ B Saya tinggal di sini.

2 The café is downstairs. You say:

- ☐ A Kafe ada di atas.
- ☐ B Kafe ada di bawah.

3 Budi lives upstairs. You say:

- ☐ A Budi tinggal di atas.
- ☐ B Budi tinggal di bawah.

4 We are at home, excluding you. You say:

- (A) Kami di rumah.
- (B) Kita di rumah.

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

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| (1) Saya tinggal di sini. | (A) The café is downstairs. |
| (2) Ini milik siapa? | (B) Intan comes every day. |
| (3) Kita ke kafe. | (C) Whose is this? |
| (4) Budi tinggal di atas. | (D) We go to the café, including you. |
| (5) Kami di rumah. | (E) Miko is here. |
| (6) Kafe ada di bawah. | (F) I live here. |
| (7) Intan datang setiap hari. | (G) We are at home, excluding you. |

8 Miko di sini.

H Budi lives upstairs.