

37.1 Kentham is a small town. Look at the information in the box and write sentences about Kentham with **There is/are** or **There isn't/aren't**.

1 a castle?	No
2 any restaurants?	Yes (a lot)
3 a hospital?	Yes
4 a swimming pool?	No
5 any cinemas?	Yes (two)
6 a university?	No
7 any big hotels?	No

- 1 There isn't a castle.
- 2 There are a lot of restaurants.
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7

37.2 Write sentences about your town (or a town that you know). Use **There is/are** or **There isn't/aren't**.

- 1 There are a few restaurants.
- 2 There's a big park.
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6

37.3 Write **there is / there isn't / is there** or **there are / there aren't / are there**.

- 1 Kentham isn't an old town. There aren't any old buildings.
- 2 Look! a photograph of your brother in the newspaper!
- 3 'Excuse me, a bank near here?' 'Yes, at the end of the street.'
- 4 five people in my family: my parents, my two sisters and me.
- 5 'How many students in the class?' 'Twenty.'
- 6 The road is usually very quiet. much traffic.
- 7 a bus from the city centre to the airport?' 'Yes, every 20 minutes.'
- 8 any problems?' 'No, everything is OK.'
- 9 nowhere to sit down. any chairs.

37.4 Write sentences with **There are ...**. Choose from the boxes.

seven	twenty-six
eight	thirty
fifteen	fifty

letters	days
players	days
planets	states

September	the solar system
the USA	a week
a rugby team	the English alphabet

- 1 There are seven days in a week.
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6

37.5 Write **there's / is there** or **it's / is it**.

- 1 ' There's a train at 10.30. ' Is it a fast train?'
- 2 I'm not going to buy this shirt. too expensive.
- 3 'What's wrong?' ' something in my eye.'
- 4 a red car outside your house. yours?'
- 5 ' anything good on TV tonight?' 'Yes, a film at 8.15.'
- 6 'What's that building?' ' a school.'
- 7 ' a restaurant in this hotel?' 'No, I'm afraid not.'