ADJECTIVES AND ADVERBS

Dialogue 1

Context: Housing

Kay: Hi, Mary! Have you found a place to live for next semester?

Mary: Not yet. I'm still searching for a suitable apartment. How about you?

Kay: I found one already. It's a small studio, but it's affordable and close to the campus.

Mary: That's great! I've been looking for something similar. How much is the rent?

Kay: The rent is quite reasonable compared to other places in the city. It's the cheapest I've seen so far.

Mary: Really? I've been struggling to find an affordable place. Can you share the contact details with me?

Kay: Of course! I'll send you the landlord's phone number. Maybe they have more available units.

Mary: Thank you so much! I hope they have something suitable for me.

Kay: You're welcome! I hope it works out for you. By the way, is the apartment furnished?

Mary: No, it's not. I prefer to find a furnished place to save on furniture expenses.

Kay: I understand. My apartment is partially furnished, but I had to buy a few things myself.

Mary: Do you mind if I ask how much you spent on furniture?

Kay: Sure, no problem. I spent around \$200 on a bed, a desk, and a chair. I bought them second-hand to save money.

Mary: That's not bad at all! I'll keep that in mind when I start furnishing my future place.

Kay: Definitely! Buying second-hand furniture can be a cost-effective option. Have you considered living in a shared apartment?

Mary: Yes, I have. It could be a good way to save money and meet new people. Did you consider that too?

Student 1: I did, but I preferred having my own space. Living alone gives me more privacy and independence.

Mary: That's true. Each option has its pros and cons. How about the location of your apartment?

Kay: The location is quite convenient. It's within walking distance to the university, grocery stores, and public transportation.

Mary: That sounds perfect! I hope I can find a place as convenient as yours.

Kay: I'm sure you will. Keep searching and don't give up. Have you tried looking online?

Mary: Yes, I've been checking different websites and social media groups. Hopefully, I'll find something soon.

Kay: Keep trying and be patient. Good housing options can take time to come up. Let me know if you need any more help.

Mary: Thanks for your help.

Dialogue 2

Context: Housing

Kay: Hi Mary, how are you?

Mary: I'm good, thanks. How about you?

Kay: I'm fine too. So, how do you like living in the dorm?

Mary: Well, it's not bad, but I prefer living at home.

Kay: Why is that?

Mary: Because the dorm is too noisy and crowded. There are always people talking, playing music, or watching TV in the common room.

Kay: I see. But don't you think living in the dorm is more fun and convenient than living at home?

Mary: Fun, maybe. But not convenient. The dorm is far from the campus, so I have to take the bus every day. And the food in the cafeteria is terrible. I miss my mom's cooking.

Kay: Oh, I'm sorry to hear that. But I think living in the dorm has some advantages too.

Mary: Like what?

Kay: Well, for example, you can make new friends and learn from different cultures. There are students from all over the world in the dorm.

Mary: That's true. I have met some nice people here. And I have learned some words in other languages too.

Kay: See? That's cool. And another thing is that you can be more independent and responsible. You have to take care of yourself and your room.

Mary: Yeah, I guess that's good for me. But sometimes I feel lonely and homesick.

Kay: I understand. But you can always call your family or visit them on weekends. And you have me as your friend too.

Mary: Thank you, Kay. You are very kind and supportive.

Kay: No problem, Mary. You are my best friend in the dorm.

Mary: Aww, thank you. You are the nicest person in the dorm.

Kay: No, you are.

Mary: No, you are.

Kay: OK, OK. Let's agree that we are both nice and awesome.

Mary: Haha, OK, dear.

Dialogue 3

Context: Housing

Anna: Hi Kelly, how are you?

Kelly: I'm good, thanks. How about you?

Anna: I'm fine too. Hey, can I ask you something?

Kelly: Sure, what is it?

Anna: Well, I'm doing a project for my art class. I have to draw a picture of my favorite room

in a house.

Kelly: Oh, that sounds interesting. What is your favorite room?

Anna: Well, I like the living room. It's cozy and comfortable. I like to sit on the sofa and watch

TV or read a book.

Kelly: I see. That's nice. But why do you like the living room more than other rooms?

Anna: Because it's where I spend most of my time with my family and friends. We talk, laugh,

play games, and have fun together. It's where I feel happy and relaxed.

Kelly: Oh, I understand. That makes sense. The living room is important for you.

Anna: Yeah, it is. What about you? What is your favorite room?

Kelly: Well, I like the kitchen. It's bright and spacious. I like to cook and bake delicious food.

Anna: I see. That's nice too. But why do you like the kitchen more than other rooms?

Kelly: Because it's where I express my creativity and passion. I try new recipes, experiment with different ingredients, and make beautiful dishes. It's where I feel proud and satisfied.

Anna: Oh, I understand. That makes sense too. The kitchen is important for you.

Kelly: Yeah, it is. You know what? We have different favorite rooms, and it shows what each of us think is important.

Anna: What do you mean?

Kelly: You like the living room because it's about your family and friends. I like the kitchen

because I like being creative.

Anna: That's true. I need to go now, but it's been good talking with you.