# Unit 5 Feeling at home

## Task 03

Announcer: Listen to Selina, Manuel and Elif describing their homes.

Selina: I'm Selina. I live on a farm in Upper Austria with my parents, three sisters, two dogs and about 50 cows. My home is very peaceful and surrounded by mountains. We even have a small lake nearby. Our farm house has two floors. My room is in the attic. It's really spacious. My sisters' rooms are in the attic, too, while my parents' room is downstairs. I love living in the country, the only problem at home is that I have to take a bus very early in the morning to get to work, and that my friends don't come out here very often. I get on well with my sisters and parents, but sometimes they can also be very annoying.

Manuel: I'm Manuel. I live with my dad and my older brothers in a terraced house in the suburbs of a small town. Our parents are divorced and live in different towns in Austria, so it made sense for us to live somewhere close to where we work. Also, our dad's place is right down the street from the shop, where I work, and also not far from where my brothers work. My brothers and I each have our own room upstairs. The rooms are really tiny, but we are so lucky that we don't have to share a room like we had to in our old apartment. We even have a garage and a little terrace where my dad grows vegetables in the summer. It's nice having my own room at home.

Elif: I'm Elif. I'm the second sister in a really big family. Along with my parents, I have three sisters and two brothers, and one of my aunts also lives with us. We live in a big apartment house in the city. Our apartment is on the third floor and has four rooms. I share a room with one of my sisters. My two other sisters and my two brothers also share rooms. My aunt has her own room and our parents sleep in the living room. I love my family, but it's starting to feel really crowded, now I'm getting older. During vocational school, I spend the week at the student home and go home on the weekends. My room at the dormitory is really kind of small, but to me, it feels so private and comfortable. In summer, we always go to my grandparents' house in Turkey.

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