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10 Important Things to Think About Before You Move into a New Home

Questions: *Do you like the home where you now live? Why? / Why not?*



- Complete the 10 sentences with the words on the left.



It's a fact nowadays that most people will move to a new location many times in their lives. Below are 10 important things to consider before choosing to move into a new home.

1. **Location** means *where* the home is. For example, is it located near your work, school, or a perhaps a _____?
2. **Affordability** means your *ability to pay* the monthly _____ or (if you want to buy the home) mortgage payments.
3. **Neighborhood** means the *area around the home*. Are your neighbors _____? Is the area clean? Is there much crime?
4. **Sunlight**, of course, means the *natural light from the sun*. Does the home have many _____?
5. **Security** means *safety*. An _____ on the third floor is probably safer than one on the ground floor.
6. **Age** means *how old* the home is. You may have to spend lots of money to _____ an old home.
7. **Noise**, of course, can be a problem. You probably don't want to live next to a noisy _____.
8. **Elevators** are important if you are injured or elderly and can't walk up _____.
9. **Pets** are not allowed in some rented homes, but some small _____ like fish might be okay.
10. **Size** is something to think about, especially if you plan to have more _____ in the future.

- A animals *n.*
- apartment *n.*
- C children *n.*
- F friendly *n.*
- H highway *n.*
- hospital *n.*
- R rent *n., v.*
- repair *v.*
- S stairs *n.*
- W windows *n.*