

Consolidation

● Right (✓) or wrong (✗)? Correct the mistakes in the highlighted phrases.

- 1 There's a small garden at the back of the house. ✓
- 2 She's always sticking her nose into other peoples' business.
- 3 We're going to be at Paula and James' house for dinner tonight.
- 4 Does anyone have a bottles opener? It's time to open the wine.
- 5 Nick is my cousin Jane who works for the city council's flatmate.
- 6 Mrs Thwaite has always been a very dear friend of my aunt's.
- 7 Have you got a coat hanger? This jacket creases easily.
- 8 This painting is regarded as her career's high point.
- 9 Opticians usually sell accessories like glasses cases and cleaning products.
- 10 Please put the sugar back in the kitchen's cupboard after use.
- 11 Be careful when you wash the glasses of wine, as they're very fragile.
- 12 I'm just going round to the newsagent's. Do you want anything?
- 13 To play this game, we need to form a circle in the room's middle.
- 14 His partner is a physics teacher at one of the local high schools.

Activation

● Try to think of at least two nouns that collocate to make compound nouns with the **bold** words.

_____ } lights
traffic }
street }

_____ } board
_____ }

_____ } cake
_____ }

_____ } book
_____ }

_____ } cup
_____ }

_____ } key
_____ }

_____ } knife
_____ }

_____ } water
_____ }

_____ } player
_____ }

_____ } card
_____ }

_____ } machine
_____ }

_____ } frame
_____ }

_____ } centre
_____ }

SOLUTIONS OF GRAMMAR 7A

NOUNS: COMPOUND AND POSSESSIVE FORMS

2 (wrong) other people's business

3 (right)

4 (wrong) a bottle opener

5 (wrong) the flatmate of my cousin Jane, who works for the city council

6 (right)

7 (right)

8 (wrong) the high point of her career

9 (right)

10 (wrong) kitchen cupboard

11 (wrong) wine glasses

12 (right)

13 (wrong) the middle of the room

14 (right)

Activation

Possible answers:

Chocolate cake, birthday cake, lemon cake, etc.

Coffee cup, tea cup, egg cup, etc.

Bread knife, paper knife, fish knife, etc.

CD player, DVD player, football player, etc.

Sewing machine, coffee machine, running machine, etc.

City centre, health centre, sports centre, etc.

Surf board, chopping board, message board, etc.

Story book, cheque book, physics book, etc.

Car key, house key, back door key, etc.

Mineral water, sea water, tap water, etc.

Credit card, birthday card, identity card, etc.

Picture frame, photo frame, window frame, etc.