

## Exercise 1.9 Syllable counting – sentence length identification (monosyllables, bisyllables and polysyllables)

Speaker Copy

Listener Copy

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### Instructions read by the Speaker

I will say one of the following sentences. Please tell me which one, or point to the one I said. (Speaker randomly chooses which one to say.)

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| 1 A Don't ever give up.               | 4 A Why is she underneath the table?       |
| B I forgot to close the refrigerator. | B It's my birthday on Monday.              |
| C My friend plays the piano.          | C Good evening.                            |
| D There must be time.                 | D Leave it all to me.                      |
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| 2 A The party was fun.                | 5 A The carpet is difficult to keep clean. |
| B I feel like a new person.           | B See you later.                           |
| C Summer days are usually hot.        | C It does not seem to be possible.         |
| D Give me some tea.                   | D Lunch is at one o'clock.                 |
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| 3 A I can't understand you.           | 6 A I feel fine.                           |
| B The floor is difficult to clean.    | B Can you figure it out?                   |
| C Does it seem possible?              | C They built a snowman.                    |
| D I had an incredible vacation.       | D Would you like a glass of cold lemonade? |