# **Chapter 11**

# A wie Anfang (p. 162)

The people on the picture are arriving to an invitation by there friends. Write the right lines under the picture. You can get help from "Sprechen wir mal" in chapter 6.

# Jetzt geht's los!

In chapter 11, Nils is driving to his relatives in Leipzig for a job-interview. He has also planned a surprise for his mother.

# In this chapter, you will learn:

- to speak about living
- expressions for a visit

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Möbel		Wohnen	
der Tisch	table	das Wohnzimmer	living room
der Schreibtisch	writing desk	das Schlafzimmer	bedroom
der Stuhl	chair	das Kinderzimmer	child's room
der Sessel	armchair	das Arbeitszimmer	studyroom
der Schrank	closet	das Gästezimmer	guestroom
der Teppich	carpet	das Badezimmer	bathroom
der Vorhang	curtain	die Toilette	toilet
das Sofa	sofa	die Sauna	sauna
das Bett	bed	die Küche	kitchen
das Regal	shelf	der Flur	corridor
die Kommode	commode		
die Lampe	lamp		
das Gemälde	painting		

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# Sprechen wir mal! (p. 165)

### **Visiting**

Schön, dich/euch/Sie zu sehen!

Nice to see you!

Vielen Dank für die Einladung.

*Thanks for the invitation.* 

Kommen Sie herein!/Herein!

Come in!

Die Wohnung gefällt mir./Sie haben es gemütlich hier./Die Wohnung ist sehr schön. I like this appartment. It 's very nice here.

The appartment is very nice.

Ich finde die Küche/das Wohnzimmer

modern/praktisch/gemütlich.

I find the kitchen/the livingroom modern/

practically/comfortable.

Kann ich dir/euch/Ihnen etwas anbieten?

Can I offer you something?

Was kann ich dir/euch/Ihnen anbieten?

What can I offer to you?

Das Gästezimmer haben Sie schön einge-

richtet.

Your guestroom is set up very nicely.

Ich hätte gern..

I would like to have....

You arrive to a visit by your friend. Make a conversation with your partner, in which you say hello, offer something to drink and praise the appartment.

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- 1. Write 5 questions about the chapter. Ask your partner.
- 2. Read the chapter and tell your partner in german, how the folling things are connected to each other.

- 3. a) Write to the ground plan the names of the rooms. Write after that on the lines, what furnitures you will put into the rooms.
- b) Praise your appartments to each other.

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- 4. What do you say in the following situations?
  - 1. Tell greetings from Zürich.
  - 2. Say hello to a friend.
  - 3. Offer something to your guest.
  - 4. Ask for a cup of coffee.
  - 5. You are happy to have a guest.
  - 6. Praise the appartment.
  - 7. Praise the décor.
  - 8. React to a surprise.
- 5. Connect the following expressions to each other. Write sentences with their help.

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#### Grammar

Perfect without ge-prefix

Find from the chapter the following sentences. Mark in the sentences partizip perfect.

He is interested in a job in Leipzig.

I spoke yesterday with Hanna on the phone.

I didn't told her anything.

Did you missed me?

- Perfect will be made without a prefix in verbes,
  - o which ends on -ieren
  - o which begin f.e. with the prefix be-, er- ver-

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### 6. Fill in the text with the verbes in perfect.

onnistua succeed

kertoa tell

olisi would

vierailla visit

puhua puhelimessa speak on the phone

sitä varten for it

tehdä töitä work

ikävöidä long

luvata promise

ostaa buy

katsohan look

valokuvata to photograph

valmistella prepare

varata book

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# Sein as auxiliary verb of perfect

Translate the following expressions. Underline the auxiliary verbs in the sentences.

- Sein as auxiliary verb of perfect, when the verb expresses
  - o moving from one place to another
  - o changing of state of affairs
- Also a few other verbs have sein as auxiliary verb (f.e. passieren = happen)

In the german language are also irregular verbs. They have irregular geforms, and you have to learn them separately. Such verbs are:

- 7. Throw the dice and go to the next square. Change the verb in the square into perfect in the persona, which the dice shows.
- 8. Make with the given words sentences in perfect.
- 9. Tell your partner what you did in the last days. Use perfect. You get help from the box.
- 10. Make with your partner the following dialogue. Say the bolded phrases in german.
- 11. Read the text and answer to the questions.

geboren born

(ist) lange her it's a long time

der Umzug move

nie never

bereuen regret

das Heimweh homesickness

allein alone

draußen outside

friedlich peacefull

die Revolution revolution

sanieren renovate

die Stasi securityservice of the GDR

das Zuhause home

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- 1. Where did Ursula study?
- 2. Why she and her husband moved to Hamburg?
- 3. Which composer is important in Leipzig?
- 4. Does Ursula like coffee?
- 5. What Ursula can't forget?
- 6. What does she think about the condition of the streets in Leipzig?
- 7. Does she visit the STASI-museum?
- 8. Does she want to move back to her hometown?
- 12. a) Leason to Ursulas and Renates dialogue two times and choose the right alternative.
- 12. b) Tell your partner about your own home.