

# Lesson C Which one do you recommend?

## 1 Grammar focus: Which questions and simple present

Use *which* to ask a question about a choice between two or more items.

### QUESTIONS

Which plumbing service do you does he do they recommend?

### ANSWERS

I recommend  
He recommends Purdy's Plumbing.  
They recommend



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## 2 Practice

**H HARRISON'S**  
**Plumbing Service**  
555-8000 Clean and Professional

- \$100 an hour
- Open 24 hours a day / 7 days a week
- Fast
- 30 years of experience

**BROWN'S**  
Plumbing Service

- Complete plumbing service
- \$50 an hour
- Licensed
- 15 years of experience
- Insured

555-7407

### CULTURE NOTE

Plumbers and electricians are usually licensed. You can ask to see their license.

**A Write.** Complete the conversations. Use *Which* and the simple present.

- A (you / recommend) Which plumbing service do you recommend - Harrison's or Brown's?

B (cheaper) I recommend Brown's Plumbing Service because it's cheaper.
- A (he / recommend) \_\_\_\_\_

B (fast) \_\_\_\_\_
- A (they / recommend) \_\_\_\_\_

B (licensed) \_\_\_\_\_
- A (she / recommend) \_\_\_\_\_

B (insured) \_\_\_\_\_
- A (they / recommend) \_\_\_\_\_

B (experienced) \_\_\_\_\_
- A (he / recommend) \_\_\_\_\_

B (open 24 hours a day) \_\_\_\_\_

**Listen and repeat.** Then practice with a partner.



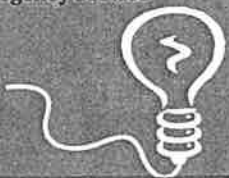
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**B** Talk with a partner. Change the **bold** words and make conversations.

**WESTERLY Electric**

- \$65 an hour
- 24-Hour / 7-Day Emergency Service
- Fully insured
- Estimates are free
- Owner-operated
- 36 Grant Street


555-9600



**MIDWAY ELECTRIC**

Fully licensed.  
Work is guaranteed.  
\$55 an hour.

Open Monday to Friday,  
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
50 Main Street  
555-6535




**A** Which electric service do you recommend?

**B** I recommend **Westerly Electric** because it's **open 24 hours a day**.

**CULTURE NOTE**

An owner-operated business is usually small and friendly.

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|------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. open 24 hours a day | 5. on Main Street          |
| 2. fully licensed      | 6. fully insured           |
| 3. owner-operated      | 7. cheaper                 |
| 4. open 7 days a week  | 8. less expensive per hour |

### 3 Communicate

For each place, write two or three names of businesses in your community.

- supermarkets \_\_\_\_\_
- restaurants \_\_\_\_\_
- pharmacies \_\_\_\_\_
- gas stations \_\_\_\_\_
- banks \_\_\_\_\_
- department stores \_\_\_\_\_
- fast food restaurants \_\_\_\_\_
- coffee shops \_\_\_\_\_

**Talk** with your classmates. Ask and answer questions about the places in your community.

Which supermarket do you like?

I like Acme Supermarket because it's cheap.

I prefer SaveMore Supermarket on Broadway because it's clean. ✓

**USEFUL LANGUAGE**

*I recommend ...*

*I suggest ...*

*I like ...*

*I prefer ...*