**Sure. No problem!**

**Conversation** Practice this conversation:

Mr Field: Jason ………...Jason! Turn down the TV a little, please.

Jason: Oh, but this is my favorite program!

Mr Field: I know. But it’s very loud.

Jason: OK. I’ll turn it down.

Mr Field: That’s better. Thanks.

Mrs Field: Lisa, please pick up your things. They’re all over the living room floor.

Lisa: In a minute, Mom. I’m on the phone.

Mrs Field: OK. But do it as soon as you hang up.

Lisa: Sure. No problem!

Mrs Field: Goodness! Were we like this when we were kids?

Mr Field: Definitely!

**Grammar focus:**

1. Complete the requests with these words.

The books, the toys, the radio, your coat, the TV, your boots, the yard, the light, the trush, your cigarette.

1. Pick up , please.
2. Turn off, please.
3. Clean up, please.
4. Please put away.
5. Please turn down
6. Please take off
7. Hang up, please.
8. Please take out
9. Please put out.
10. Turn on , please.
11. Find a phrase in the list that is usually paired with each verb. Some phrases go with more than one verb.

The counter, the mess, the cat, the oven, the dry cleaning, the garbage, the faucet, the newspapers, the groceries, the towels.

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Clean off |  |  |
| Clean up |  |  |
| Hang up |  |  |
| Pick up |  |  |
| Put away |  |  |
| Put out |  |  |
| Take out |  |  |
| Throw out |  |  |
| Turn off |  |  |
| Turn on |  |  |

1. For each complaint, apologize and either make an offer, give an excuse, admit a mistake, or make a promise.
2. Customer: This steak is very tough. I can’t eat it.

Waiter:

1. Steven: You’re late. I’ve been waiting for you for half an hour.

Katie:

1. Roommate1: Could you turn the television down?

Roommate2:

1. Father: You didn’t mail the letters this morning.

Son:

1. Customer: I brought this Walkman in for repair last week, but it’s still not working right.

Salesperson:

1. Neighbor1: Could you do something about your dog? It barks all night and keeps ma awake.

Neighbor2:

1. Apartment resident: Would you mind moving your car? You’re parked in my parking space.

Visitor:

1. Teacher: Please put away your papers. You left them on your desk yesterday.

Student: