ENGLISH A2 · UNIT 4 · EVERYDAY ENGLISH Name: _____ Date: _____

Everyday English: Flats and landlords

Focus: everyday English: Which flat do you prefer?, The heating isn't working. Since when?

Model dialogue: a call to the landlord

Ani: Hello, this is Ani from Flat 4. The heating isn't working.

Mr Brown: Oh, I'm sorry. Since when?

Ani: Since Monday. It's too cold. Could you send someone, please?

Mr Brown: Of course. The plumber can come tomorrow, between nine and twelve.

Ani: That's fine. I'm at home in the morning. Thank you for your help.

Mr Brown: You're welcome. Goodbye.

prefer **one** **closer** **cheapest** **small** **enough** **much** **many** **noisy**

1 Complete the dialogue with the words in the box.

Sara: Which flat do you _____?

Omar: The first _____. It's smaller, but it's much _____ to work.

Sara: Yes, and it's the _____ of the three.

Omar: But the bedroom is too _____ for two beds.

Sara: That's true, and it isn't bright _____.

Omar: The second flat is bigger, but there's too _____ noise.

Sara: OK, let's take the first flat and put the desk in the living room.

2 Match the sentences and the answers.

1. The tap in the kitchen is leaking.
2. Could you send an electrician?
3. When can the plumber come?
4. Which flat do you like more?
5. Thank you for your help.
6. Is the bedroom big enough?

a. On Friday, between two and five.
b. No, it's too small for two people.
c. Of course. When are you at home?
d. You're welcome. Goodbye.
e. Oh, I'm sorry. Since when?
f. The second one. It's much brighter.

ANSWER KEY

1 1 prefer, 2 one, 3 closer, 4 cheapest, 5 small, 6 enough, 7 much **2** 1 e, 2 c, 3 a, 4 f, 5 d, 6 b