

How to Buy a Home in the United States

Unit 2: Lesson 1: Deciding what you want

Vocabulary

Which words have the same or similar meaning as the words in italics? Circle the letter of the correct answer.

1. Condominium and cooperative owners pay a monthly charge for *maintenance*.

- a. repairs b. the laundry room

2. If your home is not *insulated*, you will have to pay more for heating or air-conditioning.

- a. made with bricks b. protected against hot or cold temperatures

3. Luxury features, such as a swimming pool, will *increase* the cost of a house.

- a. raise b. lower

4. Stucco and siding are two types of *exterior*.

- a. the outside covering b. the inside covering

5. A ranch house has only one *level*.

- a. garage b. floor