AT THE DOCTOR'S

1. Write the letter A next to medical problems and letter B next to expressions describing what you do when you are ill:

take your temperature	
have an ear infection	
go to the surgery	
have a headache	
get a prescription	
have earache	
take antibiotics	
have a sore throat	
pay a prescription charge	
aches and pains	
go to the chemist's	
a virus	

2. Listening

Daniel, who comes from Germany, is staying with his friends in Manchester. One day, he felt ill and had to see a doctor. You will hear Daniel speaking to the doctor's receptionist. Listen and tick the statements which are true.

- 1. Daniel was sent to Dr Graham's surgery by some friends.
- 2. His friends are also patients there.
- 3. He has been staying with his friends for several months.
- 4. Before he can see the doctor. Daniel has to fill in a special form.
- 5. He has to come back another day.
- 6. He doesn't have to pay anything.
- Daniel then goes in to see the doctor. Listen to their conversation and put the pictures into the correct order.
- 4. Below are some things that a patient might say to a doctor, and some things that a doctor might say to a patient.

I've been feeling unwell for a few days.

You should go to bed for a couple of days.

Have plenty of hot drinks.

I think I've got a temperature.

I've got a headache.

Keep warm.

Just eat very light food.

I've been vomiting a lot.

I've got aches and pains all over.

I've got a very sore throat.

Try to relax more.

I've got really bad earache.

I'm going to give you some antibiotics.

Take one of these tablets four times a day.

I've got stomachache.

Take paracetamol for the headache.