

## Where were you born?

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### 1. Listening comprehension

Listen to the people and complete the chart

	Was born in	lives now
Hanna	_____	_____
Leo	_____	_____

### 2. Listen and write the dates you hear

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### 3. READING COMPREHENSION

Read the article about important dates in the UK and find the answers to the questions. Write A, B, C, or D.

On which day or days...?

- 1 do some people watch football on TV
- 2 do people remember a moment in history
- 3 do people celebrate a change in the weather
- 4 do people go to work
- 5 do people hear stories which aren't true
- 6 do some people wear special clothes

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## UK dates

# to remember

**A April Fool's Day** is on 1st April. It isn't a public holiday, but it's a day when people play jokes on friends and family. Some good jokes are in the newspapers or on TV – for example, one year on the BBC there was a programme about spaghetti trees in Switzerland. Many people believed it was true!

**B** In most countries, **May Day** is on 1st May, but in the UK the holiday is always the first Monday of May. A traditional May Day activity is maypole dancing, when people in colourful clothes dance around a tree or a pole to celebrate the end of winter and the start of sunny weather.

**C Boxing Day** is a holiday on 26th December. If this is a weekend, then the holiday is the following Monday. The name comes from the custom of giving servants a small box with a present or money on this day. Some families meet to watch sport, while others prefer to go shopping on the first day of the sales.

**D Bonfire Night** isn't a holiday but it is a national celebration. On 5th November, people remember Guy Fawkes' plan to destroy the English Parliament in 1605. The plan was not a success, and every year since then towns and villages have huge bonfires and fantastic firework displays. They also burn a model of the man responsible for the plan: Guy Fawkes.