

## Family and Friends 4 – Unit 12 Practice 4

## 1. Circle the correct answer.

- 1 I could / can do gymnastics when I was young.
- 2 Why couldn't / can't you come to the party? It was great.
- 3 Ethan can't / couldn't play football because he hasn't got his trainers.
- 4 Dad couldn't / could drive when he was fourteen, but he **could** / **can** now.
- 5 Leo and Ella can / could speak French, but they don't speak French very often.
- 6 Grandpa was a swimmer when he was young. He can't / can swim now, but he couldn't / could then.
- 7 I've lost my keys. I can't / couldn't open the door when I got home.

2. Look at list. Complete the sentences with **could** or **couldn't**.

Ten years ago ...	
drive a car	✓
use a computer	✗
speak Spanish	✓
pitch a tent	✗
run ten kilometres	✗
light a fire	✓
write computer programs	✓
play the guitar	✗
climb trees	✓

- 1 Yasmin could drive a car.
- 2 Rob and I could use a computer.
- 3 Edward could speak Spanish.
- 4 Ted and Leo could pitch a tent.
- 5 Lewis could run fifteen kilometres.
- 6 Kim and I could light a fire.
- 7 Clare could write computer programs.
- 8 Sidney could play the guitar.
- 9 Seb could climb trees.