

UNIT 1 : IT'S PERSONAL

1. Drag the phrases in the box to the correct blanks.

(be) sick and tired	Do(your) fair share	lend a hand
not lift a finger	put (your) feet up	run errands

1. Jenny shares a flat with two other university students and they all _____ to keep the place clean and tidy; no one does more or less than anyone else.
2. Jim's not at home right now; he's _____ for his dad, but he'll be back later.
3. I _____ of asking you to clean your room, so there's no pocket money for you this week!
4. You look exhausted, Terry! Why don't you _____ and I'll bring you a nice cup of tea?
5. I've got a lot to do today and it would be a big help if you could _____.
6. While I cooked a three-course dinner, my husband watched TV and _____!



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2. The highlighted words are wrongly used in the sentences. Drag the correct words to its box

peers	strangers	coach	colleagues
enemy	relatives	partner	classmates

1. Molly spends a lot of time with her extended family; she and her parents see her grandparents and other **peers** regularly.
2. Your **strangers** are usually people who are the same age and part of the same social group as you.
3. Everyone loves Uncle Joe; he hasn't got a(n) **coach** in the world!
4. Our biology teacher is taking my **colleagues** and me to the Natural History Museum.
5. When you work in a small office, it's important that you get along with all your **classmates**.
6. Mr Taylor is my father's business **enemy**. They started a record company ten years ago.
7. You should tell your children to avoid talking to **relatives**.
8. Ms Cooper is our basketball **partner**. This week she is teaching us shooting skills.

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3. Complete the sentences with both words.

a.

discuss

argue

Let's sit down _____ and this like adults. Why do we have to _____ about things all the time?

b.

criticise

advise

If you want a better relationship with your son, I'd _____ you to not _____ what he does all the time.

c.

grumble

gossip

My father likes to _____ about the weather whereas my mother loves to _____ about the neighbours.

praises

accuses

d. Dad often _____ Grandma of not being strict enough with me. He she _____ me no matter what I do.



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4. Match the sentences to the correct feelings.

1. My parents never listen to what I have to say. I feel _____.		a. ashamed
2. Nancy got angry and shouted at her grandfather. Now she feels _____ of her behaviour.		b. calm
3. If you want to get along in this company, you must be _____ towards everyone you work with.		c. miserable
4. Aunt Marge is always smiling and laughing. She's such a _____ person.		d. frustrated
5. Mum and Dad are usually very _____ people, but they do get angry if they think I'm not trying my best.		e. guilty
6. Why do you never help out with the chores? Don't you feel _____ when your mum does everything?		f. proud
7. Tony had an argument with his best friend and now he isn't talking to him. He feels _____.		g. cheerful
8. Janet's family was very _____ of her when she came first in her class.		h. respectful

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5. Choose the correct form of do or make to complete the sentences.

1. My sister and I always _____ time to visit Grandma at the weekend.	do	make
2. I cooked breakfast, so you can _____ the washing-up.	do	make
3. Sally likes to help out, so she _____ lunch or the evening meal on Saturdays.	does	makes
4. We can't believe it. My brother offered to _____ the laundry while we were at the supermarket!	do	make
5. After I _____ the beds, I'll sweep the floor.	do	make
6. If Fran _____ chores around the house, her parents give her pocket money.	do	make
7. Mum and Dad _____ the housework at the weekend because they are both at work during the week.	do	make
8. Don't _____ trouble ... go and lend a hand in the garden.	do	make



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6. Click at the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 My dad just remarried and I'm pleased to say that my new stepmom and I **get along** / **get by** really well.
2. I believe family is important, so I **get back at** / **get together with** my relatives whenever I can.
3. My wife has been grumbling a lot recently. I think we should **go away** / **go out** on holiday for a few weeks.
4. Steven has **fallen out** / **fallen apart** with his best friend. He seems very upset.
5. When Mum went on strike, the dishes **piled on** / **piled up** in the sink and the flat got very messy.

7. Match the phrasal verbs you didn't use in 2 with the meanings below

get along

get by

get back at

go away

get together with

go out

fallen out

fallen apart

piled on

piled up

a. _____ : take revenge on

b. _____ : Increase something by a large amount

c. _____ : manage to live or achieve something with difficulty

d. _____ : break up into pieces

e. _____ : leave the house to go somewhere

