

## HOMEWORK

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## VOCABULARY:

## A A typical British wedding 🎧



When two people are planning to get married, they can **choose** to have a **religious ceremony** or a **civil ceremony**. On the **wedding day**, the **groom**<sup>1</sup> is helped by a **best man**<sup>2</sup> who brings the **rings** to the wedding ceremony. The **bride**<sup>3</sup> may have one or more **bridesmaids**<sup>4</sup>. Afterwards, there is a **reception** for the **couple** and the wedding

**guests**<sup>5</sup>. It's **traditional** for the best man and the groom to **make speeches**, and then everyone **drinks a toast** to the **couple**, and **wishes** them a long and happy **marriage**. After the reception, they usually go on their **honeymoon**. On the same day every year after that, the couple **celebrate** their wedding **anniversary**.

## Glossary

**choose sth** PT chose PP chosen decide which thing you want. **choice** N.

**ceremony** a formal public event.

**religious** A **religious ceremony** takes place in a church, mosque, temple, etc. **religion** N.

**civil** A **civil ceremony** is a non-religious one.

**wedding** a time when a man and woman get married.

**rings**



**wedding reception** a meal and/or party after a wedding.

**traditional** A **traditional** thing is sth that people have done for a long time.

**make a speech** give a formal talk to a lot of people at a special event.

**drink a toast to sb** raise a glass of wine, etc. to wish sb success or happiness.

**wish sb sth** say that you hope good things will happen to sb.

**honeymoon** a holiday for a couple who have just got married.

**celebrate sth** have a special meal, party, etc. to show you are happy about sth.

**anniversary** the date on which sth happened the previous year or in the past.

## spotlight wedding and marriage; bride and groom

A **wedding** is the ceremony for a **couple** (two people who are getting married). **Marriage** is the relationship between a husband and wife. *We went to my sister's **wedding** on Saturday. Jack and Dana's **marriage** lasted 40 years.* On the wedding day, the couple are called the **bride** and **groom**. After they are married, they become **husband** and **wife**.

**1** Correct the spelling mistakes. Be careful: some words are correct.

- |                           |                    |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| ▶ mariage <u>marriage</u> | 7 weding _____     |
| 1 anniversery _____       | 8 honeymoon _____  |
| 2 I've choosen it _____   | 9 speach _____     |
| 3 tradicional _____       | 10 gest _____      |
| 4 civile _____            | 11 ceremonie _____ |
| 5 bridesmaid _____        | 12 recepcion _____ |
| 6 celebrate _____         | 13 religian _____  |

**2** Circle the correct word.

- ▶ Jane and Mark's wedding/marriage is next Saturday.
- 1 Mark is the groom/best man.
  - 2 The bridesmaid/bride is Mark's sister.
  - 3 They have chosen/wished a religious ceremony.
  - 4 They've invited about sixty brides/guests to the wedding.
  - 5 The reception will be before/after the wedding ceremony.
  - 6 The rings will be brought to the ceremony by the couple/best man.
  - 7 Speeches are traditional at the reception/best man.
  - 8 When they're on their honeymoon, Jane and Mark will be bride and groom/husband and wife.

**3** Complete the phrases using words from the box.

- ▶ groom ceremony a speech man a toast ceremony✓  
reception your honeymoon anniversary a happy marriage

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|---------------------------|------------------------|
| ▶ wedding <u>ceremony</u> | 5 bride and _____      |
| 1 go on _____             | 6 celebrate your _____ |
| 2 drink _____             | 7 a religious _____    |
| 3 wish someone _____      | 8 the best _____       |
| 4 make _____              | 9 a wedding _____      |

**4** Complete the questions with a suitable word.

- 1 Can people \_\_\_\_\_ to have a religious ceremony or a \_\_\_\_\_ ceremony?
- 2 Does the groom have a \_\_\_\_\_ man at the ceremony?
- 3 Does the bride have any \_\_\_\_\_ with her?
- 4 In the ceremony, do the bride and groom put on wedding \_\_\_\_\_?
- 5 Is there usually a \_\_\_\_\_ after the ceremony?
- 6 How many \_\_\_\_\_ are usually invited?
- 7 Is it \_\_\_\_\_ for people to \_\_\_\_\_ speeches?
- 8 Do people usually drink a \_\_\_\_\_ to the bride and groom?
- 9 Do the \_\_\_\_\_ traditionally go on their \_\_\_\_\_ after the wedding?
- 10 Do people usually \_\_\_\_\_ their wedding anniversary every year?

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## USE OF ENGLISH:

### Words easily confused

Use the correct form of the words in the boxes to complete the sentences in each group A-H below. You may use some of the words more than once. In some cases more than one word may be correct.

#### A think consider regard believe mean

- 1 Please \_\_\_\_\_ my offer and call me if you decide to sell.
- 2 I have been \_\_\_\_\_ of taking a holiday. I \_\_\_\_\_ I deserve it because I've worked hard all year.
- 3 The death penalty is \_\_\_\_\_ as a barbaric practice by most people.
- 4 I don't \_\_\_\_\_ he really \_\_\_\_\_ what he is saying, because he's usually joking.
- 5 I didn't \_\_\_\_\_ to offend you. Please \_\_\_\_\_ me.

#### B realise understand recognise meet introduce present appreciate

- 1 One day I'd like to \_\_\_\_\_ my favourite film star and get his autograph.
- 2 That's the journalist that \_\_\_\_\_ the evening news. Don't you \_\_\_\_\_ her?
- 3 The teacher didn't \_\_\_\_\_ that the students hadn't understood what he was saying.
- 4 Aren't you going to \_\_\_\_\_ me to your friend? I haven't \_\_\_\_\_ her before.
- 5 I \_\_\_\_\_ your help, but you must \_\_\_\_\_ that I want to do this on my own.

#### C assume guess suppose estimate calculate predict

- 1 Since I hadn't studied for the test, I had to \_\_\_\_\_ most of the answers.
- 2 We were \_\_\_\_\_ to play football today, but we cancelled it.
- 3 It's almost impossible to \_\_\_\_\_ what the future holds.
- 4 I \_\_\_\_\_ I'll be late for work, since there's so much traffic.
- 5 We had \_\_\_\_\_ the value of the house to be around 60,000 dollars, but we hadn't \_\_\_\_\_ the cost of the renovation.

#### D idea view thought point aspect respect matter

- 1 She's very rude and has no \_\_\_\_\_ for anyone.
- 2 You should consider all \_\_\_\_\_ of his proposal, because he made some interesting \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 In my \_\_\_\_\_, the education system should change.
- 4 I can't bear the \_\_\_\_\_ of going back to work after such a great holiday.
- 5 There's no \_\_\_\_\_ in talking to Clark about this problem, as he has no \_\_\_\_\_ about it.
- 6 As a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ of fact, I hired an interior decorator, who gave me some good \_\_\_\_\_.

## Practice

### A Choose the correct answer.

- You needn't \_\_\_\_\_ so much food. There was plenty of food left over from yesterday.  
a. cook                      b. to cook  
c. have cooked              d. to have cooked
- Susan hates Maths and Chemistry but she's really good \_\_\_\_\_ Science.  
a. to                          b. at  
c. for                          d. of
- You had better \_\_\_\_\_ out tonight. It's raining heavily.  
a. not go                      b. not to go  
c. don't go                      d. to don't go
- The climbers didn't succeed \_\_\_\_\_ the mountain peak due to extreme weather conditions.  
a. to reach                      b. to have reached  
c. reach                          d. in reaching
- It \_\_\_\_\_ be Annie who is crossing the street; Annie's taller.  
a. mustn't                      b. can't  
c. wouldn't                      d. shouldn't
- "When are Michael and Julie getting married?"  
"Well, they won't get married after all. They broke \_\_\_\_\_ two months ago!"  
a. out                          b. down  
c. off                              d. up
- "Would you mind \_\_\_\_\_ a little earlier today? I must go to the dentist's."  
a. my leaving                      b. me leave  
c. me to leave                      d. me to leaving
- She must \_\_\_\_\_ awful when she was told that she had been fired.  
a. feel                          b. have felt  
c. felt                              d. be felt
- You \_\_\_\_\_ to drink lots of water when you're on a diet.  
a. should                          b. must  
c. ought                          d. used
- Your jeans need \_\_\_\_\_ before you wear them for the first time.  
a. washing                          b. to wash  
c. wash                              d. have washed
- \_\_\_\_\_ the weather forecast, it will be cold and foggy at the weekend.  
a. Owing to                          b. According to  
c. Apart from                          d. Instead of
- There used to \_\_\_\_\_ a coffee shop on that corner when I was young.  
a. have been                          b. be  
c. were                              d. being

### B Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given unchanged. You must use between two and five words, including the word given.

- I'm sure he hasn't refused such a good offer.  
**turned** He \_\_\_\_\_ such a good offer.
- There was no need for the climbers to bring so many supplies.  
**not** The climbers \_\_\_\_\_ so many supplies.
- If I were you, I wouldn't stay in the sun without sunscreen.  
**had** You \_\_\_\_\_ in the sun without sunscreen.
- Shall I water the plants for you?  
**like** Would \_\_\_\_\_ the plants for you?
- It is necessary that he doesn't eat so many sweets.  
**cut** He \_\_\_\_\_ sweets.
- I expect that she has invited everyone to her birthday party.  
**must** She \_\_\_\_\_ to her birthday party.
- As a child, David was never in the habit of eating cornflakes.  
**used** As a child, David \_\_\_\_\_ cornflakes.
- Smoking is not allowed in the building.  
**must** You \_\_\_\_\_ in the building.
- Perhaps Julie thought that you would check the report.  
**impression** Julie may \_\_\_\_\_ that you would check the report.
- It was wrong of you to steal that book.  
**should** You \_\_\_\_\_ that book.
- She is not obliged to cook if she doesn't have time.  
**have** She \_\_\_\_\_ if she doesn't have time.