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Family histories

1A A life story

Vocabulary Life stages

1 ★ Match the beginnings (1–8) to the endings (a–h) to make phrases.

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| 1 start | a up |
| 2 get a | b to university |
| 3 meet | c in (a place) |
| 4 get | d school |
| 5 grow | e job |
| 6 have | f married |
| 7 live | g your future partner |
| 8 go | h children |

2 ★★ Complete the dialogues with the correct form of the phrases from exercise 1.

- 1 A Is that your little brother? How old is he?
B He's five. He's going to start school this September.
- 2 A Is Brian your sister's boyfriend?
B No, he's just a friend of hers. She doesn't want to live with her until she's at least 25!
- 3 A Hey, are you British?
B Yes, I am.
A Do you live in London?
B Yes, I do!
- 4 A What do you want to do when you leave school?
B I don't want to study any more. I want to get a job.
- 5 A Do you want to have children?
B Yes, I do. I want two. A boy and a girl.
- 6 A Where did your parents get married?
B In Warsaw. They moved to Prague when they got married.
- 7 A I'm not sure if I want to go to university. Do you?
B Yes, of course. But not until I'm 30.
- 8 A Do you think you'll meet your future partner?
B Well, I hope so. If I pass all my exams. I'd like to study Biology.

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Grammar Past simple regular and irregular

3 ★ Complete the sentences with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 We liked the sweet shop in town when we were younger. (like)
- 2 When did he leave school? (leave)
- 3 He didn't get a job during the summer holiday. (not get)
- 4 They couldn't speak much English when they came to Britain. (can not)
- 5 Did you go to school by bus yesterday? (go)
- 6 She saw her best friend every day during the summer holidays. (see)
- 7 My dad travelled around the world for his old job. (travel)
- 8 We didn't understand the question in last week's exam. (not understand)

4 ★★ Complete the dialogues with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 A I didn't see (not see) you in Maths yesterday.
B Did you go (go) home?
B Yes, I did (do). I didn't feel (not feel) well.
A Oh dear. What did you do (do) at home?
B I went (go) to bed and I slept (sleep) for ten hours!
- 2 A What did you do (do) last weekend?
B I saw (see) a great film on Saturday. I just relaxed (relax) at home on Sunday. What about you?
A I played (play) in a football match on Saturday and we all visited (visit) my grandparents for Sunday lunch. Then I studied (study) for the English test.
B Did you finish (finish) your Science project?
A Oh no! I forgot (forget)!

used to

- 5 ★★ Write the questions. Then answer what the people used to and didn't use to do.



- 1 Rob doesn't live in the USA any more. He's moved to Britain.

Did Rob use to live in Britain?

He didn't use to live in Britain.

He used to live in the USA.



- 2 Betty doesn't travel by bus to work now. She's got a car.

Betty have a car?

Betty a car.

She by bus.



- 3 They don't live in a flat any more. They've got a house now.

they live in a house?

They a house.

They a flat.



- 4 We don't have a rabbit any more. We have a dog.

you have a dog?

We a dog.

We a rabbit.



- 5 He doesn't play football any more. He plays hockey now.

he play hockey?

He hockey.

He football.



- 6 I don't wear glasses any more. I've got contact lenses.

you wear contact lenses?

I contact lenses.

I glasses.

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Listening

- 6 ★★ 02 Listen to the conversation between Simon and his grandma, Elaine. Complete the information.

Name: Elaine Goldman

Year of birth: _____

Place of birth: _____

Age start school: _____

Age finish school: _____

Job: _____

Married to _____

Number of children: _____

Moved back to _____
in _____

Retired: _____

