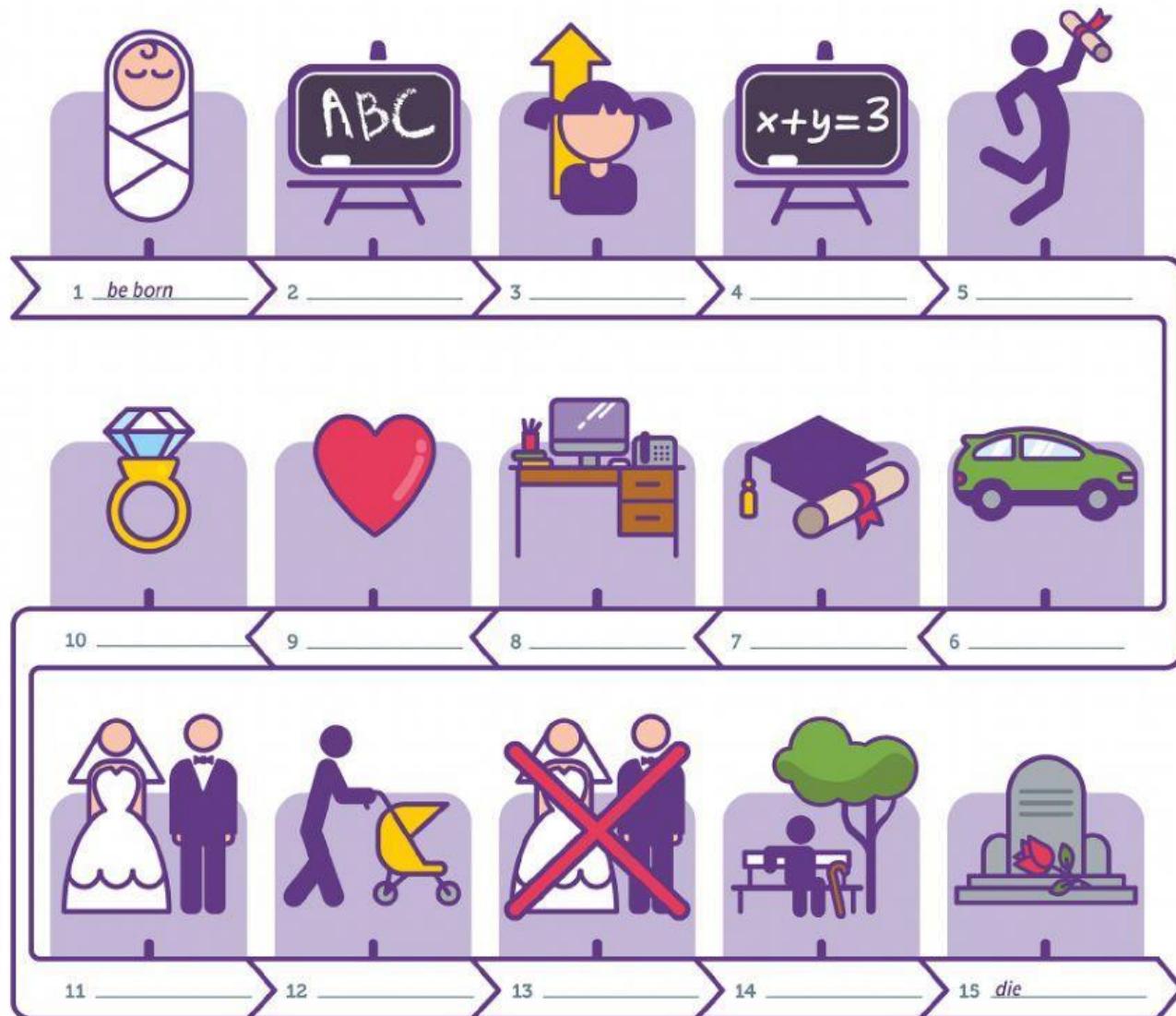


2C Life stages

1 2.6 Match the phrases in the box with the pictures on the timeline. Listen and check.

be born die get engaged graduate from college get your driver's license go to elementary school get a divorce fall in love
retire get married grow up have children finish school go to high school start a career



2 Match the two columns to make sentences.

1 My grandmother was born	_____	a my grandfather, also a doctor.
2 She grew up	_____	b at the age of 65.
3 She went to elementary school	_____	c she was 18, in 1961.
4 She finished school when	_____	d my mother and my uncle.
5 She went to college	_____	e on April 14, 1961.
6 She started her career	_____	f in 1966, after getting engaged.
7 There she met	_____	g when she was five.
8 They got married	_____	h on a farm in Kentucky.
9 They had two children	_____	i as a doctor in a hospital.
10 My grandmother retired	_____	j to study medicine.

3 Complete the text with the correct form of the life stages verbs.

- 1 My parents worked in lots of different countries, so I _____ with my grandparents in Miami.
- 2 Luca _____ to his girlfriend last week. The wedding is in May of next year.
- 3 I want to _____ in the summer. Then I can drive to college every day.
- 4 Sandra's parents _____ ten years ago, but they are still friends and see each other often.
- 5 Raul works in that hospital. He says almost 30 babies _____ there every day.