

# unit 2

# AMAZING YOUNG PEOPLE

1 Match the pictures to the sentences about life dreams. Write the numbers.



Someday I would like to...

☐

create a photography blog

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start my own band

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be a professional football player

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do voluntary work in Africa

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climb a mountain

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find a cure for diseases

2 Write down four of your dreams. Rank them by importance. 1 = most important. 4 = least important.

1 \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

3 Look at 2. Which of your dreams will be the most difficult to achieve? Draw a box around it. Which dream will be the easiest to achieve? Underline it. Which dream can you achieve right now? Write it here:

\_\_\_\_\_



4 Read. Then circle **T** for true and **F** for false.

My parents are amazing people! My mum's a writer. She wrote and published her first book when she was just 14 years old! She also speaks three languages: English, Spanish and French. My dad is a famous chess player. He has played chess for over 20 years and has won many tournaments. He also plays the piano and the guitar. My parents are amazing people for all their achievements – especially for being wonderful parents to me and my sister!



Our children are amazing! Our son Chris is brilliant at science. At just ten years old, he started his own science club. The club meets every Friday after school. Last week, he won an award for his latest invention: a portable mp3 case that protects your mp3 player from getting wet! He wants to be a doctor when he grows up. Emma's a terrific athlete! She's the captain of her athletics and football teams. Her football team has just won a big football tournament. Emma won the Most Valuable Player award! Emma loves being active... her biggest dream is to climb a mountain one day! We're very proud of our amazing children!

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| 1 Chris's dad has published a book.               | T | F |
| 2 His mum speaks three languages.                 | T | F |
| 3 Chris's dad plays two instruments.              | T | F |
| 4 Chris hasn't invented anything yet.             | T | F |
| 5 Emma's team has just won a football tournament. | T | F |
| 6 Emma has already climbed a mountain.            | T | F |

5 Complete the sentences. Use the words in the box.

invented something    published a book    speak 23 languages    was a contestant

- 1 Harry, a young boy from Hampshire, UK, \_\_\_\_\_ on a TV programme called *Junior Bake Off*. He won with his amazing carrot cake.
- 2 Kevin Doe \_\_\_\_\_ amazing when he was only 13. He made batteries from junk and helped bring electricity to people's homes in Sierra Leone.
- 3 Timothy Donor taught himself to \_\_\_\_\_ by the time he was 16.
- 4 Adora Svitak \_\_\_\_\_ about how to write when she was only seven.

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Which of the achievements in 5 do you think is the most important? Why?