

5 What happens at these times in your country? Complete the sentences.

1. Before a man and woman get married, they
usually date each other.
2. When someone has a birthday, _____

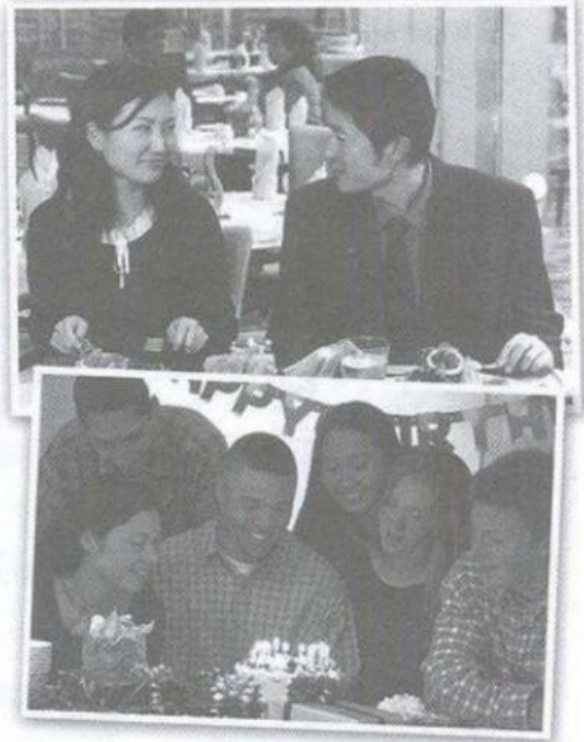
3. Before some people eat a meal, _____

4. After a student graduates, _____

5. When a woman gets engaged, _____

6. When a couple has their first child, _____

7. When a person retires, _____



6 Complete the paragraph with the information in the box. Add a comma where necessary.

Grammar note: Adverbial clauses of time

The adverbial clause can come before or after the main clause. Before the main clause, add a comma.

When a couple gets married, they often receive gifts.

Do not add a comma after the main clause.

A couple often receives gifts when they get married.

- before the wedding reception ends
- many newlyweds have to live with relatives
- most couples like to be alone
- when they have enough money to pay for it

Newly married couples often leave on their honeymoon _____
_____. When they go on their
honeymoon _____ .
After they come back from their honeymoon _____
_____. They can only live in their own place
_____ .