

My family

My family is the (1) *more / best / most* important thing in the world, number one for me. We are a family of four. We are different but very united and spend a wonderful time together.

My mum is the soul of (2) *our / us / we* family; she is always there for us. My mum is in (3) *she / hers / her* early forties with shoulder-length curly hair, green eyes and a (4) *harming / full / strict* smile. She's lively and energetic. She likes travelling, *gardening and reading. Like most women she is* (5) *likes / good / fond of shopping* but at the same time she is quite practical. She's an accountant and works for a big company. I often wonder (6) *how / what / when* she manages to find time to do the housework, socialise (общаться) with her friends and help me and my little brother with our homework.

My dad is the other breadwinner in our family. He's a businessman. He's really busy (7) *in / at / on* weekdays but (8) *on / in / at* the weekend we spend time with him doing sports such as tennis and football in summer or skiing in winter. My dad is (9) *too / some / very* sporty and strong. He's tall with dark hair, a short beard and a moustache. He's very (10) *beautiful / handsome / pretty*.

My brother Alex is 6 and has just started school. He's shy and it's not so easy for him to (11) *make / do / be* friends. But he's really good (12) *in / on / at* drawing and making model planes. I adore my brother and never (13) *get along / offend / support* him.

My name's Ann. I'm in the 8th form at school. I like English and History. I'm keen on music, I play (14) *the / a / -* piano and compose songs. I want to become a singer. My parents think it's not serious but they never laugh at my ideas. They are very (15) *understanding / sentimental / charming*.

We are a close-knit family. We treat each other with respect and try to (16) *avoid / blame / agree* conflicts. Of course, sometimes we have some disagreements because of the generation (17) *secure / gap / bald* like what to wear or when to go to bed, but we always try to compromise and work through all our problems together.