

Empower A2 U6A

1 VOCABULARY Family

Underline the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 My aunt and uncle's children are my *brothers* / cousins / *parents*.
- 2 My *cousins* / *grandchildren* / *grandparents* got married in 1960 and my father was born in 1962.
- 3 My aunt met my *grandfather* / *uncle* / *sister* at university and they were married in 1972.
- 4 My uncle David's my mother's *brother* / *sister* / *cousin*.
- 5 My father has two sisters, Sarah and Jenny. They are my *grandmothers* / *aunts* / *cousins*.
- 6 Joe's got one brother and two *parents* / *sisters* / *uncles*, Fiona and Helen.

2 GRAMMAR Past simple: be

a Underline the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 **A** Where *are* / were / *was* you last night?
B I *am* / *were* / *was* at my grandparents' house.
- 2 **A** *Were* / *Are* / *Was* you with your brother?
B No, I *'m not* / *weren't* / *wasn't*.
- 3 My sister *were* / *was* / *wasn't* ill last week, so she *was* / *weren't* / *wasn't* at school.
- 4 My father *was* / *wasn't* / *weren't* at university in the 1960s. He *were* / *wasn't* / *was* at university from 1971 to 1974.
- 5 **A** *Were* / *Was* / *Wasn't* your grandparents alive during the Second World War?
B Yes, they *was* / *weren't* / *were*. My grandfather *were* / *was* / *is* born in 1940.
- 6 My sister and I *are* / *was* / *were* born in 1983.

b Complete the sentences with *was*, *were*, *wasn't* or *weren't*.

- 1 He wasn't at work yesterday. He was on holiday in France.
- 2 **A** _____ you in the USA when you got married?
B Yes, we _____.
- 3 They _____ here last night because they _____ at the hospital.
- 4 **A** Where _____ you born?
B I _____ born in France.
- 5 **A** _____ your parents born in the UK?
B No, they _____. They _____ born in India.
- 6 It _____ my mother's birthday yesterday.