

## LIFE EVENTS

### 1 **PRACTISE** Match words 1–8 to definitions

A–H.

1  abroad

2  career

3  degree

4  rich

5  dream

6  earn

7  successful

8  married

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A something that you get when you finish university

B to get money for work that you do

C having a wife or a husband

D when you are famous, or make a lot of money

E in or to a foreign country

F something that you want to happen very much

G having a lot of money

H the jobs that you did or do

## 2 Complete the blog post with the words below.

abroad careers degree dream earn goal  
married rich successful



When I was younger, my

1  was to start a company and be 2 .

I got a 3  from University College London and worked in a company 4 , in Singapore, for one year. After that, I moved back to the UK and started my own company. A few years later, I got 5 . Both my wife and I have good 6  working in the company. Our 7  now is to have children and live by the sea. We both 8  good money, but we are not 9  enough to stop working!

**3** **EXTEND** Put the stages of life in the correct order from youngest (1) to oldest (8).

☐ middle-aged

☐ baby

☐ toddler

☐ old age

☐ teenager

☐ retired

☐ child

☐ in your 20s

**4** Choose the correct answer: A or B.

1 Sarah was born two weeks ago. She's a

\_\_\_\_\_.

☐ A toddler

☐ B baby

2 My grandparents were both engineers, but they stopped working last year. They're now

\_\_\_\_\_.

☐ A retired

☐ B middle-aged

3 Look how happy that young boy is. \_\_\_\_\_ really is the best time in your life!

☐ A Adulthood

☐ B Childhood

4 Steve is fifteen years old. He's \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ A a teenager

☐ B an adult

5 Katie is only two years old, and she's now learning to walk. She's a \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ A woman

☐ B toddler

6 My uncle spent much of his \_\_\_\_\_ working in the USA, but he got married when he was in his late 20s and moved back to the UK.

☐ A youth

☐ B adulthood