Watch the video podcast. Do the people talk about big or small families?

1 Read about Natalie. Then watch the video podcast from 0:11 to 0:22 and underline the correct words.

Hello. [1]*My / Her* name is Natalie. [2]*I'm / She's* from Northern Ireland and I work at the BBC. I have two [3]*sisters / parents* and [4]*one / a* brother. Who [5]*are / 's* in [6]*his / your* family?

2 *Who's in your family?* Look at the people below and read their answers. Then watch the video podcast from 0:22 to 1:29 and match the people to the correct answers.

1 My family is my mother, my father and my brother. ____

2 My family is my mum, my dad and my two sisters. ____

3 My family is my wife Carol, my sister Susan and my parents, Vivian and Betty. __A__

4 My mother and my father and I have an older sister, and four older brothers. One of them is my twin brother. ____

5 My family is my parents, a brother, a sister and a husband. ____

6 My family is my mother Kate, and my father Peter. And I have a daughter Julia, and a stepdaughter Rebecca. ____

Glossary: *mum* = mother; *dad* = father

3 *How old are the people in their families?* Read ages a)–j). Then watch the video podcast from 1:31 to 2:34 and number the ages in the correct order, 1–10.

a) eighteen ___
b) twenty-three ___
c) twenty-eight 1
d) thirty-three ___
e) thirty-five ___
f) forty-five ___
g) forty-eight ___
h) fifty-five ___
i) sixty ___
j) sixty-two ___

4 *What are their jobs?* Look at the people below and read their answers. Then watch the video podcast again from 1:31 to 2:34 and underline the correct answers.

My brother is thirty-six years old and is a [1]*computer programmer / taxi driver*.

My dad is sixty and he's a [2]*doctor / teacher*. And one of my brothers is thirty-five and he's a [3]*singer / actor*.

My mother is fifty-three and she's a [4]*receptionist /sales assistant* in Marks and Spencer. And my sister is twenty-three and she's a [5]*computer engineer / student at university*.

My mum is a [6]*teacher / manager* and my dad works with computers.

My mum is forty-five and she's a [7]*singer / teacher*. And my brother is eighteen and he's a [8]*waiter / student at college*.

My dad is fifty-two and he's a [9]*banker / businessman*. My mum; she's a full-time [10]*mother /cook* and she's forty-eight.

Glossary: *Marks & Spencer* = a famous British shop