

## ADVANCED UNIT 1

**1** **OVERVIEW:** Watch the video. Whose family do you identify with most?

**2** Read Andrea's introduction. Then watch the video from 0:00 to 0:27 and underline the correct alternatives.

Hi. My name is Andrea. I <sup>1</sup>live/<sup>am</sup> living and work in London <sup>2</sup>but/<sup>though</sup> most of my family live in Brazil. I get on well <sup>3</sup>to/with my sister when I <sup>4</sup>I'll see/see her but that's only <sup>5</sup>once/twice a year. Do you <sup>6</sup>pass/spend much time with your family?



**3** **Do you spend much time with your family?** Look at the people in the pictures and read extracts from their answers. Then watch the video from 0:27 to 1:16 and match the people to their answers.



Nick

1 I try to, yeah. I try and spend as much time as possible. C



Dianne

2 Spend quite a bit of time with my family. Obviously, less now since I left home and left university. —



Tomas

3 I don't, no. We're geographically quite spread out. —



Tim

4 Yeah, I do. I go to school in Toronto and they live there and I see them on weekends and whenever I can really. —



Robin

5 Probably not as much as I could because the kids are busy, and, er, I don't have any parents any more. And my husband's family live a fair way away, so probably not as much as we'd like to. —

**Glossary:** *a fair way away* = quite a long way from where the speaker is  
*geographically spread out* = (living) in different places all over the country/world