

WEEK 2 – UNIT 1 – HOMEWORK

ARTICLES

1. Choose the correct article

- 1 About 30% of my classmates come from a/the country outside of Europe.
- 2 My cousin and I are almost the/0 same age.
- 3 I always feel very nervous before a class presentation– I don't like speaking in the/0 public.
- 4 My brother is at university and my sister works as 0/a nurse in a hospital.
- 5 We have class discussions in English all the time, but I don't always have a/the confidence to speak.

UNIT 1 GRAMMAR REVISION

2. Choose the correct alternative

Grandparents can be very important in the life of **(a) a/the teenager**. They have more experience and more time than parents and can help teens make **(b) a/the** right choices. Teens often **(c) think/are thinking** their parents don't understand them and that their grandparents understand them better. A study called 'My second mum and dad' says that there are currently 14 million grandparents in the UK, that the number **(d) increases/is increasing** and that they **(e) live/are living** longer now. The study also says that many grandparents help teenagers with **(f) a/0** school work and go to school events when their parents are busy. More than 25% of teenagers say they talk to their grandparents about problems they **(g) don't discuss/aren't discussing** with their parents. Experts say that this generation of grandparents has **(h) a/0** better relationship with today's teenagers because many grandparents are **(i) the/0** younger now. One grandmother says, 'We are probably the only generation **that (j) likes/is liking** some of the same music our grandchildren like.'