

1 DESCRIBING YOURSELF

- a Read Charlie's profile and answer the questions.
- 1 What's Charlie's real name?
 - 2 Where's he from?
 - 3 What does he do?
 - 4 Who does he live with?
 - 5 What does he look like?
 - 6 What's he like?
 - 7 What does he do in his free time?
- b Read the profile again. The computer has found ten mistakes. They are grammar, punctuation, or spelling mistakes. Can you correct them?
- c Write the topic of the paragraphs in the correct column in the chart. Then add the highlighted phrases from the profile for each paragraph.

hobbies and interests name, age, nationality personality
physical appearance work / study, family

	Content	Phrases	My information
Paragraph 1	Name, age, nationality	My name's... Everyone calls me...	
Paragraph 2			
Paragraph 3			
Paragraph 4			
Paragraph 5			

- d Plan your profile. Add notes to **My information**.
- e Write your profile. Use your notes and the phrases to help you.
- f Check your profile for mistakes (grammar, punctuation, and spelling).



- 1 Hi. My name's Charlie. Well, it's really Carlos but everyone calls me Charlie. I have 21 years old. I'm Mexican, and I live in Guadalajara.
- 2 I'm going to tell you about myself. I'm at university. I'm studying physics. I'm in my last year and I really like it. I live with my parents in a flat in the centre. I have a dog, a schnauzer – his name is Towser.
- 3 As you can see from the ¹foto, I have black hair and ⁴browns eyes. My father always says I have a big nose, but I don't think so. I think it's a Roman nose!
- 4 I think I'm a positive person. My ⁵freinds say I'm funny and it's true, I like making people laugh. But I ⁶can to be serious too when I need to be!
- 5 I ⁷dont have ⁸many free time ⁹becuase when I'm not in class I have to do projects or write reports. But when I can, I like watching TV series, especially science fiction series and comedies. I watch them in ¹⁰english with subtitles. I also like playing computer games like *World of Warcraft* and *Starcraft*.

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