

VOCABULARY

Life stages

1 * Number the people in order of age. 1 will be the youngest and 6 will be the oldest.

adult

baby

child

elderly

teenager

toddler

2 ** Complete the words.

1 In the UK, many teenagers l _ _ _ _ home at the age of 18 and g _ _ to university in another city.

2 Tim has a motorbike, so he doesn't want to l _ _ _ _ to drive a car.

3 When Janet g _ _ _ a job, she's going to save money to b _ _ a house.

4 Wendy and Max are starting their new life together. They're going to g _ _ m _ _ _ _ _ and h _ _ _ _ children.

5 When I leave school, I'm going to university to g _ _ a degree in history.

6 My parents want to live by the beach, so they are going to m _ _ _ house when they r _ _ _ _ _.

3 *** Choose the correct option.

Mr and Mrs Smith have four children – three boys and a girl. George is the oldest. He's 24 years old. He finished university last year and now he's trying to get a (1) **degree** / **job** as a maths teacher. He wants to leave (2) **university** / **home** and get (3) **married** / **retired** to his girlfriend, Olivia, next year. Then there's Harry. He's 18 years old. He's finished school and now he goes to (4) **university** / **job**. At the moment, he's (5) **leaving** / **learning** to drive. Then there's their daughter, Molly. She was 13 years old last week, so she's (6) a **teenager** / **elderly** now. Finally, there's Max. He's their youngest (7) **teenager** / **child**. He's a (8) **toddler** / **adult** because he's only two. It's a big family