1. Rewrite the sentences with *a/an* or *the* in the correct place.

1. About 30% of my classmates come from country outside of Europe.

2. My cousin and I are almost same age.

3. I always feel very nervous before class presentation – I don't like speaking in public.

4. My brother is at university and my sister works as nurse in a hospital.

5. We have class discussions in English all the time, but I don't always have confidence to speak.

2. Circle 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.'

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