

Exercise 2. Listen to a teenager's talk about *Connecting with your family* and choose the best answer for each question.

1. According to Karl Pillemer, what percentage of Americans has been estranged from their extended families at least once in their lifetime?

2. How does the speaker feel about their talks with uncle Bob?

3. What annual trips does the speaker's family take?

4. How did the pandemic affect the speaker's family gatherings and traditions?

5. According to the speaker, why are families important during times of uncertainty and celebration?