1B Modern families

Happy families are all alike; every unhappy family is unhappy in its own way.
First line of Anna Karenina
by Leo Tolstoy, Russian writer

G future forms: present continuous, *be going to, will / won't* **V** family, adjectives of personality **P** sentence stress, word stress

1 VOCABULARY family, adjectives of personality

a Complete the sentences with a family word.



1 Your mother and father are your parents.
2 Your grandfather's father is your gr_____-gr_____.
3 A child who has no brothers or sisters is an o_____ ch_____.
4 Your brother's or sister's daughter is your n_____.
5 A child who parents take into their family and treat as their own is an a_____ ch_____.
6 Your partner, children, parents, and brothers and sisters are your i_____ family.
7 Your father's new wife is your st_____.
8 Your wife or husband's brother is your br_____-i_____-l_____.
9 A sister who shares one parent with you is your h_____-s_____.
10 Your brothers and sisters are your s_____.
11 Your grandparents, aunts, uncles and cousins are your e_____ family.
12 Your brother's or sister's son is your n_____.
13 Your stepmother's or stepfather's daughter from an earlier relationship is your st_____.

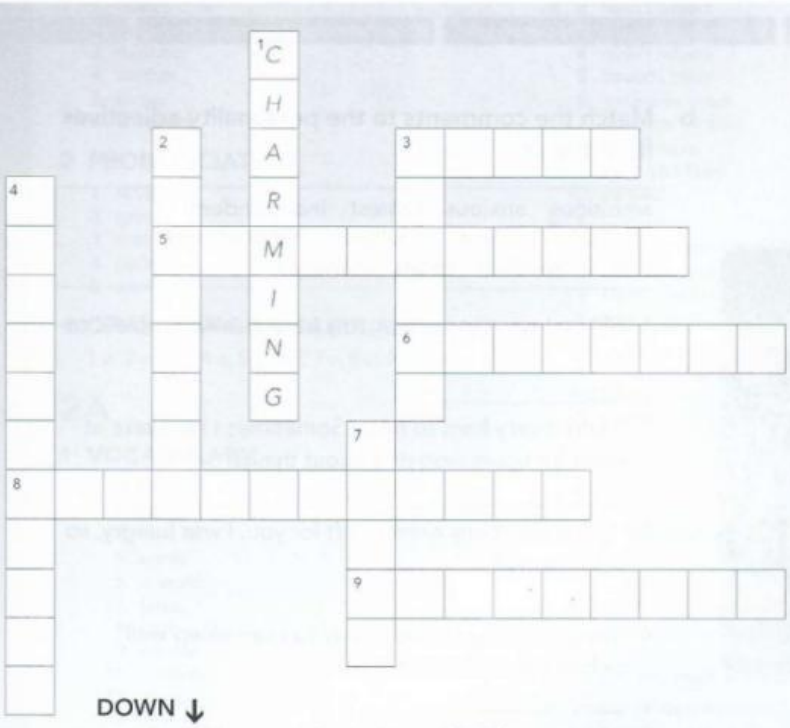
b Match the comments to the personality adjectives from the list.

ambitious anxious honest independent
insecure patient rebellious self-confident
selfish sensible ~~spoilt~~ stubborn

1 'When I want something, my parents always give it to me.'
spoilt
2 'I find it very hard to relax. Sometimes I lie awake at night for hours worrying about things.'
_____
3 'There aren't any prawns left for you. I was hungry, so I ate them all.'
_____
4 'I'm going to go to bed early so I can sleep well before my exam tomorrow.'
_____
5 'I feel very comfortable when I'm speaking in public.'
_____
6 'I'd like to be the manager of a big multinational company.'
_____
7 'That's what I think, and I'm not going to change my mind.'
_____
8 'I'd prefer to do this on my own, thanks.'
_____
9 'I was a really difficult teenager. I didn't obey any rules at school or home.'
_____
10 'Take your time, I can wait. I'm not in a hurry.'
_____
11 'Excuse me. You dropped some money. Here it is.'
_____
12 'I'm not sure if Jess is my friend or not. She says she is, but I don't really know.'
_____

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c Read the sentences and complete the crossword with the missing adjectives.



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1 Eddie's attractive, friendly and [redacted] – everybody loves him!
2 Cathy's really [redacted]. She loves going out, and she's got a lot of friends.
3 My niece is very [redacted] for her age – you'd never guess she was only 12.
4 Laura's very [redacted] – she writes some wonderful stories.
7 Emma's so [redacted]. She's always telling other people what to do.

ACROSS →

3 My boss is really [redacted]. Sometimes he's fine, but other times he gets angry about the smallest thing.
5 It isn't fun playing tennis with my brother because he's so [redacted]. He hates losing.
6 I'm lucky to have a friend like Paul because he's very [redacted]. He's always there when I need his help.
8 My grandma's very [redacted]. She loves us all very much, and she gives us lots of hugs and kisses.
9 It's very easy to make Daisy cry because she's very [redacted].

d Write the opposite adjectives. Use a negative prefix.

1 tidy	*untidy*	8 organized	_____
2 honest	_____	9 responsible	_____
3 mature	_____	10 sociable	_____
4 reliable	_____	11 friendly	_____
5 sensitive	_____	12 kind	_____
6 ambitious	_____	13 patient	_____
7 imaginative	_____	14 selfish	_____

e Complete the sentences with *sensible*, *sensitive* or *sympathetic*.

1 Don't be so _____! I didn't mean to make you cry.
2 Be _____! There are only three places in our car. We can't take the whole football team home!
3 Be _____! Her hamster has died, and she's very upset!

2 GRAMMAR future forms

a Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs or phrases in **bold**.

1 **he** / **look for** (an intention)
My brother hates his job.
He's going to look for a new one.
2 **I** / **pay** (an offer)
Don't worry about the drinks.
_____ for them.
3 **I** / **make** (an offer)
_____ some more coffee?
4 **you** / **get married** (a prediction)
Do you think _____ before you're 30?
5 **we** / **go** (an arrangement)
_____ on holiday tomorrow. I can't wait!
6 **I** / **have** (an instant decision)
A Are you ready to order?
B Yes, _____ the steak.
7 **I** / **be** (a fact)
_____ 21 on my next birthday.
8 **we** / **invite** (a suggestion)
_____ your parents for a meal this weekend?
9 **I** / **not be** (a promise)
I'm going to Jacky's house for dinner. I _____ late home.
10 **it** / **break** (a prediction)
There's too much shopping in this bag. I think _____.

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b Complete the conversations with the correct future form of the verbs in brackets.



1 A *Are* _____ you *going away* _____ this weekend? (go away)
B No, we _____ here. Why? (stay)
A We _____ a barbecue. Would you like to come? (have)



2 A I'm too tired to cook. _____ we _____ a Chinese takeaway? (order)
B Good idea. I _____ the restaurant. What do you want for your starter? (call)
A I _____ spring rolls, please. (have)



3 A What time _____ you _____ in the morning? (leave)
B I _____ the six o'clock train. (get)
A I _____ you a lift to the station, then. (give)



4 A What _____ you _____ tonight? (do)
B I _____ to the cinema with some friends. (go)
A What film _____ you _____? (see)
B The new *Star Wars* film.
A Oh, I've seen it. You _____ it! (love)



5 A _____ I _____ you do the washing-up? (help)
B OK. I _____ and you can dry. But please be careful with the glasses. (wash)
A Don't worry. I _____ anything! (not break)

c Answer the questions. Use the correct future forms.

1 What are you going to do after the class?
First, I'm going to go shopping.
Then, I'm going to go home and make dinner.
2 What do you think the weather will be like tomorrow?
In the morning, it _____.
In the afternoon, I think it _____.
3 What are you doing this weekend?
I _____.
4 What are your plans for next summer?
I _____.

3 PRONUNCIATION sentence stress

a 1.3 Listen and complete the sentences.

1 *When* _____ are you going to *book* _____ your *holiday* _____?
2 I'm _____ going to _____ the _____.
3 I'm going to _____.
4 _____ are you _____?
5 I'm _____ some _____.
6 I'm _____ my _____.
7 She's _____ her _____.
8 _____ will you _____ your _____?
9 I _____ them _____.
10 I'll _____ them on _____.

b 1.3 Listen again and repeat. Copy the rhythm.

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