

Lesson A GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY

A Match the stage of life to the description.

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| 1. infancy ____ | a. an adult |
| 2. old age ____ | b. a baby |
| 3. adulthood ____ | c. a teenager |
| 4. adolescence ____ | d. a child |
| 5. childhood ____ | e. a senior citizen |



B When do most people do these things? Write the stage of life.

- learn to talk infancy
- get married _____
- stop working _____
- learn to read _____
- finish their education _____



C Circle the correct form of each verb—simple past or present perfect tense.

- I don't want to eat at Pizza Palace tonight. I (ate | have eaten) there twice this week.
- Jessica (knew | has known) her best friend since they (were | have been) six years old.
- I (worked | have worked) for this company since 2010, and I like it very much.
- Marina (had | has had) a baby last month.
- I (finished | have finished) my homework, so I can go out tonight.
- We (saw | have seen) that movie before. It (was | has been) terrible!



D Look at the pictures. Have you done these things? When did you do them for the first time? Write sentences with the present perfect and simple past.

- I've ridden a horse. I rode one in 2012. OR I've never ridden a horse.
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