3 Read the text and answer the questions.

1 Which company introduced the idea of a *Bring Your Parents To Work Day?*
2 How many people in the USA take part in the *Take Your Child To Work Day?*
3 What does the company say the benefits of the day are?
4 How many companies now have a similar day?
5 What does Martin Richards' daughter do at work?

Would you bring your parents to work?

How would you feel about bringing your mum or dad into work with you? Would you be worried about the things that they might say to your boss? Or nervous that they might start showing embarrassing photos of you as a child to the colleague who sits next to you? Well, get ready for *Bring Your Parents To Work Day*, an event which is already becoming popular in some American companies and which could be coming your way soon!

The company where it all started, LinkedIn, realized that there are a lot of parents who don't understand what their children's jobs involve. There is already a national *Take Your Child To Work Day* for workers who want to take their sons and daughters to their places of work, and more than 37 million Americans take part every year. So why not do the same thing for parents? LinkedIn's argument is that employees who are supported by their family are happier and more productive. Now, there are more than 80 companies in 18 countries that organize an annual event for parents to get to know how their kids spend their time at work.

So what do the parents think of it? Martin Richards has just spent a day at the office where his daughter and son-in-law work. 'For me, it was a great opportunity to see how digital marketing works, to meet some of Imogen's co-workers, and – best of all – to spend a day with my eldest daughter!'



4 Discuss the questions in pairs.

1 As a child, did you ever visit the place where your parents worked? Was it a useful experience?
2 How would you feel if you brought your parents to your work? Why?
3 Do you think people's jobs have changed a lot in the last thirty years? If so, how?

5 **A** Complete the sentences with *who*, *which* and *where*. Check your answers in the text.

1 Get ready for *Bring Your Parents To Work Day*, an event _____ is already becoming popular in some American companies.
2 There is already a national *Take Your Child To Work Day* for workers _____ want to take their sons and daughters to their places of work.
3 Martin Richards has just spent a day at the office _____ his daughter and son-in-law work.

B Look at sentences 1–3 and answer the questions. Then read the Grammar box.

1 Which word do we use to give information about: people? _____ things? _____ places? _____
2 In which sentences can we use *that* instead? ____ ____

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