

# ENGLISH QUIZ

## YOU WILL PRACTICE:

### GRAMMAR :

- Present Continuous vs Going to vs Will

### VOCABULARY:

- Family Vocabulary.

### LISTENING:

- Identifying key ideas from a survey report.

### READING:

- Summarizing key ideas from an article.
- Giving your opinion on an article

## Listening

You will listen to the results of a survey done in the UK. Listen and complete the text with the numbers from the box. You will listen to the recording twice.

85 - 60 - 26- 75 - 30 - 58 - 95 -75 -39

## "THE MODERN FAMILY"

"Family life is changing in the UK -but not that way we might think. When the BBC did a survey of families in Britain, they expected to find that family relationships were suffering because of the decline in traditional family relationships. However, some of the results were quite surprising ...

\_\_\_\_% of men and \_\_\_\_% of women aged 20 to 24 still live with their parents.

\_\_\_\_% think it's okay to **charge rent** to children over 25 who have a job and are living at home

\_\_\_\_% use the internet to contact their families. On average, adults live 130 km from their parents.



\_\_\_\_% of people say they have a **close family**.

60% of people have a **meal** with their immediate family every day,

\_\_\_\_% of people say that their families never **argues**

17% of people have family members who they don't speak to.

\_\_\_\_% think that families should **look after** grandparents.



\_\_\_\_% of people are happiest with their families

17% of people are happiest with their friends

## DICTIONARY

**Charge rent:** Make someone pay. **Argue:** Discuss over conflict **Look after:** Take care of.

**Meal:** Food like breakfast, lunch, etc **Close family:** Family you see or have contact with

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## Grammar

Write the correct future form in these sentences.  
Sometimes, more than 1 option is possible

1. "What are your plans for summer" - "I think I ..... (take) Yoga class".

2. I think that people ..... (live) in Mars by 2088.

3. I promise I ..... (take) care of the car, mom.

4. "Do you want to see anything else, ma'am?" - "No, I think I ..... just (pay). Thank you".

5. "Man, I lost wallet. I can't pay the Uber" - "Don't worry, I .....(pay) this time."

6. I can't see you today, Maria. I ..... (see) my therapist at 7 pm

7. Our computer broke today, so we ..... (buy) a new one soon.

8. I can't meet you today. I ..... (go) to the movies with John at 8pm

9. A: Hey, I'm heading out. Want to come with me?

B: Sure, I ..... (get) my jacket. Wait up.

10. A: "Hey, bestie. How are you doing? I ..... (have) a party on Friday. .... you ..... (come)? I would really love having you here.

11. Family, we have something important to tell you. Carla and I ..... (get) married. We don't know when yet.

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**Reading** Read the article about how the order in which you are born in your family affects your personality.

## How birth order influences your personality?



Nowadays, it is an accepted fact that our position in the family - that is, whether you are the oldest, middle, youngest or only child - is possibly the strongest influence there is on our character and personality. So what influence does it have?

### The oldest child

Firstborn children often have to look after their younger siblings, so they're usually **sensible** and responsible adults. They also tend to be ambitious and make good leaders. On the negative side, oldest children can be insecure and anxious. This is because when the second child is born, they lost some of their parents attention, so they may feel rejected.

### The middle child

Middle children are more relaxed probably because their parents were more relaxed by the time the second child arrived. They're usually really sociable - the kind of people to have a good relationship with everybody. They are also **sensitive** to what other people feel. For the same reason, they are good at **sorting out** arguments. On the other hand, they can be **unambitious**, and they can lack direction in life.

### The youngest child

Youngest children often very **outgoing** and charming. This is the way to try and get attention of both of their parents and their older siblings. They are often more rebellious, and this is probably because it's easier for them to break the rules, because their parents are more relaxed about discipline by the time they're born. They can also be **immature** and disorganized, and they often depend too much on other people, because they are the baby of their families.

### The youngest child

Only children usually do very well at school, because they have more contact with adults. They get a lot of love and attention from their parents, so they're typically **self-confident**. They're also independent, as they spend so much time by themselves. They're also very organized. Only children can be sometimes be **spoilt**, they are given everything they ask for. They can be quite **selfish** at times and get impatient, especially when things go wrong.

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**Vocabulary** Read the words to understand the text better.

## DICTIONARY

**Sensible:** Someone who's intelligent and reasonable

**Sensitive:** Someone who is very aware to other people emotions.

**Outgoing:** Someone who likes to talk to people.

**Sort out:** Solve problems.

**Immature:** Someone who acts like a child or not like an adult.

**Self-Confident:** Someone who acts like a child or not like an adult.

**Spoilt:** Someone who expects everything to be given to them.

**Selfish:** Someone who hates sharing their things with others.

**Summarizing:** Read the article again and write the positive and negative traits for each type of child. Name 1 minimum per category.

Child	Positive Traits	Negative Traits
Oldest Child		
Middle Child		
Youngest Child		
Only Child		

# ENGLISH QUIZ

## Writing

Do you think the article's description is true for you? Explain yourself. Write a brief opinion on no more than 5 lines.

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