

B. LANGUAGE BUILDER

Exercise 1: Match the sentence halves.

1. My grandfather	●		●	is my father's sister.
2. My uncle	●		●	is the child of my aunt.
3. My aunt	●		●	is my father's mother.
4. My grandmother	●		●	is my mother's son.
5. My cousin	●		●	is my mother's father.
6. My brother	●		●	is my mother's brother.
7. My sister	●		●	is my father's daughter.

Exercise 2: Match the formal and informal family words. Use the words in the box.

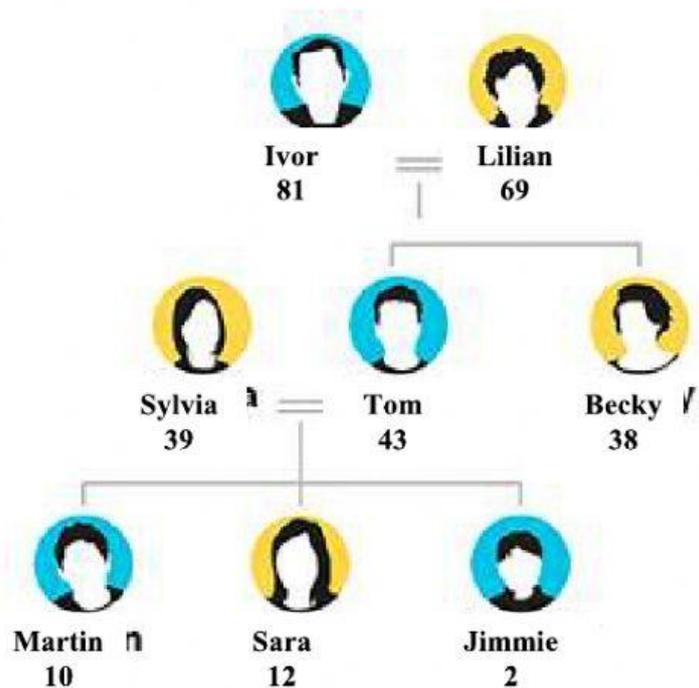
Auntie dad grandma grandpa kids mum

Formal

1. father
2. mother
3. grandmother
4. grandfather
5. aunt
6. children

Informal

Exercise 3: Look at the family tree. Complete the sentences. Use the words in the box.



aunt	baby brother	brother	children	grandmother	husband
		mother	son	wife	

- Martin is Sara's _____.
- Jimmie is Martin and Sara's _____.
- Martin, Sara and Jimmie are Sylvia and Tom's _____.
- Sylvia is Tom's _____.
- Ivor is Lilian's _____.
- Lilian is Becky's _____.
- Becky is Sara's _____.
- Lilian is Sara's _____.
- Tom is Ivor and Lilian's _____.

Exercise 4: Match the questions with the answers.

1. How old is your mum?	●		●	No, she isn't.
2. How old are your cousins.	●		●	No, he isn't.
3. Are you and your sister good friends?	●		●	Yes, we are.
4. Is your sister older than you?	●		●	She's 39.
5. Are your aunt and uncle in the photo?	●		●	Yes, they are.
6. Is her husband Italian?	●		●	They're 5 and 9.

Exercise 5: Put the words in the correct order to complete the sentences.

1. We're all the beach on .

2. Really big a family you're .

3. 9 now my are two brothers .

4. Is other brother your how ?

5. The who are four children ?

6. Dad's my grandchildren four they're .

Exercise 6: Rewrite the underlined words with the correct short forms.

- 1 You are a big family.
- 2 They are my uncle's grandchildren.
- 3 We are not twins.
- 4 I am in the photo.
- 5 He is the same age as me.
- 6 She is not my brother's wife.