

Family members

1 a) Look at the family tree and the pairs of words.



- *grandad – grandma*
- *dad – mum*
- *husband – wife*
- *brother – sister*
- *uncle – aunt*
- *son – daughter*
- *nephew – niece*
- *cousin – cousin*
- *father-in-law – mother-in-law*

b) Choose the correct word.

- 1 Mary is Alex's **sister/wife**.
- 2 Alex is Anna and Sue's **uncle/dad**.
- 3 Helen is Anna and Sue's **mum/grandma**.
- 4 Lara is Bob and Helen's **sister/daughter**.
- 5 Molly is Anna's **niece/cousin**.
- 6 Ned is Alex's **nephew/uncle**.
- 7 Mary is Molly's **aunt/niece**.
- 8 Helen is Mary's **mother-in-law/mum**.
- 9 Bob is Anna's **grandad/uncle**.
- 10 Lara is Alex's **sister/daughter**.

Possession

To show possession we use:

- noun singular + 's. *Who's Bob? He's Helen's husband.*
- plural noun + '-s'. *Whose aunt is Lara? She's the girls' aunt.*
- irregular plural noun + 's. *This is the men's house.*

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