

Unit 1a

1. Match the words. Then use the phrases to complete the sentences below.

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| 1. cultural | a. behaviour |
| 2. maternal | b. moment |
| 3. birth | c. child |
| 4. nuclear | d. traditions |
| 5. poor | e. marriage |
| 6. dull | f. grandmother |
| 7. arranged | g. rates |
| 8. only | h. family |

1. Evan is a part of a _____ as he lives with just his parents.

2. Events like weddings, birthdays and New Year's celebrations help keep _____ alive.

3. Sadly, Helen's _____ passed away last year.

4. I am an _____ in my family but I've always wanted to have siblings.

5. Across Europe, _____ are falling. As a result, European populations are beginning to decrease.

6. Anita's parents are planning an _____ for her. They have found her the perfect husband.

7. With five children, there is never a _____ in the Brady's house.

8. _____ is not acceptable in oriental cultures as it reflects badly on the family.